

Living an Excellent Life  
Testing Our Reality  
Galatians 6:7-10

When we were young and going through school, most of us hated tests and frankly I never saw the validity of them until much later in life. Tests demonstrate what you've learned. Until we are tested, we really don't know what we know – and what we don't know. Tests are opportunities to prove our maturity and our potential.

Are you going through a test? Here are some life test truths:

1. We will experience \_\_\_\_\_ at each stage of life.
2. If I don't pass the \_\_\_\_\_, I have to take it again.
3. \_\_\_\_\_ always precedes promotion.
4. I can't be used until I am \_\_\_\_\_.
5. Self-promotion can never replace God's promotion.  
God's not a hard-hearted parent who enjoys seeing His children struggle through life-tests. If God would speak today, He'd probably say, "I don't enjoy making you go through this, but it is the only way to prove you are ready for the blessings and abundance that's ahead."
6. Life tests that catapults us to abundant life.

I. The test of \_\_\_\_\_ things. (Luke 16:10)

1. If we are faithful in little, we will be given \_\_\_\_\_.

II. The \_\_\_\_\_ test. (Matthew 6:5)

- A. Are we doing the right things for the right \_\_\_\_\_?

III. The \_\_\_\_\_ test. (Luke 6:30)

- A. Am I actually living the \_\_\_\_\_ of the harvest?

IV. The \_\_\_\_\_ test. (Deuteronomy 8:15-16)

- A. Do I maintain my spiritual disciplines even when my joy level is low and I am \_\_\_\_\_ dry?

V. The \_\_\_\_\_ test. (Genesis 19:14)

- A. Do I have confidence before God and \_\_\_\_\_ before people?

VI. The \_\_\_\_\_ test. (I Samuel 26:9)

- A. Do I submit to those in authority over me even when they get on my \_\_\_\_\_?

Conclusion

1. Regardless of what everybody else does, \_\_\_\_\_ God's script for your life.
2. Testing makes us \_\_\_\_\_ for the abundant life.
3. Humble yourselves in God's site and in the right time you'll be \_\_\_\_\_ to greater heights.