

# ***RIGHTLY ORDERED LOVES***

*A STUDY IN PSALM 90 & LUKE 10:38-42*

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**MY HEART:**

***TO BUILD A FAITHFUL REMNANT UPON  
THE ROCK BY BEING FAITHFULLY OBEDIENT  
IN ALL THINGS – COME WHAT MAY***



Psalm 90 [ESV]:

***<sup>1</sup> Lord, you have been our dwelling place in all generations.***

***<sup>2</sup> Before the mountains were brought forth, or ever you had formed the earth and the world, from everlasting to everlasting you are God.***

***<sup>3</sup> You return man to dust and say, "Return, O children of man!"***



Psalm 90 [ESV]:

***4 For a thousand years in your sight  
are but as yesterday when it is past,  
or as a watch in the night.***

***5 You sweep them away as with a flood; they are like a dream,  
like grass that is renewed in the morning ...***



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***10 ... The years of our life are seventy, or even by reason of strength eighty; yet their span is but toil and trouble; they are soon gone, and we fly away.***

***11 Who considers the power of your anger, and your wrath according to the fear of you?***

***12 So teach us to number our days that we may get a heart of wisdom***



*THE MOST IMPORTANT RESOURCE GOD  
GIVES US WHILE HERE ON EARTH: **TIME***



***HOW DO YOU FEEL ABOUT YOUR TIME?***

***DO YOU HAVE ENOUGH?***

***HOW ARE YOU SPENDING IT?***



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***GIVE US WISDOM WITH TIME!***





***ARE YOU USING YOUR TIME WISELY?***



***WE'RE ALL WAY TOO BUSY –  
WITH BOTH BAD THINGS & GOOD THINGS***

***WE HAVE WRONGLY ORDERED LOVES***



***WE'RE LOVING TOO MANY GOOD THINGS  
IN THE WRONG ORDER!***



***THE ORDER OF OUR LOVES DETERMINES  
HOW WE SPEND OUR TIME, AND HOW WE  
SPEND OUR TIME REVEALS WHAT WE  
TRULY LOVE THE MOST***



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ORDER MAKES US A FAITHFUL BLESSING.***

***LOVING GOOD THINGS IN THE WRONG  
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***HOW DO WE FAITHFULLY LIVES AS THE  
PEOPLE OF GOD?***

***BY PURSUING **RIGHTLY ORDERED LOVES*****



***THE CHURCH IS THE **IMMUNE SYSTEM** OF  
WESTERN CIVILIZATION***

***IS THAT IMMUNE SYSTEM HEALTHY RIGHT  
NOW?***



***THE CHURCH IS SUPPOSED TO BE AN  
OFFENSIVE WEAPON. BEING TOO BUSY  
TAKES US OUT OF THE FIGHT, AND LOVING  
THINGS IN THE WRONG ORDER MAKES US  
TOO BUSY***



***DON'T TELL ME WHAT YOU BELIEVE –***

***SHOW ME YOUR SCHEDULE & BANK  
STATEMENT, AND I'LL SHOW YOU WHAT  
YOU REALLY BELIEVE***





***EVERY TIME WE SAY "YES" TO SOMETHING,  
WE'RE SAYING "NO" TO SOMETHING ELSE.***

***WHO'S GETTING OUR YESSES, AND WHO IS  
GETTING OUR NO'S?***



***OUR WRONGLY ORDERED LOVES DON'T  
JUST TAKE US OUT OF THE FIGHT TODAY,  
THEY SABOTAGE AND SURRENDER THE  
NEXT GENERATION***



***IF WE WANT THE ORDER OF OUR LOVES TO  
GET HEALTHY, THEN WE HAVE TO PRUNE***



# ***HOW DO WE PRUNE WELL?***

***1) PRAY***

***2) LET SOME THINGS GO***

***3) DEVELOP GOOD BOUNDARIES***



***WE NEED TO REPENT, WE NEED TO PRUNE,  
AND WE NEED TO GET BACK TO THE  
VIRTUE OF RIGHTLY ORDERED LOVES***



**HAVING GOOD PRIORITIES ISN'T JUST A  
CHURCHY THING – IT'S A HUMAN THING,  
AND **BEING FULLY HUMAN MEANS MAKING  
JESUS NOT JUST A PRIORITY, BUT THEE  
PRIORITY****



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