Topic: Your labor is not in vain – Part 1

Bible Reading: Hebrews 6:9-10

Introduction

Today, the work of many people across the globe are in vain; because they are not acceptable to the Lord. Numerous people are not rewarded by God for their toils; why? Because they are not in conformity with the teachings of the Bible. Whenever your struggle is in vain, you need to check yourself and rectify anything you are doing wrong. The works of most Christians are worthless and useless; because they failed to act according to the confession of their faith. If you want your toil to produce positive results and be successful; do it in a way that pleases God.

Humans are created to work for God: The reason why God created mankind is to work for Him; which means, your labor will not be in vain; anytime you are working for God. The only way to be rewarded by the Lord for your toils is to comply with the commands of God. Anytime that you are tending the work of your heavenly Father, you will be rewarded in this world and the world to come. Looking after the Beloved will not make your labor to be in vain. Guarding and keeping the work of the Lord is the best way to be compensated by the heavens for your toils.

If God put Adam and Eve in the Garden of Eden to tend and watch over it; don't you think you too need to work for God, for your labor not to be in vain? The Bible attested to this fact by saying, "Then the Lord God took the man and put him in the Garden of Eden to tend and keep it." <u>Genesis 2:15.</u> Caring for others must be paramount in your heart, if you don't want your labor to be in vain.

Do not be deceived by the godless people: Most people in the world are devising hopeless plots and empty schemes against the Lord. People are raving uselessly and grumbling against their Maker; because of their unpleasant conditions. Are you among those who are rebelling against God because of your situation? Are you conniving, or plotting against your Creator? Nowadays, it is not strange to see people trying to outwit the Lord God their Maker. However, you need to realize that your rage and anger towards God will be in vain; therefore, change and do what is right; else your labor will be in vain.

The Bible corroborated this fact by saying, "Why do the nations rage, and the people plot a vain thing?" **Psalm 2:1.** It is time to cease conspiring against God,

in order to be successful spiritually, and be compensated by the heavens. You need to depart from following multitudes of people to do evil; so that it shall be well with you throughout your existence.

Do not be deceived that the godless people in the world are relaxed, and they continue to pile up wealth; because they have no portion in the kingdom of heaven. Even if these contrary people are at ease, and they increase in riches; unfortunately, it will not last. Do not imitate the ungodly, even if they confess to prosper and live in peace; because in a little period, they will not be found. These contrary people may be heaping up riches, and enjoying life of ease; that does not signify that such persons are recognized by the heavens.

The Bible confirmed this fact by saying, "But as for me, my feet had almost stumbled; My steps had nearly slipped. For I was envious of the boastful, when I saw the prosperity of the wicked." **Psalm 73:2-3.** It must be noted that your financial status does not signify that your work will not be burnt. So, it is inevitable for you to live righteously; so that your labor will not be in vain. Even if all goes well for you, and your life is free of misfortune; it is not an indication that you will inherit the eternal kingdom.

There is no unrighteousness with God

Humans must realize that our God is a just God, and there is no injustice with Him. Inasmuch as the Lord is the Judge of all judges; then, He can never be unfair in all His dealings. Since God is not partial, or biased; and He cannot be bribed; then, there is no unrighteousness with Him; according to the scripture which says, "What shall we say then? Is there unrighteousness with God? Certainly not!" **Romans 9:14.**

Considering the fact that there is no inequity with God; if you do what is acceptable to Him, your works will not be in vain, but if you do what displeases the Lord, your toil will be in vain; in order to show that the Lord is upright, and faithful to His promises. The Lord always does what is right; therefore, He will reward the good people, and penalize the evil doers, to proclaim that there is no wrong in Him; according to the Bible passage which says, "To declare that the Lord is upright; He is my rock, and there is no unrighteousness in Him." **Psalm 92:15.** Our God is just, and there is nothing, but goodness in Him.

For this reason, God will not forget you; but He will reward you proportionally, according to the good things that you have done. The Lord will remember your

efforts towards the propagation of the Gospel, and you will be endowed with prosperity that has never happened in your lineage. Since God is not unjust; He will repay you for the assistance you are giving to the Christians. As it is written, "For God is not unjust to forget your work and labor of love which you have shown toward His name, in that you have ministered to the saints, and do minister." <u>Hebrews 6:10.</u> Your reward is on the way, for the love that you demonstrated for His name's sake. The Lord will not overlook your labor, because He is not unfair; instead, you will be rewarded in this world and the world to come.

