Blessed with a Meaningful Life! Pastor's Desk – March 19, 2017



Many people around the world are unhappy with their job; they're unsatisfied with their wages and upset with their lives. Sadly, their dissatisfaction most of the time is based on some lousy Hollywood myth that is nothing more than a fantasy and in many cases, just plain lies. There is nothing wrong in trying to better our lives and standard of living, but we should not be miserable because of the things we wish to have and/or don't have!

Here is God's advice for those who have this kind of life: "Even so, I have noticed one thing, at last, that is good. It is good for people to eat, drink, and enjoy their work under the sun during the short life God has given them, and to accept their lot in life. And it is a good thing to receive wealth from God and the good health to enjoy it. To enjoy your work and accept your lot in life -- this is indeed a gift from God." Eccl. 5:18-19 (MSG). It doesn't matter which state or country we may live in. God has given every human being the power to enjoy a meaningful life and find satisfaction in our daily lives, no matter what type of work we do. This is part of our destiny; it is our lot in life! I believe if we approach our daily tasks (no matter how mundane they may seem) with a different attitude, God will help us to realize the fact that the most simple or mundane tasks in our lives have the potential to be very meaningful and really, satisfying ones!

So why not find contentment, peace and joy in even the seemingly meaningless jobs, and allow the Lord to bring fulfillment and joy in every moment of our lives? That may be our lot in life, so let's enjoy it and make the best out of it! Otherwise, life may pass by and many may be left behind in their complaints and misery, when they should be enjoying their daily morsel! Come on now, look at the positive side of things and start enjoying your lot under the sun; after all, we all have been blessed with a meaningful life!

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