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WORKERS RIGHTS





LEGAL TIPS

**YOUR CONSUMER
RIGHTS IN SINGAPORE
AND HOW TO GET
RECOURSE**



STAND UP FOR YOUR RIGHTS!



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*The Joy of Giving
Up My Rights*





1 Corinthians 8:1

“we know that all of us possess knowledge.”



FIRST
CORINTHIANS

1 Corinthians 8:13

Therefore, if food makes my brother stumble,
I will never eat meat, lest I make my brother stumble.



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Emphasize His Apostleship



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1 Corinthians 9:3

This is my defense to those who would examine me.



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1 Corinthians 9:4-6

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Or is it only Barnabas and I who have no right to refrain from working for a living?



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1 Corinthians 9:7

Who serves as a soldier at his own expense?



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Or who tends a flock without getting some of the milk?



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Is it for oxen that God is concerned?



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It was written for our sake, because the plowman
should plow in hope and the thresher
thresh in hope of sharing in the crop.



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1 Corinthians 9:11

If we have sown spiritual things among you,
is it too much if we reap material things from you?



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1 Corinthians 9:11,12

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Establishes Right to Receive Support



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Forgo my Rights, Forward the Gospel



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1 Corinthians 9:13

Do you not know that those who are employed in the temple service get their food from the temple, and those who serve at the altar share in the sacrificial offerings?



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1 Corinthians 9:14

In the same way, the Lord commanded that those who proclaim the gospel should get their living by the gospel.



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In the same way, the Lord commanded that those who proclaim the gospel should get their living by the gospel.

Luke 10:7 “And remain in the same house, eating and drinking what they provide, for the laborer deserves his wages.”



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1 Corinthians 9:16

For if I preach the gospel, that gives me
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Woe to me if I do not preach the gospel!



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1 Corinthians 9:16,17

For if I preach the gospel, that gives me
no ground for boasting. For necessity is laid upon me.
Woe to me if I do not preach the gospel! (duty)
For if I do this of my own will, I have a reward, but
if not of my own will, I am still entrusted with a stewardship.



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1 Corinthians 9:18

What then is my reward?



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What then is my reward?

That in my preaching I may present the gospel free of charge,



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What then is my reward?

That in my preaching I may present the gospel free of charge,
so as not to make full use of my right in the gospel.



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1 Corinthians 9:19

For though I am free from all, I have made myself
a servant to all, that I might **win more of them.**



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Paul's ground for boasting



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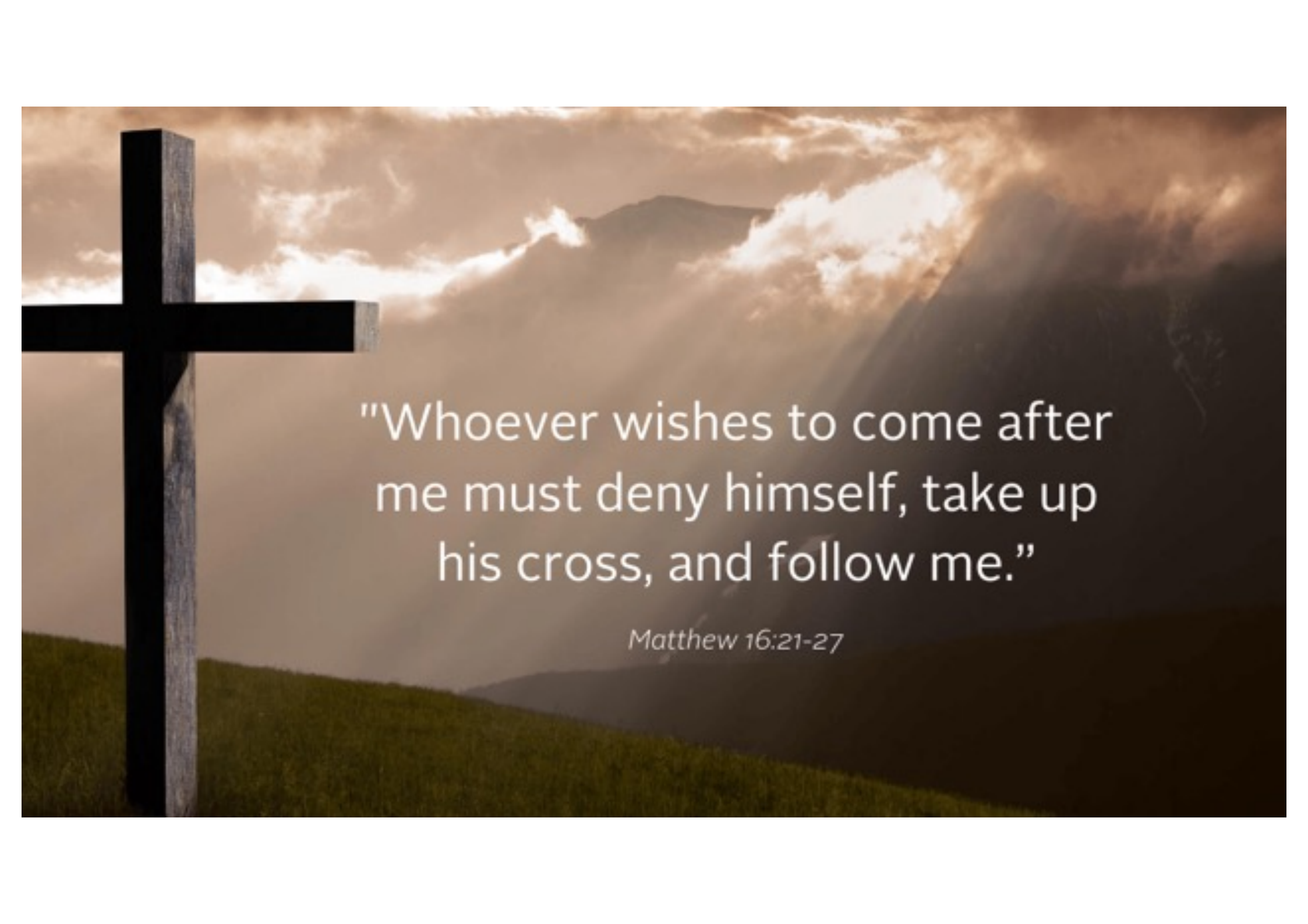
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Very truly I tell you, unless a kernel of wheat falls to the ground and dies, it remains only a single seed. But if it dies, it produces many seeds... (Jn 12:24-26)



A wooden cross stands on a grassy hill. The background features a dramatic sky with dark, heavy clouds and a bright light source breaking through, creating rays of light. In the distance, there are silhouettes of mountains or hills.

"Whoever wishes to come after me must deny himself, take up his cross, and follow me."

Matthew 16:21-27