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Works of those who forget God is useless

Nowadays, most people in the world have forgotten their Maker, and those who did not forget God do not have time to serve Him or pay attention to His statutes. The situation has degenerated to the extent that even the Christians are not absolved from this misconduct; thereby making their labor to be in vain. The primary focus of mankind is their survival in this world rather than God, who can provide for their needs and preserve their lives.

What is paramount in the hearts of humanity are the necessities of life; realizing their ambitions or aspirations, and amassing wealth. It should be noted that if the kingdom of heaven is not your goal, your works are useless. Though, it is the instruction of the Lord that humans will work hard during our lifetime to earn a living, and by the sweat of our brows that we will have food to eat until we die and return to dust, according to the scripture which says, "In the sweat of your face you shall eat bread till you return to the ground, for out of it you were taken; For dust you are, and to dust you shall return." **Genesis 3:19**. However, that does not signify that we should not remember our Creator, and have time for Him. The commandment does not mean people should perform their works in manners that displeases God and make their labors to be in vain.

The works of the godless will be burnt

Most of the godless people across the globe always prosper; they are always at ease and continue in wealth; even though it is through dishonest means. So, things going smoothly for you, and living in peace does not mean that you are godly and your labor will not be in vain. Inasmuch as the dictators throughout the world are getting richer through oppression, and they are secured through exploitation, their works will be burnt; according to the scripture which says, "The wicked shall be turned into hell, and all the nations that forget God." **Psalm 9:17.** The labors of the wicked people and the Nations that forgets God are useless, and they will end up in perdition. The ungodly people together with Nations that reject God have the same fate; because they have purchased a one-way ticket to Satan's camp, and their works will be consumed by fire.

God has promised that the wealth of these godless Nations will turn to ashes, and whatever they worked so hard to achieve will be in vain. The labor of the

wicked is only fuel for the fire; because it is unacceptable to God, and their Nations exhaust themselves for nothing. Though, anything the evil doers labor for, is destined for the flames, but the work of the just people will be rewarded now, and in the future. Since the bad people labor for fire, why not labor for eternal life?

Are you working for things that have no lasting value? The Bible corroborated this fact by saying, "Behold, is it not of the Lord of hosts that the peoples labor to feed the fire, and nations weary themselves in vain? <u>Habakkuk 2:13.</u> Remember that godless Nations work so hard in vain, and their gains will turn to ashes. We pray that your efforts will be acceptable to God, and your gains will not become smoke.

For this reason, perform your works in accordance with the teachings of the Bible. Let your labor be meaningful before the heavens; else, it will be in vain, just like how people in the world are rushing around in vain gathering possessions that God will not give them the grace to enjoy. Today, people are hustling and bustling to amass wealth without knowing who will get the wealth. The people who are storing more riches than needed in a dishonest way may not live to utilize it.

The Bible attested to this fact by saying, "Surely every man walks about like a shadow; surely, they busy themselves in vain; He heaps up riches, and does not know who will gather them." **Psalm 39:6.** Are you busy trying to make ends meet? We pray that you will relish the rewards of your labor, in Jesus' name. God will give you good health and sound mind to enjoy the riches that you accumulated. You will not gather wealth for another person to utilize. Do not forget that the only the way for your struggles not to be in vain is to do it modestly, in a way that pleases God.

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People forget God

Today, most people in the world believe in themselves rather than God. Humans are so twisted to the extent that they have confidence in their ability instead of the assistance of the heavens. The world is spiritually inverted; because mankind has excuses to evade doing what is right and acceptable to God. Most people prefer to level accusations against their Creator for their lapses, rather than repentance and humble themselves by making amendments.

It is a common occurrence for humans to call what is right evil, and call what is bad good; in order to achieve their objectives and purposes. Are you one of those who are circumventing the commandments of God to achieve your aims? Do you think if you forget God, your labor will be rewarded? You must change swiftly for your labor not to be in vain.

Leaders stirring Nations away from God: The leaders of Nations across the globe are driving their populace away from God through contrary laws. These leaders' belief so much in their economic growth and stability; to the extent that they think they do not need God for their Nations to progress. The confidence that some of these leaders have in their military prowess, and their positions on the world stage are making them disregard the Almighty God. Several of these leaders put their hope in their mineral resources, and their perception is that they are indispensable to the Nations of the world. These aforementioned reasons are some of the reasons that Nations are straying from their Maker.

