

The Entitlement Cure:

God's Plan of Success in Doing Hard Things the Right Way

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I. Entitlement - Two Basic Attitudes Combined:

- I am _____ from responsibility
- I am _____ special treatment

"... Do not think of yourself more highly than you ought..."
Romans 12:3 (NIV)

II. God's Solution: _____

Definition: The habit of doing what is best, rather than what is comfortable, to achieve a worthwhile outcome.

"Because the Sovereign Lord helps me, I will not be disgraced. Therefore have I set my face like flint, and I know I will not be put to shame."
Isaiah 50:7 (NIV)

III. Habit #1: _____

"So you also, when you have done everything you were told to do, should say, 'We are unworthy servants; we have only done our duty.'"
Luke 17:10 (NIV)

IV. Habit #2: _____

"Go to the ant, you sluggard; consider its ways and be wise."
Proverbs 6:6 (NIV)

V. Habit #3: _____

Be a person "... who keeps an oath even when it hurts, and does not change their mind."
Psalms 15:4b (NIVUK)

VI. Habit #4: _____

"Just as the Son of Man did not come to be served, but to serve, and to give his life as a ransom for many."
Matthew 20:28 (NIV)

Takeaway: This week, I will choose 2 of the 4 Habits and start living the _____, because that is _____.