God Will Reward Your Faithfulness

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God rewards you with more (Luke 16:10-12)

- More truth
- More responsibility (cp. II Tim.2:2)

II. When you are faithful in abiding in Christ,
God rewards you with a life of fruitfulness (John 15:5)

III. When you are faithful in giving,
God rewards you with increased wealth (Luke 6:38; II Cor. 9:6)

IV. When you are faithful in prayer,
God rewards you with good answers (Luke 11:5-13)

V. When you are faithful in your domestic responsibilities,
God rewards you with family blessings

- example: The Godly wife & mother (Prov.31:28; I Peter 3:1-f)
- example: The Godly child (Eph. 6:2)
- example: Godly child training (Prov.22:6)

VI. When you are faithful in the Lord's Work now,
God will reward you when He returns in the future (Rev.22:12)

A. With His words: *"Well done"* (Mt.25:21a)
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C. With His crowns:
   1. For faithfulness through tribulation: *"The crown of life"* (Rev.2:10; Ja. 1:12)
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(I Peter 5:4)

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Most men will proclaim every one his own goodness: but a faithful man who can find?

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2 Tim. 2:2
And the things that thou hast heard of me among many witnesses, the same commit thou to faithful men, who shall be able to teach others also.

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Luke 6:38
Give, and it shall be given unto you; good measure, pressed down, and shaken together, and running over, shall men give into your bosom. For with the same measure that ye mete withal it shall be measured to you again.

2 Cor. 9:6

But this *I say,* He which soweth sparingly shall reap also sparingly; and he which soweth bountifully shall reap also bountifully.

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