

A close-up photograph of a white lily flower in bloom, with its petals and stamens clearly visible. In the background, a white cross is softly blurred, creating a sense of depth and symbolism. The overall lighting is bright and clean, emphasizing the purity of the flower and the cross.

Investing in the Future



Follow our Lord Jesus Christ in such a way
that people will be eager to invest in your life.

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Be on the lookout for those in whom God wants you to invest.

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Be willing to go the extra mile in order to most effectively serve our Lord.

- ³ Paul wanted Timothy to accompany him, and he took him and circumcised him because of the Jews who were in those places, for they all knew that his father was a Greek.
Acts 16:3 (ESV)



The most effective way to invest in a life is to mentor by modeling faithful service to our Lord.

- ⁴ As they went on their way through the cities, they delivered to them for observance the decisions that had been reached by the apostles and elders who were in Jerusalem. ⁵ So the churches were strengthened in the faith, and they increased in numbers daily.
Acts 16:4-5 (ESV)