

because you are kind of figuring whether he is coming this day or the the next day. I heard back in 1922 there was a man who was to speak in a Bible Conference and he made this statement, ~~and~~ there was a certain man who was to speak in 2:00 and he was to speak at four and he said this other man who was to give this message, he ~~said~~ said the Lord's coming is right between his and mine so I don't need to prepare. Well, he was a great Bible student, but he certainly was way off the track on that, because a dozen times the Lord says here You know neither the day nor the hour when the Son of Man cometh. He wants us always to be ready so that when he comes he will find us serving Him or preparing to make our lives count for the utmost for him. What is our responsibility to ourselves. It is a responsibility to so live that we can continue to serve Him if He comes. You have probably heard that little poem, my candle burns at both its ends, it will not last the night, but oh, my foes, and oh, my friends, it makes a lovely light, and that's the general attitude of the world today, and there are crises that for a time the Christian may take that attitude, let's disregard everything in order to accomplish the utmost in a particular crisis, but ordinarily the Lord wants us to remember that our bodies are the temple of the Holy Spirit and Paul says if anyone destroy the temple of the Holy Spirit Him will God destroy, we have a responsibility for our body, we have a responsibility to keep it clean, we have a responsibility to keep it as well as we can, to make it last, not simply to last so that it will have a continued existence, but last so that it will be an effective instrument for the service of the Lord, and who can get on with five or six hours of sleep day after day, year after year, we are built differently, but most