These leaders should cease relying on contrary behaviors or iniquities to achieve their goals. It is time for these leaders to submit to God, so that their labors will not be in vain. Leaders of Nations must abstain from dependance on vanity of this world; in order to be rewarded. For this reason, the leaders should not trust in violence, or rely on their great wealth; instead, they should rely on God. The principal people, or the commanders throughout the world must stop embezzling their Nations fund, or afflict their populace to stray from the presence of God; according to the scripture which says, "Do not trust in oppression, nor vainly hope in robbery; If riches increase, do not set your heart on them." **Psalm 62:10.**

Remember, dishonesty is of no use, if you do not want your labor to be in vain. Even if you gain more riches, and your wealth increases, do not make it the

center of your life; but put your trust in the Lord. It must be noted that a warhorse is a bad bet for victory; because it cannot save despite its great strength; so, do not count on your capabilities, but count on God; so that your efforts will not be in vain. As it is written, "A horse is a vain hope for safety; neither shall it deliver any by its great strength." **Psalm 33:17.** Inasmuch as God alone can save; do not have false confidence in your potential.

Do not forget God: The Bible stated that the ways of the godless people will perish. The hope of the ungodly people perishes. The future of all those who turn from God is hopeless. The godless people are like reeds; whose hope is gone, once God is forgotten. Those who forget God have no hope; according to the Bible passage which says, "So are the paths of all who forget God; And the hope of the hypocrite shall perish." **Job 8:13.** Put your hope in God, if you do not want it to evaporate. If you do not want your hope to be destroyed and your labor to be in vain, trust the Lord.

Moses warned the people of Israel concerning this issue. Therefore, watch yourself! Do not forget the Lord your God by not keeping His commands. Make sure that you never forget the Lord, or disobey His laws and teachings. It is important that you must not fail to obey the statutes of the Lord. The Bible corroborated the fact by saying, "Beware that you do not forget the LORD your God by not keeping His commandments, His judgments, and His statutes which I command you today." <u>Deuteronomy 8:11.</u> You must never forget your Creator; if you want to be rewarded in this world and the world to come.

Topic: Your labor is not in vain – Part 4

Bible Reading: Hebrews 6:9-10

Christians must be wise and obedient

The Christendom should be vigilant and wise; because God alone has the authority to reward them for their efforts. Many Christians who started on the right footing are influenced by worldliness. The urge to behave like the unbelievers is so intense among the Believers, and it is rampant among the Churches throughout the world. The Beloved who started their new life spiritually with the Holy Spirit, must not strive to reach perfection through the flesh. Nowadays, many Christians are so irrational by thinking that they can reach spiritual maturity that will not make their labor to be in vain through human efforts. Numerous Believers are stupid and foolish by thinking that they can complete what the Spirit of God started in their lives.

Inasmuch as you cannot do it alone, why not rely on the Holy Spirit, and allow God to complete what He started in your life, so that your labor will not be in vain? Are you among the senseless Christians who think they can finish by their power what God began in their lives? Do you think something that begins spiritually can be completed by reverting to outward observances? Are you among those who think that mixing tradition with their mode of worship will make them stronger Christians? Something you are not smart or strong enough to begin, how do you suppose you could perfect it?

Believers need to realize that they cannot attain their goal by flesh, or be rewarded for their efforts without obedience. Therefore, those who have false confidence in themselves must humble themselves, and rely on God. Christians must not allow the affliction, oppression, and persecution they passed through because of their faith to be in vain by trusting in their efforts or power, instead of God; according to the Bible passages which says, "Are you so foolish? Having begun in the Spirit, are you now being made perfect by the flesh? Have you suffered so many things in vain—if indeed it was in vain?" <u>Galatians 3:3-4.</u>

Do you suffer and experience so much for nothing? Have you gone through all the challenges for nothing? Have you experienced mistreatment for nothing? Have you suffered so many things in vain? Do you think your painful encounters mean nothing at all? If not, continue to worship God in truth and spirit; so that your labor will not be in vain.

