

## BIBLE STUDY SERVICE BULLETIN: THE STEWARD AUDIT

The 8-State Artery Initiative | Office of the Bishop

**Series:** Open Hands: Stewardship with Kingdom Vision

**Sermon:** The Gift of Presence: Stewarding Empathy and Attention

**Date:** January 5, 2026

### THE LOGISTICS OF THE TEXT

**Core Objective:** To move from buried talents to ruler jurisdiction.

#### 1. Structural Inspection: 1 Corinthians 4:2

- a. **The Code:** Moreover, it is required in stewards that a man be found faithful.
- b. **The Logic:** Faithfulness is not an emotion because it is a fidelity to the blueprint.
- c. **The Audit:** If someone has nothing going on, a faithful steward must move the assets to a functional site. Staying in a dead zone is a violation of the building code.

#### 2. The Expansion Protocol: Matthew 25:21

- a. **The Code:** *"I will make thee ruler over many things: enter thou into the joy of the Lord."*
- b. **The Logic:** Joy is the production atmosphere. Joy is an optimal environment.

### CALL TO WORSHIP

- **Choir Songs:** Jesus Can Work it Out and God's Grace
- The Minister or Deacon started with prayer to open the service.
- The Worship and Arts Ministry thank members and visitors for attending and worshiping with us.

### THE INDEPENDENT DECREE

Bishop Hobson is an independent spiritual leader and master architect. He does not answer to the political static of failing cities. He answers to the math of the kingdom. We are moving the congregation to Memphis and Houston until retirement. The foundation is being poured. The site is live.

### GIVING

- Members, visitors and individuals can give at the church business cash app at \$ljccbc or the church Givelify on the church website under the giving link.

### BENEDICTION

Perimeter blessing, final charge and sovereign independence

Sealing the perimeter for the week on sovereignty