Keeping Good Things Good

The Bible says that God created you for good works and that He prepared these good works beforehand so the you can walk in them. It also says that God will judge all of your works and some will survive and some won't. The works that survive will result in blessing and the ones that don't won't. Three things to consider so that your works might survive God's scrutiny are:

• Serve God and others with humility;

Mathew 23:12 And whoever exalts himself will be humbled and whoever humbles himself will be exalted.

God resists the proud and honors the humble..

• Serve God and others with selfless ambition; Philippians 1:12-18 Some indeed preach Christ even from envy and strife, and some also from goodwill.

If it's about you it's not about God.

• Serve God and others from good will;

James 3:13-18 Who is wise and understanding among you? Let him show by good conduct that his works are done in the meekness of wisdom.

Good will is a sign of wisdom.

As a follower of Christ, you should seek to serve like He serves. Serve God because of who He is and does, not because of who you are and do. Keep good things good by doing them; goodly.

God bless you and yours today, Pastor Gene