The labor of the faithful is not in vain

The labor of the faithful is not in vain; instead, they will be rewarded in this world and the world to come. Jesus Christ, our Lord and Savior mentioned this by saying, "And behold, I am coming quickly, and My reward is with Me, to give to every one according to his work." **Revelation 22:12.**

Never say "I wasted my time": People should stop saying that they purify their hearts and wash their hands in innocence for nothing. Do not say 'I keep my heart pure for no good reason.' The Believers must stop complaining to God by saying, 'what good did it do to me to keep my thoughts pure and refuse to do wrong? This statement 'I have received no reward for keeping my life pure, and washing my hands of any blame' must not come out of any obedient person's mouth.

Even if you are discontent with your condition, you must never utter these words 'I have been wasting my time walking blamelessly before God,' according to the scripture which says, "Surely I have cleansed my heart in vain, and washed my hands in innocence." **Psalm 73:13.** Hence, you must not say that you keep your heart pure for nothing, or keep yourself innocent for no reason; because your labor will not be in vain. Therefore, this comment 'Why take the trouble to be pure?' must be forbidden in your speeches.

You have not labored in vain: Working for God is the best thing that can happen to anyone, and whenever you are not working for the Lord; you are indirectly working for Satan. Therefore, do not be discouraged, or pronounce contrary words against yourself; because God will access your efforts, and reward you according to your labor.

Many people in the world are saying that they wearied themselves in vain, and they have used up their strength for nothing; these people need to realize that the Lord will grant them justice, because their reward is with God. Those who are saying they are completely worn out, and their time has been wasted; should be aware that they did it for God who will reward them.

It must be noted that it is not hopeless for anyone to work hard in an acceptable way, and it is not in vain; because God will defend the cause of that person, and reward the person for what he/she has done. Whenever you are working in a manner that pleases God, do not think you accomplish nothing; because your labor is not in vain. As it is written, "Then I said, 'I have labored in vain, I have spent my strength for nothing and in vain; Yet surely my just reward is with the

Lord, and my work with my God." Isaiah 49:4.

Even if your work seems useless, as long as it is performed in accordance with the statutes of the Lord; you will be rewarded by God. The Christians who are saying that they have nothing to show for a life of hard work must realize that they are laying their treasures in heaven, and their labor is not in vain.

The Lord has promised that your labor will not be in vain, and your work will not be wasted, if you are obedient. Your toil will not be without success, and you will be successful in every good work you do. You will be among the blessed of the Lord, and all the blessings pronounced in the following passages will be your portion, "No more shall an infant from there live but a few days, nor an old man who has not fulfilled his days; For the child shall die one hundred years old, but the sinner being one hundred years old shall be accursed. They shall build houses and inhabit them; They shall plant vineyards and eat their fruit. They shall not build and another inhabit; They shall not plant and another eat; For as the days of a tree, so shall be the days of My people, and My elect shall long enjoy the work of their hands. They shall not labor in vain, nor bring forth children for trouble; For they shall be the descendants of the blessed of the Lord, and their offspring with them." **Isaiah 65:20-23.**

Topic: Your labor is not in vain – Part 5

Bible Reading: Hebrews 6:9-10

Failure to obey God

People need to understand that their labor will be rewarded at the appropriate time by Almighty God. Inasmuch as there is an equal and opposite reaction to every action; then humans will be compensated according to their works, whether good or evil. Therefore, mankind needs to realize that there will be consequences for those who refuse to obey God. The Lord God will be sincere with the righteous; but He will treat the unfaithful as their deeds deserve. Since our Maker is not biased, He will prove Himself pure to the people with pure hearts and prove Himself shrewd to those who are perverse.

Inasmuch as you cannot deceive God, why not do what is right; so that your labor will not be in vain? You need to abstain from your crooked paths and purify your contrary heart, if you want your Creator to reward you. You need to quit your wicked conduct; if you do not want God to be hostile to you, and make your efforts to be in vain; according to the scripture which says, "With the pure You will show Yourself pure; And with the devious You will show Yourself shrewd." **Psalm 18:26.** God will give you blessings and you will be satisfied with His goodness, if you are obedient.

Consequences of disobedience: Refrain from sinful lifestyle; else, your journey will be filled with pains and regret. Refusal to obey God will bring horrific things and wasting diseases upon you. You must be obedient; if you do not want chronic illness that can cause sight problems and sap your strength to plague you. The only way to live a life free of incurable diseases, blindness and depression, is to do what pleases the Lord throughout your lifetime.

