

INVEST IN RESOURCES

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Mathew 5:45

You repeatedly hear the phrase invest in the stock market or invest in yourself but it is not often that you hear invest in resources. Investing in resources is what **GOD WANTS** us to do in His Kingdom

In the Kingdom of God, investing in resources is God's priority. Why? Because in the Bible the Lord has spoken about many promises that will happen on the behalf of righteous people.

The Lord told us that it will rain on the just and the unjust. He said that righteous people will have many problems. He said the righteous will be persecuted for righteousness. He told us to rejoice in times of trouble.

[REFERENCE THESE SCRIPTURES](#)

- Mathew 5:45 says, *"If you do this, you will be true children of your Father in heaven. He causes the sun to rise on good people and on evil people, and he sends rain to those who do right and to those who do wrong."* NCV.
- Psalm 34:19 says, *"Many are the afflictions of the righteous: But the LORD delivereth him out of them all."* kjv
- James 1:2-3 says, *"My brothers and sisters, when you have many kinds of troubles, you should be full of joy, because you know that these troubles test your faith, and this will give you patience."* NCV.
- Mathew 5:10 says, *"Blessed are they which are persecuted for righteousness' sake: for their's is the kingdom of heaven."* kjv.

The promise of hard times and problems are guaranteed in the life of righteous people. God's solution for this

inevitable creation was **RESOURCES**. The purpose of a resource is to provide you with **SUPPORT** or **AID** that can be readily drawn upon when you **NEED** it.

Having the right resource at the right time saves you from pain, heartache, regret, worry, fear and anxiety. It gives you the peace to keep moving forward. It gives you the comfort to smile in the midst of chaos.

When God gives you a vision of trouble coming ahead He is revealing to you the potential circumstances so you can gather the proper resources to combat it. You **CAN'T** pray trouble away because it has been promised. You **CAN'T** pray problems away because it has been promised.

YOU MUST PREPARE FOR THEM!

Resources prep you to handle what is coming ahead. When thinking about resources, there is always too much

emphasis on money. Money has its place but you must think **BROADER!**

In order to gather the proper resources you need, you **MUST** be **CONNECTED** to God's voice. When the Lord speaks He will tell you what type of circumstances are coming. Based on His information, you **NEED TO GATHER THE APPROPRIATE RESOURCES.**

DON'T BE AFRIAD TO SPEND MONEY

God has given you the ability to earn money so you can purchase the proper resources you need. Money is meant to be managed and spending is part of that equation. As the book of Ecclesiastes chapter three teaches us, there are many different seasons we will live through.

Each season brings different problems that will require specific resources in order to survive during that time.

For example, Ecclesiastes 3:8 says, "*there is a time for peace and a time for war.*"

During times of war, weapons, bullets, security accessories, etc become the most important resource to survive. During times of peace, items of comfort and luxury become the most important resources for enjoyment.

You must be prepared for what is coming ahead! Resources **EMPOWER** you with the ability to be **PREPARED** and ready for the unexpected, unpredictable and unplanned. When things happen outside of your control your investment in resources will give you a **RETURN**.

**PEOPLE WHO INVEST IN RESOURCES WILL
NEVER LACK IN TIMES OF TROUBLE.**

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