CROSS-CHECKING

What's Your Account Balance? (Does It Even Matter?)

As you read the following passages, make notes on everything you learn about how we should treat those in need.

Exodus 23:9

Psalm 82:1-4

Micah 6:8

Matthew 5:7

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Luke 6:31-36

Romans 13:7-8

TAKING IT INWARD

Share the Wealth!

Check the areas where you're rich. How can you use your riches to help others?

- ☐ intelligence
- ☐ friendships
- ☐ common sense
- ☐ self-motivation
- ☐ vision
- ☐ enthusiasm
- ☐ problem solving
- ☐ decisiveness
- ☐ planning
- ☐ personality
- ☐ organization
- ☐ physical skill
- ☐ other _____

As you hear these verses read out loud, write down the instructions they contain.

Philippians 4:four to six

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Hebrews 10:23-25

Hebrews 10:34-37

As your leader reads each of the following questions, rate yourself on the scale below the question.

1. How well does the way you act toward others reflect the fact that Jesus could return any minute?

1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10
I'm embarrassed <									> I'm acting as a believer should

2. How well does the way you're handling life reflect the fact that Jesus could return any minute?

1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10
I'm embarrassed <									> I'm acting as a believer should

3. How well does your relationship with God reflect the fact that Jesus could return any minute?

1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10
I'm embarrassed <									> I'm acting as a believer should

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