



## DON'T BE COMPLACENT...

In life, sometimes a stage comes when you feel that everything is going well and nothing much is happening in life. Things are moving as it is. Very cozy, lazy life. We become very complacent with our life, starts taking it for granted that things will be the same forever.

Suddenly, there is a tremor in life and we get disturbed. Things starts wobbling and become difficult to handle....nothing happens as per our wish. We comeback to LORD and say why me? Everything was going well at its pace. Why is there a change in plan?

There exists a big reason behind which we get to know from the scriptures.

### Proverbs 13:4

**The soul of the sluggard craves and gets nothing, while the soul of the diligent is richly supplied.**

Our LORD, does not want us, to be lazy. HE likes children who is active, bubbly, energetic, lively, enthusiastic, positive, charismatic etc., because HE himself is like that. HE says that, only people who possess the above qualities, will be given more.

HE has given HIS only begotten loving Son, for us and provided us with everything to enjoy. Since HE has given HIS most precious possession to us, HE would expect us to do good work, to be generous, caring, loving. Isn't it true, that, HIS expectation is too miniscule in comparison to the price HE has paid?

Worldly troubles/problems would encounter us to shake our lazy lives but HE will pull us through it so that we can move a step forward to be the foundation in HIS work. It's like, if you do not have exams, how will you know that, you are capable enough, to take the next higher level.

Problems are for solving and learning, not to brood over. The faster you solve, the earlier you are, at peace. The more time you take to brood over, the longer it will linger.

So, move on...don't stop.

Have belief and confidence in the promise HE has given in

**Corinthians 4:13**

**I can do all this through Christ who strengthens me.**

With HIS strength backing up, you can achieve greater heights and promotions, associated with, increased perks/ benefits / dividends etc. depending on the level of promotion.

So, whenever you feel lazy and sluggish, tell LORD..." LORD, you have made me with a purpose, I am ready for it, use me for your mighty work".

Try ways and means to help others who are needy, visit an old age home or a school for special needs. All good work will score points in your Kingdom's register.

**BE ALIVE AND BE ENERGETIC.**

Shalom!

**Sr. Elizabeth Joseph Chengannur 008**