

## EMBASSY CHURCH BIBLE STUDY

### “The \_\_\_\_\_ of Work”

Work is \_\_\_ a curse, but a \_\_\_\_\_. God gave Adam work to do in the Garden of Eden. It is the *toil and sweat* of \_\_\_\_\_ that came with the *curse* and \_\_\_\_\_ the work itself... **Gen. 2:15 and 3:17**

Idle people spend their \_\_\_\_\_ interfering with the \_\_\_\_\_ of others.

- “We hear that some among you are idle. They are not busy; they are busybodies” **2 Thessalonians 3:11**
- “But let none of you suffer as a busybody in other men’s matters”  
**1 Peter 4:15**

Believers who are **busy** doing the Father’s business, \_\_\_\_\_ have the time or desire to \_\_\_\_\_ in the affairs of others.

“Mind your own business and work with your hands” **1 Thessalonians 4:11**

There are several reasons why Christians should \_\_\_\_\_:

1. to \_\_\_\_\_ for their own families **1 Timothy 5:8**
2. to \_\_\_\_\_ to those who have need **Ephesians 4:28**
3. “if any would not work, \_\_\_\_\_ should he eat” **2 Thessalonians 3:10**

\_\_\_\_\_ Christians are those who \_\_\_\_\_:

1. *a holy life* by \_\_\_\_\_ from \_\_\_\_\_;
2. *a harmonious life* by \_\_\_\_\_ other \_\_\_\_\_
3. *an honest life* by \_\_\_\_\_ for the Truth, working with their \_\_\_\_\_ and not \_\_\_\_\_ in the affairs of others.

**When \_\_\_\_\_ people see Christ magnified in this kind of a life, they will either \_\_\_\_\_ it with envy or \_\_\_\_\_ to have it for themselves. \_\_\_\_\_ way, God is \_\_\_\_\_.**