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Pastor Tim Wood – Great Benedictions: Receiving the blessing of God

Hebrews Benediction: God is a great provider
Hebrews 13:20-21

“May the God of peace, who through the blood of the eternal covenant brought back from the dead our Lord Jesus, that great Shepherd of the sheep, equip you with everything good for doing his will, and may he work in us what is pleasing to him, through Jesus Christ, to whom be glory for ever and ever. AMEN.”

Receiving God’s provision

1. I have a God _____.
2. I have a risen _____.
3. I have an _____.
4. I have a God who _____.
5. I have a God who _____.

Saying it another way:

God, who has provided everything for our salvation through Jesus Christ, will also provide through Him all that I need to live for His glory.

Small Group Study: Discovering Your S.H.A.P.E.

Heart: The special passions God has given you so that you can glorify him on earth.

Memory Verse: Colossians 3:23

“Whatever you do, work at it with all your heart, as working for the Lord, not for men.”

Special Bible Reading Meditation: Matthew 6:19-24

Daily Meditation Reading:

Day 1: Matthew 6:1-8

Day 2: Matthew 6:9-18

Day 3: Matthew 6:19-24

Day 4: Matthew 6:25-34

Day 5: Colossians 3:23-24

1. What does **Matthew 6** teach you about what you treasure and your heart?
2. What drives your life most? Where is your treasure and your heart?
3. Who or what type or which group of people has God given you a special place in your heart?
4. What are the needs you love to meet in another person’s life?
5. What would be your dream on how God wants to use your life for His Kingdom purposes?

The link below is a free link to take a spiritual gifts analysis test. This may help you as you go through the process to discover your S.H.A.P.E.

<http://www.churchgrowth.org/analysis/intro.php>