

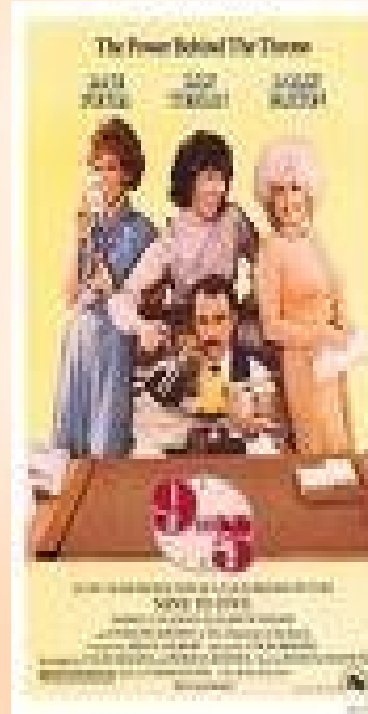


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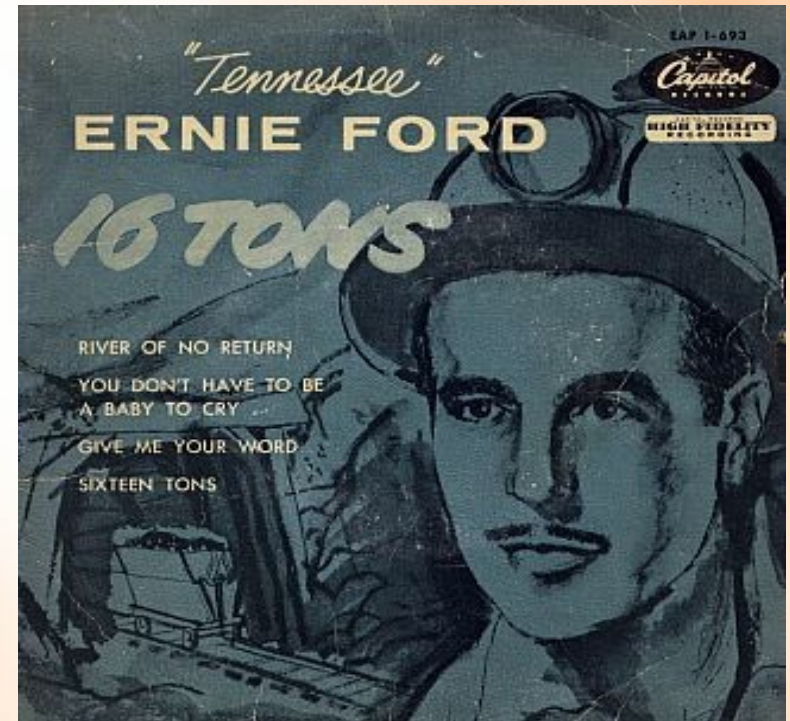


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**SCRIPTURE: COLOSSIANS 3:22 - 4:1**



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## I.) SUCCESS AS A WORKER:

### A.) Obedience

**1Timothy 6:1-2** *All who are under the yoke as slaves must regard their own masters to be worthy of all respect, so that God's name and His teaching will not be blasphemed. And those who have believing masters should not be disrespectful to them because they are brothers, but should serve them better, since those who benefit from their service are believers and dearly loved. Teach and encourage these things.*



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## I.) SUCCESS AS A WORKER:

### A.) Obedience

**1Peter 2:17-18** *Honor everyone. Love the brotherhood. Fear God. Honor the Emperor. Household slaves, submit yourselves to your masters with all respect, not only to the good and gentle but also to the cruel.*



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## I.) SUCCESS AS A WORKER:

### B.) Diligence

at the proper time

to the proper tasks



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## I.) SUCCESS AS A WORKER:

### C.) Representation

***Titus 2:9-14*** *Slaves are to be submissive to their masters in everything, and to be well-pleasing, not talking back or stealing, but demonstrating utter faithfulness, so that they may adorn the teaching of God our Savior in everything. For the grace of God has appeared, with salvation for all people, instructing us to deny godlessness and worldly lusts and to live in a sensible, righteous, and godly way in the present age, while we wait for the blessed hope and the appearing of the glory of our great God and Savior, Jesus Christ. He gave Himself for us to redeem us from all lawlessness and to cleanse for Himself a special people, eager to do good works.*



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## I.) SUCCESS AS A WORKER:

### C.) Representation

- 1.) God's Awesomeness
- 2.) Jesus' Passionate Heart
- 3.) Christ's Reward



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## II.) SUCCESS AS A BOSS:

### A.) Just Provision

1.) Equip

2.) Compensate

Luke 10:7b

*“... for the worker is worthy of his wages. . .”*

3.) Appreciate



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## II.) SUCCESS AS A BOSS:

### B.) Godly Purpose



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## EVERYONE'S 'BOTTOM LINE':

### FAITHFULNESS!

In the 2<sup>nd</sup> Century Justin, known later as 'The Martyr,' wrote:

*“Our Lord urged us by patience and meekness to lead all from shame and the lusts of evil, and this we have to show in the case of many who have come in contact with us, who were overcome and changed from violent and tyrannical characters, either from having watched the constancy of their Christian neighbors, or from having observed the wonderful patience of Christian travelers when overcharged, or from doing business with Christians.”*