

The Small Catechism's Table of Duties

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TABLE OF DUTIES (Continued)

*consisting of certain passages of Scriptures, selected
for various estates and condition of me, by
which they may be admonished to do
their respective duties.*

X. LABORERS AND SERVANTS, MALE AND FEMALE – Eph. 6.5-8

XI. MASTERS AND MISTRESSES – Eph. 6.9

Ephesians 6:5-9 (NKJV): Bondservants, be obedient to those who are your masters according to the flesh, with fear and trembling, in sincerity of heart, as to Christ; ⁶not with eyeservice, as men-pleasers, but as bondservants of Christ, doing the will of God from the heart, ⁷with goodwill doing service, as to the Lord, and not to men, ⁸knowing that whatever good anyone does, he will receive the same from the Lord, whether he is a slave or free.

⁹And you, masters, do the same things to them, giving up threatening, knowing that your own Master also is in heaven, and there is no partiality with Him.