



How To Make Money

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Sermon Notes

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Intro: This message is not “How to Get Rich”

This message is not “How to Make a Lot of Money”

How to generate income is something to talk about. Financial problems can sometimes result in limited imagination as to how to generate streams of income. There are more ways to get your needs met than working a 9 to 5!

The text

There’s more to life than making money; Seek ye first...

But, you need income in order to meet your needs. God blesses us to get our needs met by giving us abilities and opportunities to generate income.

How can you generate income?

Know your options!!!

You do not have to have a nine to five.

Unique jobs:

- Body Painter
- Color Expert
- Horticultural Therapist
- Nail Polish Namer
- Veterinary Acupuncturist

If possible, develop more than one stream of income

There's nothing wrong with having additional streams of income.

- Passive income (not portfolio income)
Real estate; intellectual property-music, ebooks, patents, etc.

- Portfolio income
Interest & dividends from stocks

- Entrepreneurship
52% of all small businesses are home-based according to Forbes magazine Sept '13
Business Plan Service
Ebay Assistant
Editorial Services
Event Planning
Household Organizer
Jewelry Maker
Personal Trainer
Rug Cleaning
Pet Sitting

Anyway you slice it, whether through a nine to five or otherwise, the following tips will help you make money. Heed to these things and position yourself to be blessed and your needs to be met!

Competitive Resume

Takes time to build it

No errors, current contact info, professional email address, awards, certifications, degrees, experience, what difference did you make where you worked?

The purpose of the resume is to secure an interview

Networking

Interview Tips

It's one thing to have folks pray for you to do well in the job interview the Lord has granted. But, it's another thing to pray & prepare!

- Be on time
- The interview starts as soon as you pull up in the parking lot or enter the lobby
- Dress like you have some sense
- Smell nice; don't over do it
- Behavior-based questions
- Nice, firm handshake
- Warning: social media!
FaceBook, Twitter, Instagram, Etc.

Skills

- Computer skills
- Oral & written communication
- Teamwork
- Drive; determination to get things done; make things happen; seek ways to make improvements
- Planning & organizing
- Time mgmt.
- Flexibility
- Negotiating & persuading
- Global skills; speak & understand other languages; appreciate other cultures

Passion

What do you love? Don't know? Sometimes, you take a job and the passion follows. Otherwise, if you know what you'd love to do you may be able to make a living doing it!

Sometimes you have to do what you have to do until you can do what you love to do!

Don't be broke because you don't want to do something you're good at such as:

- Doing hair
- Sewing
- Cooking
- Auto repair
- Art
- Writing
- Interacting with children
- Selling
- Etc.

Continual Personal Development

Work on your character. Most leaders fall due to moral failures.
Mature in the fruit of the Spirit.

Don't let weight & sin hold you back

Work on you! Keep growing

Mindset Development

You may have more options than you realize. Develop your mind so you are aware of the possibilities and dare to believe what is possible for YOU! The mind is a terrible thing to waste.

Pursuing What Seems Impossible

Competitive resume + networking + Interview + skills + passion + continual personal development (character) + mindset development (Imagining new possibilities) + pursuing the impossible +...

We've covered things that can work for anyone. But, if you're born again...

1. Favor
2. Anointing
3. Faith = I know God provides!

He shall provide!

Hang on in there and trust Him!

You can make it!



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