

Contentment in Christ: Finding Abundance Beyond the World Promises

True fulfillment comes from a relationship with God, not the world. Worldly possessions and material possessions on earth come from sin, idolatry and temptation.

“Not that I was ever in need, for I have learned how to be content with whatever I have. I know how to live on almost nothing or with everything. I have learned the secret of living in every situation, whether it is with a full stomach or empty, with plenty or little. For I can do everything through Christ, who gives me strength.” Philippians 4:11-13

“Don’t love money; be satisfied with what you have. For God has said, I will never fail you. I will never abandon you.”-Hebrews 13:5

“Yet true godliness with contentment is itself great wealth. After all, we brought nothing with us when we came into the world, and we can’t take anything with us when we leave it. So if we have enough food and clothing, let us be content.”-1 Timothy 6:6-8

I want to say that I'm grateful if they stay at temporary or permanent shelter because consumer confidence is down and inflation has increased by 2.8%. It means working people are going to give homeless people less money on the street. It means it is going to be hard for people that like to hustle people for money in public daily. This is the time people need to be grateful for what we have daily and work harder to achieve our goals and make smart decisions. I mean make the right decisions for ourselves and our households. I do not mean listening to politicians on Capitol Hill and in the States. We need to think about it that most politicians in both parties are upper middle class and wealthy. In Macroeconomics, households control and neighborhoods control this nation, not politicians. I am just like Dr. Martin Luther King Jr. I am not starting to believe in electoral politics because all it does is divide us up. You have the Democrats who like to incite violence and Republicans are no better in politics either. It is like what the rapper named Common from Chicago said in the movie “Barbershop: the Next Cut” that we need to look out for ourselves in our community. I do not mean get involved in gangs and get fed into worldly sin and idolatry.

We need to make a difference in our own communities with our politicians' help to provide change. It is time we need to come together without politicians' help because they always end up being a disappointment to us and find out that they run on false promises on the campaign trail by telling voters they need to hear up to elections. We need to forget about voting in elections and start to focus on ourselves and find a church home to be loyal to God. It is what John F. Kennedy said it is not what this country can do for you, it is what you can do for your country. We need to come together to achieve our own goals and create a community with job opportunities to keep people in our communities out of trouble. In 2025-2026, voting at the polls needs to be less of a priority because political candidates always become disappointed after elections and end up worrying about their self interest. 100% political candidates will not tell voters that in districts and states on the campaign trail. God and his kingdom need to be our number one priority because he is the way. World and politicians are not the way. Do not continue to vote and depend on failure.