

Bezalel, Oholiab, and the Sabbath - Exodus 31:1-18

Topics: Administration, Craftsmanship, Holiness, Rest, Traditions

Open It

1. What is the worst thing about getting ignored for hard work?
2. What are the reasons people get promoted?
- * 3. What do you do on Sundays?

Explore It

4. Whom did God choose to be the chief builder of the tabernacle? (31:1-2)
5. How is Bezalel described as a person? (31:3)
6. What jobs was Bezalel to perform? (31:4-5)
7. Who was appointed to help Bezalel? (31:6)
8. What were the craftsmen supposed to make? (31:7-11)
- * 9. What did the Lord tell Moses to observe? (31:12-13)
- * 10. Why were the Israelites to observe the Sabbath? (31:14)
11. What happened to people who worked on the Sabbath? (31:15)
- * 12. How was the Sabbath a sign between God and the Israelites? (31:16-17)
13. What were the tablets given to Moses from the Lord? (31:18)

Get It

- * 14. What are signs of people being addicted to work?
15. How can you tell when someone is addicted to working too much?
16. How does rest provide us with new ways to grow as Christians?
17. What is the tension between working too much and resting too little?
18. How important is it to honor God on the Sabbath?
- * 19. How do you balance your life between work and rest?
20. Why is it important to include others in building God's kingdom?
21. What happens to people who try to take on too many responsibilities?
22. What difference does it make that God told His people to rest?

Apply It

23. How can you honor God this week by resting or taking a break from work?
- * 24. What do you need to do today to develop a proper balance between work and rest?