

***Stop Making Excuses –
Get Rid of Those Spiritual Love Handles***

Proverbs 24:30-34

I'm Too Out of Shape - Laziness

The vineyard of this fellow is equivalent to his _____

_____.

1. People will look at our lives and _____ us.
Proverbs 24:30

We can easily _____ ourselves.
Galatians 6:3
James 1:26

Everyone will have a _____ with others.
1 Thessalonians 4:11-12
Colossians 4:5

2. The Proverbs fellow is characterized by _____ things.
Proverbs 24:31

His life's vineyard was full of _____.
_____ = troubles, hurts and cares that
_____ our spiritual life.
Mark 4:7
Ezekiel 28:24

His life will be full of _____.
_____ = a fake or look alike _____.
Matthew 13:24-30
Matthew 13:37-39

The _____ of his life is broken down.
A stone wall keeps _____ things in and
_____ things out.
Proverbs 4:23
Philippians 4:6-7

He had no _____ - _____ in his life.
Proverbs 25:28
1 Peter 5:8

3. If you want to live _____, you must not become _____ in your spiritual life.
Spiritual poverty like monetary poverty is _____ for the lazy.
Proverbs 24:32-34

Spiritual poverty is a _____ that _____ everything of value.
Proverbs 10:4
Proverbs 12:24

Spiritual _____ is equal to being _____.
Proverbs 6:9-11
Matthew 13:18-19

Application

Keep the vineyard of your soul producing _____ through _____ work.
1 Timothy 4:15-16

If the _____ of self-control has been broken down, _____ it by doing the following:
Stop _____ that everything is good.
James 5:16

Seek God's _____ for becoming lazy.
1 John 1:9

Develop a _____ for rebuilding the wall and _____ the thorns and weeds of sin in your life.
Proverbs 14:22
Proverbs 14:22-23

Get _____ from God and godly people.
Psalm 1:1

Homework –

- Ask some godly person to help you _____ your walk with God. "I will ask _____ this week."
- Present your Weekly Activity Log and your Time Assessment Worksheet to your accountability partner.
- Make a list of personal areas of _____ that need to be _____.