



don't judge each day by the harvest you reap, but by the seeds you plant

A time to sow

The kingdom of God is "It is like a mustard seed, which, when sown upon the soil, though it is smaller than all the seeds that are upon the soil, yet when it is sown, it grows up and becomes larger than all the garden plants and forms large branches; so that THE BIRDS OF THE AIR can NEST UNDER ITS SHADE."
Mark 4:31,32

Jesus mentions soil and seed in stories to explain how spiritually we grow and reproduce. Apostle Paul tells all to follow him as he follows Christ. Paul grows spiritually and desires others to grow also. The condition of the soil is vital to the growth of the plant. The seed must die in that soil, but a new plant grows from that seed pulling in vital nutrients from the soil and one day bears fruit and produces more seed. We are commanded to bear good fruit.

We must become fruit bearers and seed planters. The Bible says that the Harvest is great which means that the soil of many are ready for seed. The Bible then says that the workers are few so pray for the workers of the harvest. The Good Lord needs workers to go into the harvest.

Your gracious giving is a vital part of this important plan. It allows us to have "meat in the house" - the Word of God must be taught (meat to our appetites) so that we can learn and apply the truths of God's Holy Word. Children, Teens, and Adults must be taught God's precious Word. Then and only then can we bear good fruit and be gracious sowers to others around us.

"Let us arise and build." So they put their hands to the good work."

Nehemiah 2:18

A time for good work.

Thank you and be blessed,

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