

"DON'T COVET. DON'T COMPLAIN. DON'T COMPARE.

Everything isn't meant for everybody, but what are YOU gonna do with what YOU have?

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"EXPLORE. ENHANCE. ENCOURAGE."

EXPLORE

your talents. What are you good at? What has the LORD blessed you with? **Inquire the LORD** on your talents, so you can get started working for **HIS** kingdom.

ENHANCE

your abilities. Now that you know what the LORD has gifted you with, it's time to **strengthen** them. Invest time to improve the talents & gifts **Jesus has given you**.

ENCOURAGE

yourself along the way because there is an enemy who wants you to fail. He will tell you, "Your gift is useless. Your talent is so weak. You're reaching no one. Give up.", but remember: God GAVE it to YOU for a reason. He ENTRUSTED you with it for a reason. Rebuke the deceitful thoughts!

WORDS OF ENCOURAGEMENT

Read the parable of the talents in **Matthew**25. Everyone will not have the **SAME** amount of talents, but if you pay attention, you'll see they receive the **SAME** response,

"Well done, thou good and faithful servant: thou hast been faithful over a few things, I will make thee ruler over many things: enter thou into the joy of thy lord." (**Matthew** 25:21)

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The only servant who **DIDN'T** get the same response was the one **HID** the LORD's talent **BECAUSE** they were **AFRAID**. It's getting personal, isn't it? Please understand your gifts and talents are **NOT** your own. They were given, so **THE I AM** could receive the glory, which is why He gave the servant this response:

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"Thou wicked and slothful servant" (Matthew 25:26). Do not let the spirit of fear stop you. Don't let the size of your talent stop you from honoring God through them. Talents are NOT given, so you can receive recognition, fame, money, or social media attraction. They are for God's glory. Remember: do so HEARITLY as to the LORD, NOT unto men.

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