

MINISTRY, ADMINISTRY, SPECIALTY, AND DEGREE

Since we will be judged for what we have done, you and I need to be in ministry.

Ministry

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¹²His intention was the perfecting and the full equipping of the saints (His consecrated people), [that they should do] the work of **ministering** toward building up Christ's body (the church), Ephesians 4:12 AMP

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Specialty

¹⁸And they assembled all the congregation together on the first day of the second month, and they declared their **pedigrees** after their families, by the house of their fathers, according to the number of the names, from twenty years old and upward, by their polls. Numbers 1:18 KJV

¹⁸and they called the whole community together on the first day of the second month. The people indicated their ancestry by their clans and families, Numbers 1:18 NIV

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²⁸ Now Jeroboam was a man of standing, and when Solomon saw how well the young man did his **work**, he put him in charge of the whole labor force of the house of Joseph. 1 Kings 11:28

²⁸The man Jeroboam was a mighty man of courage. Solomon, seeing that the young man was **industrious**, put him in charge over all the [forced] labor of the house of Joseph. 1 Kings 11:28 AMP

Degree

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²⁹ Do you see a man skilled in his work?
He will serve before kings;
he will not serve before obscure men. Proverbs 22:29

²⁹Do you see a man diligent and skillful in his business? Proverbs 22:29 AMP

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*¹⁴"Again, it will be like a man going on a journey, who called his servants and entrusted his property to them. ¹⁵To one he gave five talents of money, to another two talents, and to another one talent, each according to his ability. Then he went on his journey. ¹⁶The man who had received the five talents went at once and put his money to work and gained five more...²¹"His master replied, 'Well done, good and faithful servant! You have been faithful with a few things; I will put you in charge of many things. Come and share your master's happiness!' Matthew 25:14-6, 21

*¹²He said: "A man of noble birth went to a distant country to have himself appointed king and then to return. ¹³So he called ten of his servants and gave them ten minas. 'Put this money to work,' he said, 'until I come back.' ..¹⁵"He was made king, however, and returned home. Then he sent for the servants to whom he had given the money, in order to find out what they had gained with it. ¹⁶"The first one came and said, 'Sir, your mina has earned ten more.' ¹⁷" 'Well done, my good servant!' his master replied. 'Because you have been trustworthy in a very small matter, take charge of ten cities.' Luke 19:12-13, 15-17

*The rule is the ancient one: *⁶God "will give to each person according to what he has done"* (Job 34:11, Ps. 62:12, Prov. 24:12, Eccl. 3:17, Jer. 32:19, Eze. 33:20, Matt. 16:27, 2 Cor. 5:10, Rev. 22:12).