

Y.R.P. – Loose My Soul

“Give me neither poverty nor riches,”

- Proverbs 30: 8

Just like my last message, the Lord really spoke to me while I was ridding to work in my car. Lately the Lord has really been working on me on being content. Not needing more. This song by Toby Mac and Kirk Franklin, that I haven't heard in a long time came on the radio and the lyrics really spoke to me. It was basically what God has been working on me.

Proverbs 30

- 7 “Two things I ask of you, LORD;
do not refuse me before I die:
8Keep falsehood and lies far from me;
give me neither poverty nor riches,
but give me only my daily bread.
9Otherwise, I may have too much and disown you
and say, ‘Who is the LORD?’
Or I may become poor and steal,
and so dishonor the name of my God.
- The Lord has really been speaking to me about contentment
- The more I get, many times the more I still continue to want
- The thing is I stress about the stuff and it doesn't necessarily add much to my life
- Honestly God gives me so much and I am so spoiled by him
- But I'm thankful many of the things I get, want or need come on his timing and not my own
- It keeps me dependent on him, which is what he wants

Lose My Soul

By Toby Mac & Kirk Franklin

Father God, I am clay in your hands
Help me to stay that way through all life's demands
'Cause they chip and they nag and they pull at me
And every little thing I make up my mind to be
Like I'm gonna be a daddy whose in the mix

And I'm gonna be a husband who stays legit
And I pray that I'm an artist who rises above
The road that is wide and filled with self love
Everything that I see draws me
Though it's only in You that I can truly see
that its a feast for the eyes, a low blow to purpose
And I'm a little kid at a three ring circus

(Chorus)

I don't want to gain the whole world, and lose my soul
Don't wanna walk away, let me hear the people say
I don't want to gain the whole world, and lose my soul
Don't wanna walk away, let me hear the people say

The paparazzi flashes, and that they think that it's you
But they don't know that who you are is not what you do
True, we get it twisted when we peak at the charts
Yo before we part from the start
Where's your heart?
You a pimp, hustler?
Tell me what's your title
America has no more stars, now we call them idols
You sit idle, While we teach prosperity
The first thing to prosper should be inside of me
We're free
Not because of 22's on the range
But Christ came in range, we said yes now we changed
Not the same, even though I made a fall
Since I got that call, no more Saul, now I'm Paul

(Chorus)

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Lord forgive us when we get consumed by the things of this world
That fight for our love, and our passion
As our eyes are open wide and on you
Grant us the privilege of your world view
And may your kingdom be, what wakes us up, and lays us down

***P2R (Point 2 Remember): "What do you benefit if you gain
the whole world but lose your own soul," Jesus***