Do what is good and right; if you don't want your enemies to take advantage of you, and consume whatever you labor to produce; according to the Bible passage which says, "I also will do this to you: I will even appoint terror over you, wasting disease and fever which shall consume the eyes and cause sorrow of heart. And you shall sow your seed in vain, for your enemies shall eat it." **Leviticus 26:16.** Obedience is the key to avoid sudden terrors and panic. Your conduct must be acceptable to God, before you can live a healthy life that will not make your life to ebb away. You will not be infected with debilitating disease, and you will not labor in vain; if you depart from your nauseous ways.

The labors of the disobedient people will produce little, or no success. The strength of the ungodly will be exhausted without accomplishing anything. All the hard work of the godless people will be for nothing, and their strength will be spent in vain. As it is written, "And your strength shall be spent in vain; for your land shall not yield its produce, nor shall the trees of the land yield their fruit." **Leviticus 26:20.** Rectify your ways; so that your labor will be fruitful, and produce desirable results.

Topic: Your labor is not in vain – Part 6

Bible Reading: Hebrews 6:9-10

You need to face the reality

Many people in the world are treating their young ones cruelly, and they are unconcerned for their safety. Parents who hardened themselves against their children; instead of teaching them the way of the Lord must realize that their labor will be in vain. People across the globe should know that treating their children harshly will make their labor be in vain. Do you have no sense of danger for your offspring? Are you treating your youngsters heartlessly without worrying that your labor might be in vain? Don't you care that your work may be for nothing; if you don't give your children proper upbringing?

Are you negligent with your young ones? It is inevitable for you to accept the fact that if you mistreat your young ones, your efforts will be wasted. People who are unconcerned for their offspring are similar to ostriches whose labor is in vain. The Bible attested to this fact by saying, "She treats her young harshly, as though they were not hers; her labor is in vain, without concern." **Job 39:16.** Are you without dread that your children may die, and your labor will become empty? You must face the reality that having empathy for your offspring, and teaching them the statutes of the Lord is what will make your labor not to be in vain.

The labor of the repentant people: Today, many people are raising the question that 'What do we gain from all our hard work and struggles?' These people need to know that if their works are performed in a way that pleases the Lord, they will be rewarded physically and spiritually. The profit of your toil is not limited to this world; because you will also be rewarded in heaven; if your works are acceptable to God. As it is written, "What profit has the worker from that in which he labors?" **Ecclesiastes 3:9.** Hence, do what pleases the Lord, and you will be rewarded; instead of saying, 'What do people really get for all their hard work?'

The mindset of most people in the world is that if they are accused of being wicked, and held guilty, why should they labor in vain to appear innocent? If they thought they were guilty and condemned; why waste their efforts? The perception of numerous people is that they will not be admitted into the kingdom of heaven; so, if that is the case; why should they struggle in vain, since they will be found guilty? This group of people have given up hope; because they

believe that whatever happens, they will be found guilty. So, what is the use of trying? According to the Book of Job which says, "If I am condemned, why then do I labor in vain?" **Job 9:29.**

This category of people is wrong; because as long as they repent with contrite hearts, and humble themselves before God; no matter how deep the stain of their sins; God will take it out, and make them as clean as freshly fallen snow. Even if they are stained as red as crimson, God will make them white as wool. The Bible corroborated this fact by saying, "Come now, and let us reason together," says the Lord, "Though your sins are like scarlet, they shall be as white as snow; Though they are red like crimson, they shall be as wool." **Isaiah 1:18.** For this reason, stop saying, 'what is the use of trying to prove your innocence?' Instead, repent.

<u>**Gift of God to the righteous:</u>** The gift of God to the honest people is that they will have the ability to enjoy the riches that the Lord bestowed upon them, and they will have every cause to rejoice in their labor. Anyone who is in right standing with God will be enabled to enjoy the wealth that the Lord granted such a person. If you are upright, you will not brood over the fact that life is short; because God will keep you occupied with what will bring you joy.</u>

Do not forget that, if God gives you possessions and empowers you to enjoy it in good health; it is a gift from your Maker. If you do not need to look back with sorrow on your past; because God gives you joy, it is the gift of the Lord. The Bible confirmed this fact by saying, "As for every man to whom God has given riches and wealth, and given him power to eat of it, to receive his heritage and rejoice in his labor—this *is* the gift of God." <u>Ecclesiastes 5:19.</u> We pray that you will enjoy your wealth in good health, and be happy in your toil, in Jesus' name.

