

# Diligent



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### Definition

**Diligent**- hardworking, keeping to a task and completing/finishing it, persevering

*Opposite:* Lazy, not doing work completely or thoroughly

### Bible Memory:

**Colossians 3:23**

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

### Related Bible Verses:

**Proverbs 22:29** *Do you see a man skilled in his work? He will serve before kings. He will not serve before obscure men.*

**Proverbs 6:6-8** *Go to the ant, you sluggard. Consider its ways and be wise! It has no commander, no overseer or ruler, yet it stores its provisions in summer and gathers its food at harvest.*

**Romans 12:12** *Be joyful in hope, patient in affliction, faithful in prayer*

**Colossians 3:23-24** *Whatever you do, work at it with all your heart, as working for the Lord, not for men since you know that you will receive an inheritance from the Lord as a reward. It is the Lord Christ you are serving*

**2 Thessalonians 3:13** *And as for you, brothers, never tire of doing what is right.*

**Galatians 6:9** *Let us not become weary in doing good, for at the proper time we will reap a harvest if we do not give up.*

**Ephesians 6:5-8** *Slaves, obey your earthly masters with respect and fear, and with sincerity of heart, just as you would obey Christ. Obey them not only to win their favor when their eye is on you, but like slaves of Christ, doing the will of God from your heart. Serve wholeheartedly, as if you were serving the Lord, not men, because you know that the Lord will reward everyone for whatever good he does, whether he is slave or free.*

### Bible Stories:

Jacob (Genesis 29)

Joseph (Genesis 39)

Daniel (Daniel 6)

Parable of the Talents (Matthew 25:14-30)

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*(Tune: If You're Happy and You Know It)*

*(By M. Hubbard)*

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