

Getting Control of Your Life!

“Like a city whose walls are broken down is a man who lacks self-control.” *Proverbs 25:28*

“Getting Control of Your Schedule”

Session Two - 7/8/04 Proverbs 25:28

Exasperation...stress...underachievement...burn-out...workaholism...

These are but a few of the epidemics spawned by schedules out of control. A malady easy to spot when it breeds in “the other guy,” uncontrolled schedule can root and blossom in your life before you know it. It makes perfect sense to keep your calendar under scrutiny and avoid any of the effects of a life gone wild. If your time is your most valuable asset, it makes the task of managing it your most pressing priority!

A. Who is Out of Control?

People who:

- _____
- _____
- _____
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B. Principles for Getting Control

1. Your schedule is your _____; how you invest it is your greatest decision.

- Your time should be _____, not _____.

Proverbs 10:26

- Your investment decisions warrant _____.

Proverbs 15:22

- Your investment capital will increase _____.

Proverbs 9:10-11

- Your payoff is assured if you _____.

Proverbs 14:4

2. Your time management is _____; nothing deserves more careful attention.

- Deliberate consideration should _____.

Proverbs 14:8

- Sincerity is no _____.

Proverbs 14:15

- Self-assurance is no _____.

Proverbs 14:12

3. Your control of your schedule _____; flexibility must be built into your planning.

- The future is outside _____.

Proverbs 27:1

- Someone else controls the _____.

Proverbs 16:9

- God alone is the final determiner of _____.

Proverbs 19:21

- Wisdom suggests submission to the _____.

Proverbs 16:3

C. How do you know you are in control?

- You plan your investments _____.
- You balance your work _____.
- You protect your opportunities for _____.
- You welcome your _____.