

Attitude is one of the most important parts of living a successful Christian life. With the right attitude doing the will of God is enjoyable and rewarding. With the wrong attitude, faithful obedience is drudgery and torture. Our attitude needs to be fine tuned every day. Take note of the following scriptures concerning the preparation of our heart and mind. Words underlined are my emphasis.

(Phil. 2:5-8) Have this attitude in yourselves which was also in Christ Jesus, who, although He existed in the form of God, did not regard equality with God a thing to be grasped, but emptied Himself taking the form of a bond-servant, and being made in the likeness of men. And being found in appearance as a man, He humbled Himself by becoming obedient to the point of death, even death on a cross.

(Col. 3:2) Set your mind on things above not on the things that are on earth.

(Col. 4:2) Devote yourselves to prayer, keeping alert in it with an attitude of thanksgiving;

(Acts 8:21) "You have no part or portion in this matter, for your heart is not right before God.

(James 2:1) My brethren, do not hold your faith in our glorious Lord Jesus Christ with an attitude of personal favoritism.

As Zig Ziegler used to say, "Is it time for a check-up from the neck up?"

See you Sunday!

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