

## **ZEALOUS ABOUT WHAT YOU DO!**

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**COLOSSIANS 3:23-24 NKJV – (23)** And whatever you do, do it heartily, as to the Lord and not to men, **(24)** knowing that from the Lord you will receive the reward of the inheritance; for you serve the Lord Christ.

The principle applies to all believers, for all those we work for: serve as if serving God Himself. According to the next verse, this is for a good reason. Our ultimate rewards are with God, not the human beings we serve for only a short time.

Derived from the Greek work <u>zelos</u>, to be zealous means to have an "ardor or fervor of spirit." There is an energy and an enthusiasm about one's faith. The believer is eager to "embrace, pursue, or defend" Jesus Christ in everything they do. All in. On fire. Sold out.

When you work, work as unto God! Why? Because when it is done unto man we become discouraged, especially when it doesn't happen our way as we would expect it to be. When you fall in such a dilemma, read **James 4:1-6**.

Otherwise, be on fire about what you in God's name!

## **SCRIPTURE READING**

**REVELATION 3:19** 

## **THOUGHT FOR THE WEEK**

"Nothing is impossible. The word itself says 'I'm possible!"