

# 15 Leakproof Laws Of Life

## The Law Of Success

*Josh 1:8*

*8 This book of the law shall not depart out of thy mouth; but thou shalt meditate therein day and night, that thou mayest observe to do according to all that is written therein: for then thou shalt make thy way prosperous, and then thou shalt have good success. KJV*

Just how do you define success?

For some success means profitability, promotion and popularity.

For others, success means to reach stated goals and accomplishments.

### **Success in God's eyes is simply obeying biblical principles.**

Success, biblically, is simply doing the best you can do to live a disciplined biblical life.

According to Joshua 1:8, blessings and favor accompany the person whom the bible then describes as successful.

According to Joshua 1:8, we become prosperous and successful by simply doing all that is in the book.

The word "prosper" in the KJV is translated "successful" in the NCV.

*1 Kings 2:3-4*

*Obey the Lord your God. Follow him by obeying his demands, his commands, his laws, and his rules that are written in the teachings of Moses. If you do these things, you will be successful in all you do and wherever you go. NCV*

For the world, success is defined as "getting what you think you want."

*Prov 27:20*

*20 Hell and destruction are never full; so the eyes of man are never satisfied. KJV*

Greed is an intense desire for something that feeds your selfishness.

*Prov 30:15-16*

*15 "Greed has two daughters named 'Give' and 'Give.' There are three things that are never satisfied, really four that never say, 'I've had enough!': 16 the cemetery, the childless mother, the land that never gets enough rain, and fire that never says, 'I've had enough!' NCV*

When pursuing wealth, when is enough ever enough?

*Hab 2:5*

*5 Wealth is deceitful. Greedy men are proud and restless — like death itself they are never satisfied. That is why they conquer nation after nation for themselves. TEV*

God loves us for who we are, not for what we do!

Don't pursue success as the measuring stick of your worth.

**Being faithful, not successful, is what is important to God.**

God doesn't reward us on the basis of our results.

God rewards us on the basis of our faithfulness.

You are not responsible for the results.

Leave the results to God.

There are some fields of labor that produce 100 fold, some 60 fold and others 30 fold.

*Matt 13:23*

*But he that received seed into the good ground is he that heareth the word, and understandeth it; which also beareth fruit, and bringeth forth, some an hundredfold, some sixty, some thirty. KJV*

**Success in God's eyes is simply serving others.**

Serving, not success, is the path to the top of God's ladder.

*Mark 10:45*

*45 For even the Son of Man came not to be served but to serve others and to give his life as a ransom for many." NLT*

Jesus made it clear to the disciples that their highest purpose in life was to serve others.

*Mark 10:42-44*

*42 So Jesus called them together and said, "You know that the rulers in this world lord it over their people, and officials flaunt their authority over those under them. 43 But among you it will be different. Whoever wants to be a leader among you must be your servant, 44 and whoever wants to be first among you must be the slave of everyone else. NLT*

For the Christian, when opportunity presents itself, we should try to help and serve others.

Paul made it clear our duty to one another is to serve.

*Phil 2:3-4*

*3 Don't be selfish; don't try to impress others. Be humble, thinking of others as better than yourselves. 4 Don't look out only for your own interests, but take an interest in others, too. NLT*

Make it your life's quest to follow God's word.

Decide to serve instead of looking to be served.

Both pursuits will make you successful in the eyes of God.

*Matt 25:21*

*21 His lord said unto him, Well done, thou good and faithful servant: thou hast been faithful over a few things, I will make thee ruler over many things: enter thou into the joy of thy lord. KJV*