

Martha's Problem

Martha felt like everything had to be _____, down to the smallest detail.

Mary believed the preparations were done before the guests arrived. So, when Jesus arrived, her job was to enjoy his

_____.

Luke 10:41-42

1. Tease out the best part

"Teasing out" is a common phrase used to explain the tedious work of _____ out things.

Martha wasn't evil, she was just _____. She thought she was doing the right thing, and her sister wasn't.

Martha misunderstood what the _____ thing was: Jesus' presence!

Are you making _____ that are God's will for you, bringing you closer to him?

2. Have good timing

Jesus wasn't saying we should live in fear of the end, but we should live in the _____ and value every moment we have.

Ecclesiastes 3:1-2

The writer was not talking about fate but _____ - that there is an appropriate moment for everything.

"chronos"- _____ time

"kairos" - _____ time.

Mary got it... she knew what _____ it was!

Martha didn't get it... she didn't know what _____ it was!

Are you aware of what time it is when that special, God-moment comes for you, when you sense _____ is knocking on your door?

3. Actually do it

When we stop talking and thinking about what the best is and if we're in that moment right then, and DROP whatever we're doing and _____ the best.

Luke 10:42

Jesus didn't take anything away from Martha; he just pointed out what she was _____!

What Jesus did say was HER CHOICE was taking away something great, something Godly from her... Martha's problem was _____ to miss Jesus' presence.

- Make sure you are a _____.
- Tease out the most _____ thing you need.
- Recognize the special _____ in you life.
- When you know what God wants, _____!