



## Elite Life

Part 7: Field Life

Small Group Leader Guide

Warm Up:

1. What was your first “real” job?
2. Who is the hardest-working person you know?
3. We talked about the three workers. In your current occupation, does it feel more like moving rocks, making money, or building a cathedral?

Digging In:

4. We talked about four reasons why we should work – can you recall any of them? These scriptures can help: Prov. 6:6, Ex. 20:9, Gen. 2:15, Gen. 2:3 [We need to \(to eat\), God told us to, We’re made for it, God works](#)
5. How might Satan lie to us concerning work? [Several options here. The main ones might be, “Work is too hard, find a shortcut.” “You shouldn’t have to work this hard, let somebody else do it.” “This is punishment, God is mad at you.”](#)
6. There was talk of a manager being excited to hire a Christian. What would make that true where you work? [Various answers here; the question is basically, “what is the ideal worker?” Any examples where you’ve seen Christians either better or worse than others around them?](#)
7. Is it possible for the Holy Spirit to help us perform better at work? What is step #1 for that to begin happening with you? [Various answers here; first might be to begin asking for His help.](#)
8. In Ephesians 4:28, we read about a thief being transformed into a giver through working. What are the steps that had to happen for this to occur? [Had to have some help to cover needs while he began working; learned his craft; excelled in his craft; made money; saved money; gave money away to someone else.](#)

Wrapping up

9. We talked about how more changes come through relationship than through changed thinking, leading to changed choices. Do you agree with this?
10. What are some ways that your work can be a tool God uses to help others?  
[Interactions, observing us during stressful times.](#)