

# Invest with Compassion

**New Year, New Investment**  
**Leviticus 23:22**

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In this past year, did you frequently feel emotionally exhausted or stressed? Did you experience any times of financial tension? Did you often wish you had more time to spend on yourself or your family?

We live in a culture that tends to push us to our limits. Even our children are often stressed. How can we even think about making new investments when we have nothing left to give?

In our text, the Lord our God commands us to live with some margin in our lives so that we might invest in things that really matter.

## The Main Thought...

➔ *We must learn to live with \_\_\_\_\_ so that we may invest in things that matter most.*

**"Margin"** – Having some extra space or not living right up to the edge.

1. Living with margin must be \_\_\_\_\_ (v. 22a).

Lev. 19:9-10; Deut. 24:19-22

2. Living with margin has a \_\_\_\_\_ (v. 22b).

Mt. 22:36-40; Ruth 2:8-9, 15-16

3. Living with margin has an exclamation \_\_\_\_\_ (v. 22c).

**Where are your fields? Why should you live with margin?**

- *What about the field of your \_\_\_\_\_?*
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