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DON'T BUY THE LIES. Discuss phrases like making time, saving time, or quality time and how we use these phrases to convince ourselves that we will someday have more time. Are there other "lies" we tell ourselves when it comes to how we invest our time?

WORTH. Discuss the statement, "We determine what our time is worth by whom and what we give it to." When we carefully examine our time, are there things that we invest our time in that lack worth? What are some of those things?

TAKE BACK POWER OVER YOUR TIME. In Ephesians 5:16 NKJV, God tells us to redeem the time (*Redeem: to pay a price to recover from the power of another*) because the days are evil. Who or what fights for power over our time? Discuss the simple power of the words yes and no when it comes to recovering power over our time and the price we will pay when we use them.

TAKE TIME FROM WHAT MATTERS LEAST. Read 2 Timothy 3:1-4, discuss how people living in these dangerous last days invest their time out of a love for self, money, and pleasure. In light of this perspective whom or what should we take time from in order to obey Ephesians 5:15-17. (Remember its not as simple as what we spend our time doing but rather whom or what has power over our time.)

TAKE TIME FOR WHAT MATTERS MOST. Read Luke 10:27, discuss how people living life as Jesus commanded will invest their time out of love for God, others, then self. In light of this perspective whom or what should we take time for as a result of the truths found in Ephesians 5:15-17. (Remember its not as simple as what we spend our time doing but rather whom or what has power over our time.)

LIVE LIKE YOU'RE RUNNING OUT OF TIME. James 4:14

DON'T BUY THE _____.
Ephesians 5:15

TAKE BACK _____ OVER YOUR TIME.
Ephesians 5:16

DECIDE WHAT MATTERS _____.
Ephesians 5:17

Learn to take time _____ what matters _____.

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