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“I Am Not Called to Full-Time Ministry”

Ephesians 4:1-3, 7, 11-16

Notes:

Ephesians 4:1-3

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**Calling is a _____
Issue, not a Life Placement Issue**

Ephesians 4:1-3

Note:

Following Christ is for everyone of us, everywhere, everyday.

Luke 14:25-27

Notes:

“The Christ-filled life is a self-emptied life.” —Adrian Rogers

My Heart—Christ’s Home by Robert Boyd Munger [download pdf](#)

**Calling Includes an Understanding of
Our Individual _____
for God’s Eternal Glory**

Ephesians 4:7

Notes:

“Grace is a single-word definition of the gospel, the good news of God’s offering salvation to sinful and unworthy mankind. God is the God of grace because He is a God who freely gives; His giving has nothing to do with anything we have done, but is unmerited, unearned and undeserved.”

—John MacArthur

Notes:

Colossians 3:1-3

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Colossians 3:23-24

Calling is not just for a few religious professionals; it is for you.

Notes:

“The *priesthood of all believers* did not make everyone into the church workers; rather, it turned every kind of work into a sacred calling.” —Gene E. Veith

3 Essential Questions About Your “Calling”:

1. Where has God placed you today?
2. What has God gifted you to do?
3. Who are you positioned to serve?

Notes:

Calling Honors Spiritual Gifts for Ministry Through _____ of God’s People and Specific Giftings for _____ in God’s Church

Ephesians 4:11-16

Notes:

The role/office of “Pastor” involves **oversight**/leadership. “Teacher” has to do with **insight** —instruction and equipping.

Notes:

Acts 2:47

You can't have a "part time" faith for a "full time" life, so don't buy into the deception that you aren't called to "full time" ministry.



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