Performance Review

MATTHEW 25:14-30

"His master said to him, 'Well done, good and faithful servant. You have been faithful over a little; I will set you over much. Enter into the joy of your master.'" (Matthew 25:21, ESV)

Review the Sermon
Read Mt. 25:14-30.
What are the underlying motivations of each servant?
What can be learned from the repeated commendation given to the first two servants?
What do the large amounts of wealth entrusted to each servant suggest?
Assess your Life
What would you say are some of your strengths, abilities, and passions? What would others who know you well identify as your abilities?
How have you invested your time, talents, and treasures for God's kingdom? Have you noticed any results from your investment?
What challenges hold you back from serving God out of pure joy?

Apply the Truth
How can you maintain a motivation of joy in serving Christ?
What steps can you take to confront and resolve any bitterness you feel toward God due to past trauma or suffering?
How can you effectively put your abilities and passions to good use for God's glory in your present circumstances?
Commit this Week
Will you commit this week to assessing the measure of abilities and opportunities God has entrusted to you, and investing them in service to Jesus Christ?

"For to everyone who has will more be given, and he will have an abundance. But from the one who has not, even what he has will be taken away." (Matthew 25:29, ESV)