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Bible Reading: Hebrews 6:9-10

Rely solely on God

It is important for anyone who wants to be successful in the land of the living to depend on his, or her Creator. Having confidence in your capability, or trusting humans will fail you, and your labor will be in vain. It is necessary for you to realize that God alone can rebuild the spiritual ruins of your life and improve your living standard. It must be noted that if God does not rectify your destiny; then you cannot prosper. You need to acknowledge that if God does not protect you; the labor of your security personnel will be in vain, and your life will be endangered.

Humans need to know that without the assistance of the heavens, you might not have rest, and your work will be in vain. Hence, rely solely on God; so that your efforts will not be wasted, and your labors will not be in vain; according to the Bible passage which says, "Unless the Lord builds the house, they labor in vain who build it; Unless the Lord guards the city, the watchman stays awake in vain." **Psalm 127:1.** Reliance on flesh will disappoint you and make your labors be in vain. For this reason, seek the Lord your God; in order to be rewarded, and live a fulfilled life.

Grace is a necessity to survive: Every soul needs the grace of God to survive in this world, and to make their labor not to be in vain. Everything that most people worked so hard to gain always goes up in smoke; due to absence of grace and lack of dependance on God. You need the grace of God; in order not to exhaust yourself for nothing, and for your efforts not to go up in flames during your lifetime. Are you toiling for nothing but ashes? Are you laboring in vain? You need to change; so that you will be granted grace that will not make your labor to be in vain.

People need to realize that whatever they achieve is due to the unmerited favor and blessing of God called the grace. Therefore, such people must not make the grace bestowed upon them fruitless, or without effect. Do not forget that you are what you are due to the grace of God; so, whatever you accomplish is not by your ability, but by God's grace that is working through you. Do not make the grace of God a barren gift, but use it to work for the Lord; so that you will be blessed during your lifetime.

Remember that God poured kindness and grace upon you to do His work; so, strive to make sure that the grace produces results. If God is gracious and generous to you; it is your duty to make sure that His grace is not wasted. The Bible attest to this fact by saying, "But by the grace of God I am what I am, and His grace toward me was not in vain; but I labored more abundantly than they all, yet not I, but the grace of God which was with me." <u>1 Corinthians 15:10.</u> You need to utilize the special favor that God poured upon you; if you do not want your labor to be in vain.

Never receive the grace of God in vain: It is inevitable for you not to receive the grace of God in vain, and it must not be used for contrary activities. The grace bestowed upon you must be used to work for God, and not for coercive purposes. Whoever misuses the grace of God, or allows it to be wasted will not escape punishment. You must not fail to use the grace granted you, or ignore it; instead, use it to win souls into the kingdom of heaven. The Bible corroborated this fact by saying, "We then, as workers together with Him, also plead with you not to receive the grace of God in vain." <u>2 Corinthians 6:1.</u>

Therefore, do not treat the grace of God as meaningless. Anyone who wants to be justified will not reject the grace of the Lord. Whoever tries to abrogate the grace of God will be penalized. Inasmuch as the grace of God is priceless, you must never disregard it. You must never frustrate the gracious gift of God, but embrace and nurture it; so that it shall be well with you throughout your existence.

Your work is worthwhile: Finally, it must be noted that the works of Christians who are working for the propagation of the Gospel is not in vain, but everything they do for the Lord is worthwhile. The labor of the Beloved who give their best in the service of the Lord is not wasted, or without purpose. Future victory is sure for the faithful and resolute people; because they will be rewarded, and everything they do for the Lord is not futile. Therefore, throw yourselves into the work of the Lord Jesus Christ, and be confident that nothing you do for Him is a waste of time or effort. Hence, always work enthusiastically for the Lord; so that you will be rewarded; because nothing you do for Him is useless. We pray that your works, toils, efforts and labors will not be in vain, in Jesus' name.

<u>The Seal: 1 Corinthians 15:58:</u> Therefore, my beloved brethren, be steadfast, immovable, always abounding in the work of the Lord, knowing that your labor is not in vain in the Lord.