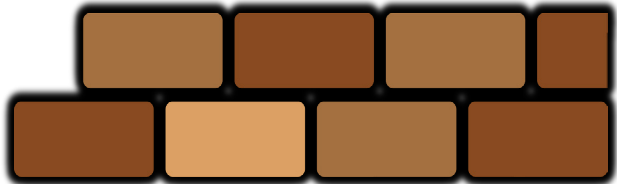


NEHEMIAH



building blocks for revival

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Nehemiah 3

A Will To Work

**See Nehemiah 2:17-18*

INTRODUCTION

1. IT'S A SPIRITUAL WORK

1 Peter 2:5 (emphasis added)

Ye also, **AS LIVELY STONES, ARE BUILT UP A SPIRITUAL HOUSE**, an holy priesthood, to offer up spiritual sacrifices, acceptable to God by Jesus Christ.

OUR WORK IS PEOPLE

Matthew 25:40

...Verily I say unto you, Inasmuch as ye have done it unto one of the least of these my brethren, ye have done it unto me.

PEOPLE ARE WORK

Hebrews 6:10 (emphasis added)

For God is not unrighteous to forget your work and **LABOUR OF LOVE**, which ye have shewed toward his name, in that ye have ministered to the saints, and do minister.

2. IT'S A SHARED WORK

*"There is no limit to the amount of good you can do if you don't care who gets the credit."
-Ronald Reagan*

Colossians 3:23 *(emphasis added)*

And whatsoever ye do, do it heartily, as to the Lord, **AND NOT UNTO MEN...**

1 Thessalonians 5:12-13 *(emphasis added)*

And we beseech you, brethren, to know them which labour among you, and are over you in the Lord, and admonish you; and to **ESTEEM THEM VERY HIGHLY** in love for their work's sake...

Ephesians 4:16

From whom the whole body fitly joined together and compacted by that which every joint supplieth, according to the effectual working in the measure of every part, maketh increase of the body unto the edifying of itself in love.

3. IT'S A STEADFAST WORK

****See Nehemiah 4:6***

"Perseverance is the hard work you do after you get tired of doing the hard work you already did."
-Newt Gingrich

1 Corinthians 15:58 *(emphasis added)*

Therefore, my beloved brethren, **BE YE STEDFAST, UNMOVEABLE, ALWAYS ABOUNDING IN THE WORK OF THE LORD**, forasmuch as ye know that your labour is not in vain in the Lord.

****See Nehemiah 5:14-16***

****See Nehemiah 6:15***

Galatians 6:9

And let us not be weary in well doing: for in due season we shall reap, if we faint not.