

The Christian and Work

Rate the following statements on a scale of one to five according to whether or not you agree with them. Five is high (strongly agree), three is neutral, and one is low (strongly disagree)

___ a. The most important thing is for the worker to keep his job at all costs, even if he has to do things that are against his conscience.

___ b. If a worker is paid for 40 hours a week, but he can accomplish the same work in 30, he has an obligation to inform his employer that he is being paid for 10 hours during which he does not really work.

___ c. If a worker sees a fellow worker not doing his work, it is her responsibility to report this to the supervisor.

___ d. There is nothing wrong with taking paper, pens, and other small items from work for use at home.

___ e. There is nothing wrong with trying to please the boss in order to get a promotion.

___ f. All persons have an obligation to use their talents to the fullest extent.

___ g. Workers have the right to strike.

___ h. Workers should belong to unions.

___ i. There is nothing wrong with taking extra time for lunch or leaving work early if the assigned work is completed.

___ j. Workers on one shift should accomplish as much as those on any other shift.

What do we mean by the statement "an honest day's work for an honest day's pay"?

Does the Christian have any obligations to his fellow workers in regard to the way in which he does his work?