

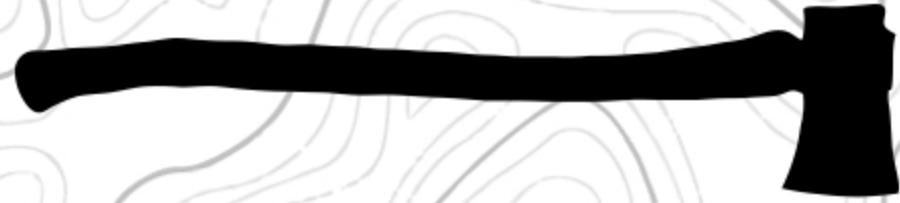
The background of the image is a light-colored wood grain pattern. Scattered throughout the image are black silhouettes of various tools. In the top row, there is a long knife on the left, a shovel, a folding knife, a hatchet, a pickaxe, and a straight razor. The middle row features a large machete, a folding knife, a hatchet, and a long-handled tool. The bottom row contains a pickaxe, a straight razor, a folding knife, a hatchet, a pickaxe, a long-handled tool, and a folding knife. The word "RESHARPENING" is centered in the middle of the image.

RESHARPENING

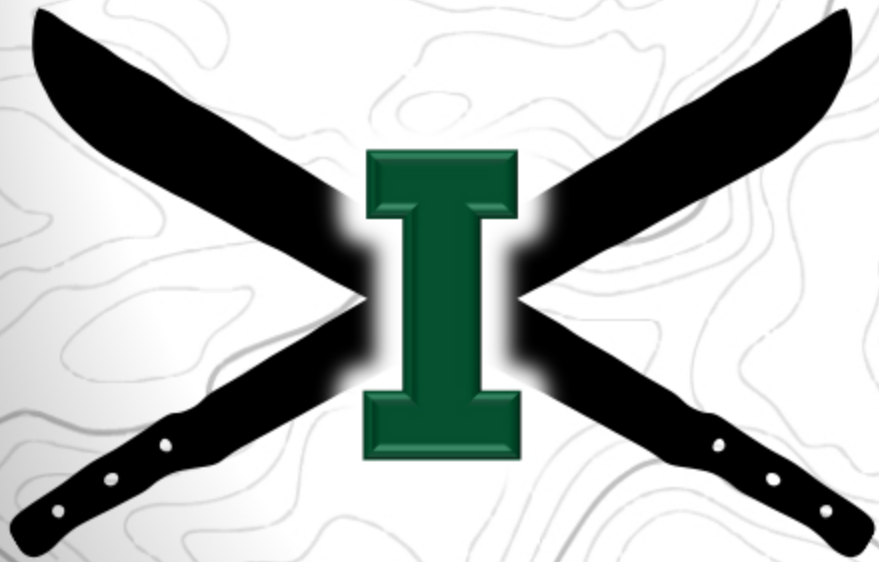


ECCLESIASTES 10:10 TLB

¹⁰ A dull ax requires great strength; be wise and sharpen the blade.



**WHEN THE AXE IS SHARP IN OUR
LIFE, WE ARE MORE EFFECTIVE.
WHEN THE AXE HEAD GETS DULL,
WE GET LESS DONE WITH TWICE
THE EFFORT.**



**RESHARPENING
YOUR ATTITUDE**

DEFINITION OF ATTITUDE

A manner of thinking, feeling, or behaving that reflects a state of mind or disposition.





ECCLESIASTES 9:10A NIV

¹⁰ Whatever your hand finds to do, do it with all your might.

**YOUR ATTITUDE HAS
THE POWER TO CHANGE
YOUR LIFE.**





COLOSSIANS 3:23 NIV

²³ Whatever you do, work at it with all your heart, as working for the Lord, not for human masters,



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**A STORY ABOUT
AN AND THEN
SOME MOMENT.**

GENESIS 24:1-4 NLT



¹ Abraham was now a very old man, and the Lord had blessed him in every way. ² One day Abraham said to his oldest servant, the man in charge of his household, “Take an oath by putting your hand under my thigh. ³ Swear by the Lord,



GENESIS 24:1-4 NLT

the God of heaven and earth, that you will not allow my son to marry one of these local Canaanite women. ⁴ Go instead to my homeland, to my relatives, and find a wife there for my son Isaac.”

GENESIS 24:10-14 NLT



¹⁰ Then he loaded ten of Abraham's camels with all kinds of expensive gifts from his master, and he traveled to distant Aram-naharaim. There he went to the town where Abraham's brother Nahor had settled. ¹¹ He made the camels kneel beside a well just outside the town. It was evening, and the women were coming out to draw water.

GENESIS 24:10-14 NLT



¹² “O Lord, God of my master, Abraham,” he prayed. “Please give me success today, and show unfailing love to my master, Abraham. ¹³ See, I am standing here beside this spring, and the young women of the town are coming out to draw water. ¹⁴ This is my request. I



GENESIS 24:10-14 NLT

will ask one of them, 'Please give me a drink from your jug.' If she says, 'Yes, have a drink, and I will water your camels, too!'—let her be the one you have selected as Isaac's wife. This is how I will know that you have shown unfailing love to my master."

GENESIS 24:16-20 NLT



¹⁶ Rebekah was very beautiful and old enough to be married, but she was still a virgin. She went down to the spring, filled her jug, and came up again. ¹⁷ Running over to her, the servant said, “Please give me a little drink of water from your jug.”

GENESIS 24:16-20 NLT



¹⁸ “Yes, my lord,” she answered, “have a drink.” And she quickly lowered her jug from her shoulder and gave him a drink. ¹⁹ When she had given him a drink, she said, “I’ll draw water for your camels, too, until they have had enough to drink.” ²⁰ So she quickly emptied her jug into the watering trough and ran back to the well to draw water for all his camels.



**WHY DOES THIS
MATTER TO GOD?**



**GOD WANTS US TO GROW IN OUR
PROFESSIONAL, RELATIONAL AND
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EPHESIANS 4:14-15 NLT

¹⁴ Then we will no longer be immature like children. We won't be tossed and blown about by every wind of new teaching. We will not be influenced when



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EPHESIANS 4:14-15 NLT

people try to trick us with lies so clever they sound like the truth. ¹⁵ Instead, we will speak the truth in love, growing in every way more and more like Christ, who is the head of his body, the church.



**WE ARE WORKING FOR
GOD NOT FOR MAN.**



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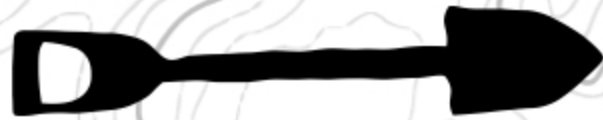
**AS A CHRIST FOLLOWER, WE
ARE AN EXAMPLE TO OTHERS.**



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1 PETER 2:12

¹² Be careful to live properly among your unbelieving neighbors. Then even if they accuse you of doing wrong, they will see your honorable behavior, and they will give honor to God when he judges the world.



**BECAUSE WE ARE MADE IN
GOD'S IMAGE AND WE SERVE
AN AND THEN SOME GOD.**



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ROMANS 8:32 NIV

³² He who did not spare his own Son, but gave him up for us all — how will he not also, along with him, graciously give us all things?