



Today's News

Are you a Leader?

We have people in positions of authority today. Some take advantage of this and use their power to keep their employees under subjection and put them down in order to keep from promoting them. Many faithful and productive workers are not recognized for their contribution, and they make their superiors rich, while they remain in a state of poverty.

What are the qualities of a great leader? The first thing is to have the welfare of his subordinates at heart. He or she must look at their employees in an objective manner not using a prejudiced eye as to race, creed or religion. Having swept all this aside, he begins to evaluate each person. He watches their effort and productivity. He notes their ability to relate positively to each other and to their superiors. Punctuality is a necessity. They must be dependable and keep their word. He needs to be a leader that promotes his charges to be groomed as leaders themselves. He needs to set the example, and roll up his sleeves to help when a deadline is eminent.

Praise for his employees when they have done a good job is a must. Many good deeds and hard work are not rewarded by some leaders, because they look on them with a jealous eye, fearing their own position is in jeopardy. Raises should be given without having to beg for them.

In the book of James, 5:4-6 For listen! Hear the cries of the field workers whom you have cheated of their pay. The wages you held back cry out against you. The cries of the reapers have reached the ears of the Almighty.

And again James 5: 5 you have spent your years in luxury satisfying your every whim. Now your hearts are nice and fat, ready for the slaughter. You have condemned and killed good people who had no power to defend themselves against you.

The day of reckoning is coming leaders and CEO's. Follow the example of the Lord you profess to serve, who owned it all and was rich, who became poor so that we might become rich.