

CONTENTMENT

Contentment is a temperament we all should have. God wants us to be content. There are many points we can draw from these two verses. I highlight three of them:

- 1) Contentment is knowing God watches over you and provides your needs. We are often concerned about gaining more things in life. Wealth does not bring us security or peace. Greed enters when we keep desiring more. Instead, we should have peace and contentment with what we have.*
- 2) It is a tremendous gain. Satisfying our basic needs and living a holy life results in spiritual gain. The gain is living in peace with God and feeling abundance in life.*
- 3) Remind us that life on earth is temporary, and you can't take physical things with you. Having contentment helps us to focus on eternity. Our goals should be accumulating treasures in heaven.*

1 Timothy 6:6-7 But godliness with contentment is great gain. For we brought nothing into the world, and we can take nothing out of it.

