

BIBLICAL PRIORITIES

Relationship with God
Husband-Wife
Dependent Children
Service to God (Ministry)Work
Adult Children (except when in crisis)/Extended Family/Friends

When one of the lower priority areas is negatively impacting a higher priority area, something is out of order.

Examples: Ministry is negatively impacting my relationship with God or my spouse or my children. Extended family situation is negatively impacting relationship with my or children spouse.

Priorities Questions

Take time to sit down and answer these questions.

- Do you believe this is how God wants you to order your life?
- How do you actually live out this order?
- At what times in your married life have you lived in a state of Godly priorities?
- What happens on a weekly basis that gets first place, second place, etc?
- Do you have a substitute favourite activity that replaces time with God? What is it?
- Does the practical everyday schedule of your life and work interfere with maintaining a godly priority structure? Why or how?
- Is there a need to adjust or change? What do you need to do differently?
- What is the most significant factor that enables you or interferes with keeping your daily life in order of priorities?

In bullet format, write down the flow of order you envision for an ideal day when it is directed by Godly priorities.