

THE LAW OF ACCOUNTABILITY

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Luke 12:48

Luke 12:48 says, "But he that knew not, and did commit things worthy of stripes, shall be beaten with few stripes. For unto whomsoever much is given, of him shall be much required: and to whom men have committed much, of him they will ask the more."

To whom much is given much is required. Being accountable over what you have is the prerequisite for getting more of what you want. Being accountable is one of the most important attributes a leader must exhibit.

Accountability **FORCES** you to be responsible over what you've been given. If you've been given charge over a group of people it is your responsibility to be fair to them. If you've been given charge over a facility it is your responsibility to make sure it is ran properly. If you've

been given charge over a financial portfolio it is your responsibility to make sure your client earns a profit.

Anytime you are held accountable to a criteria you are **ACTIVE** in leadership. Accountability is the **PROOF** of leadership. It does not matter how small or big the job is, if you are forced to be accountable you're a leader.

THE TEST OF ACCOUNTABILITY

When you have been made accountable over something or someone you are being **TESTED**. How you handle what you've been given will determine if you pass or fail the test of accountability.

People who pass the accountability test will **ALWAYS IMPROVE** what's been given. People who fail the accountability test will always lose what they've been given.

HERE'S WHAT I MEAN

If you are held accountable to lead an organization it is your responsibility to improve the culture, the outlook of the people and the viability of the company. If you are **SUCCESSFUL** at your task God will bless you with more to manage because you have to **PROVEN** to be accountable.

If you are held accountable to lead a group of people to God you are responsible for teaching them the ways of the Kingdom. If you **FAIL** at doing this God will allow you to **LOSE** the influence you have with these people because you have **PROVEN** that you are not responsible.

Stepping into the arena of accountability is a **PROVING** ground. When you ask God for more, when you want the Lord to increase your territory He will examine how accountable you were with what you were given.

WHAT IS THE LAW OF ACCOUNTABILITY?
GOD BLESSES YOU WITH MORE WHEN YOU DID
WELL WITH WHAT YOU HAD!

Being accountable can be stressful. However, it is an opportunity like none other. If you can **MANAGE** and **IMPROVE** what you have, God will give you **MORE!** The only limitation that is on your life are the limits you put on your life.

If you are an irresponsible person you will **NOT** be blessed with much. On the other hand, if you are responsible, God will provide you with an abundance. God will bless you with what you can handle. If you can handle more, you'll receive more.

People become great leaders because they have learned to be responsible over much. You can be great also. People are not called to be great leaders. They **QUALIFY** to be great leaders.

Remember David? He was a Sheppard boy. He was a leader over sheep. However, under his care every sheep was accounted for. Not one sheep was lost.

When David **PROVED** to God that he could manage sheep He promoted him to lead people. What is the point? Do not despise the day of small beginnings. Taking care of what is small is leading you toward ruling over what is big.

**GOD WATCHES EVERYONE TO SEE WHO HE CAN
BLESS WITH MORE.
WILL IT BE YOU?**

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