

Life is 10% what happens to you and 90% how you deal with it.



Attitude:

a settled way of thinking or feeling about someone or something, typically one that is reflected in a person's behavior.



Attitudes are patterns of thinking that develop over time and manifest themselves in our behavior.



2 Timothy 3:1-4

But realize this, that in the last days difficult times will come. For men will be lovers of self, lovers of money, boastful, arrogant, revilers, disobedient to parents, ungrateful, unholy, unloving, irreconcilable, malicious gossips, without selfcontrol, brutal, haters of good, treacherous, reckless, conceited, lovers of pleasure rather than lovers of God.



Romans 1:21 For even though they knew God, they did not honor Him as God or give thanks (ungrateful), but they became futile in their speculations, and their foolish heart was darkened.



Bad attitude = Wrong behavior



Numbers 11:1 Now the people became like those who complain of adversity in the hearing of the Lord; and when the Lord heard it,



Numbers 11:1 His anger was kindled, and the fire of the Lord burned among them and consumed some of the outskirts of the camp.



1. Attitudes matter to God



2. We choose our attitudes



Philippians 4:11 Not that I speak from want, for I have learned to be content in whatever circumstances I am.



3. Other people and circumstances don't cause your attitude



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4. God rewards a good attitude and disciplines a bad attitude



James 4:6 "God is opposed to the proud, but gives grace to the humble."



5. Attitudes are predictive of success or failure



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Attitude:

the orientation of an aircraft relative to the direction of travel.



Attitude Busters



Attitude Busters a. Unrealistic Expectations



Attitude Busters a. Unrealistic Expectations b. Comparison



Attitude Busters a. Unrealistic Expectations b. Comparison c. Entitlement



Attitude Busters a. Unrealistic Expectations b. Comparison c. Entitlement d. Negativity (critical)



Philippians 4:12-13 I know how to get along with humble means, and I also know how to live in prosperity; in any and every circumstance I have learned the secret of being filled and going hungry, both of having abundance and suffering need. can do all things through Him who strengthens me.

