

SUCCESS - means favorable or prosperous

Summary of Deuteronomy 8:6-18 (OLD TESTAMENT)

Therefore you shall keep the commandments of the LORD your God, to walk in his ways, and to fear him.

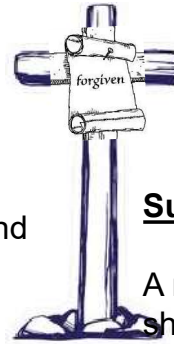
For the LORD your God brings you into a good land, of wheat, and barley, and vines, and fig trees, and pomegranates; a land of oil olive, and honey; bread without scarceness, you shall not lack anything in it;

Beware that you forget not the LORD thy God, in not keeping his commandments, and his judgments, and his statutes,

Lest *when* you have eaten and are full, and have built good houses, and your herds and flocks multiply, and your silver and gold and all you have is multiplied,

Then your heart is lifted up, **and you forget the LORD your God**, which brought you forth out of the house of bondage; and thou say in your heart, My power and the might of *my* hand got me this wealth.

BUT remember the LORD your God: it is He that gives you power to get wealth



Summary of Matthew 19:16-26 (NEW TESTAMENT)

A rich young man came and said unto Jesus, Good Master, how shall I have eternal life?

And Jesus said: keep the commandments, **do not** murder, commit adultery, steal, bear false witness, **BUT do** honour your father and mother, and love your neighbour as yourself

The young man said: All these things he has kept from his youth and asked what he lacked?

Jesus said If you want to be perfect, go *and* **sell all you have and give to the poor**, and you shall have treasure in heaven, and **come and follow me**.

But the young man went away sorrowful: for he was very rich.. Then said Jesus to his disciples, **Verily I say unto you, That a rich man shall hardly enter into the kingdom of heaven**. And again I say unto you, It is easier for a camel to go through the eye of a needle, than for a rich man to enter into the kingdom of God.

His disciples asked, Who can then be saved? And Jesus said. With men this is impossible; but with God all things are possible.

COMPROMISE IS A SLIPPERY SLOPE – it doesn't take long to slide into moral apathy

Matthew 6:24

NO man can serve two masters: for either he will hate the one, and love the other; or else he will hold to the one, and despise the other. Ye cannot serve God and mammon. (mammon = Riches; wealth; or the god of riches)

1 John 2:15-17

Love not the world, neither **the things** *that are* in the world. If any man love the world, the love of the Father is not in him.

For all that *is* in the world, the **lust of the flesh** (the desires of the carnal mind), and the **lust of the eyes** (the desires of covetousness), **and the pride of life** (self confidence or boasting of a good life), is not of the Father, but is of the world.

And **THE WORLD PASSETH AWAY**, and the lust thereof: but he that doeth the will of God abideth for ever.

Psa 49:6-8

They that **trust in their wealth**, and boast themselves in the multitude of their riches; None of *them* can by any means redeem his brother, nor give to God a ransom for him: For the redemption of their soul *is* precious, and it ceaseth for ever

Hebrews 13:5

Let your conversation (**manner of life / character**) **be without covetousness (greed)**; and **be content (enough / sufficient)** with such things as ye have: for He hath said, I will never leave thee, nor forsake thee.

Mar 4:18-19

And these are they which are sown among thorns; **such as hear the word**, And the cares of this world, **and the deceitfulness of riches**, and the lusts of other things entering in, choke the word, **and it becometh unfruitful**.

Rev 3:16-17

So then because thou art lukewarm, and neither cold nor hot, **I will spue thee out of my mouth**. Because thou sayest, **I am rich, and increased with goods, and have need of nothing**; and knowest not that thou art wretched, and miserable, and poor, and blind, and naked:

REVENGE – to return an injury; to deliberately inflict pain or injury in return for an injury received.

AVENGE - inflicting just punishment.

Deuteronomy 32:35,36a

To Me belongeth vengeance, and recompence;
their foot shall slide in due time: for the day of their calamity is at hand, and the things that shall come upon them make haste. **For the LORD shall judge**
his people,

Rom 12:17

Recompense to no man evil for evil.

Romans 12:19

Dearly beloved, **avenge not yourselves**, but rather give place unto wrath: for it is written, **Vengeance is mine; I will repay, saith the Lord.**

Hebrews 10:30

For we know him that hath said, **Vengeance belongeth unto me**, I will recompense, **saith the Lord.** And again, **The Lord shall judge** his people.

PEACE - a state of quiet or tranquillity;
freedom from disturbance or agitation,
quietness of mind,
a state of reconciliation between parties at variance.

Jdg 6:23

And the LORD said unto him, **Peace** be unto thee;
fear not: thou shalt not die.

Psa 34:14

Depart from evil, and do good; seek peace, and pursue it.

Psa 85:10

Mercy and truth are met together; righteousness and peace have kissed *each other*.

Psa 119:165

Great **peace** have they which **love thy law**: and nothing shall offend them.

Isa 32:17

And the work of **righteousness** shall be **peace**; and the effect of righteousness quietness and assurance for ever.

Mar 4:39

And he arose, and rebuked the wind, and said unto the sea, **Peace**, be **still**. And the wind ceased, and there was a great **calm**.

Isa 48:22

There is **no peace**, saith the LORD, **unto the wicked**.

Isa 9:6

For unto us a child is born, unto us a son is given: and the government shall be upon his shoulder: and his name shall be called Wonderful, Counsellor, The mighty God, The everlasting Father, **The Prince of Peace**.

Rom 8:6

For to be carnally minded *is* death; but to be **spiritually minded** *is* life and **peace**.

Rom 14:17

For the **kingdom of God** is not meat and drink; but **righteousness, and peace, and joy** in the Holy Ghost.

Gal 5:22

But the **fruit of the Spirit** is love, joy, **peace**, longsuffering, gentleness, goodness, faith,

Joh 14:27

Peace I leave with you, **my peace I give** unto you: **not as the world giveth**, give I unto you. Let not your heart be troubled, neither let it be afraid.

PEACE is:

When I repent of my sin and accept the blood atonement of Jesus Christ

When there is no more enmity between myself and GOD

When I stop my rebellion against GOD

When I am no longer haunted by my guilty feelings

Peace = **REST** of the soul in the kingdom of God

Accepting the **blood atonement** of Jesus Christ

What angers God most is that a person doesn't believe Him