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Abstract

This article reviews the biblical doctrines of sanctification and stewardship, and assesses the implications for economic institutional arrangements. Sanctification is one part of the process of salvation, yet it is the one aspect (in addition to initial repentance) that requires human partnership with what God is doing to redeem a people. Sanctification is seen to be the changing of our heart's inclinations as we increasingly apply the truth of God in our daily, moment-by-moment actions. Thus our freedom to choose has eternal consequences as we become increasingly conformed to the image of Christ. While sanctification occurs in many facets of life, stewardship of resources that God has delegated to us is a responsibility that covers most of our daily lives. How we individually steward God's material resources is an area of growth in the Christian walk. Biblical stewards are not to simply provide an accounting of the use of God's resources, but rather they are expected to grow and optimize those resources. Free market institutions provide a favorable testing environment for sanctification of God's people in the dimension of material possessions. Restrictions on freedom in markets thus limit the growth that an individual can achieve in this facet of sanctification.

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46. Contents 2. Central government still has a role after the policy direction and the level of devolution have been established. But it is not the traditional one of 'overseeing implementation'. Rather, system stewardship involves policy makers overseeing the ways in which the policy is being adapted, and attempting to steer the system if it is deviating too far away from the high level goals for the policy. In practice, system stewardship consists of four aspects: goals, rules, feedback, and response. community after the data publication process. Unfortunately, the existing digital ecosystem. surrounding scholarly data publication prevents us from extracting maximum benefit from our newly generated data. The outcomes from good data management and stewardship, therefore, are. high quality digital publications that facilitate and simplify this ongoing process of discovery, evaluation, and reuse in downstream studies. What constitutes 'good data management' is, however, largely. undefined, and is generally left as a decision for the data or repository owner. Therefore, bringing some. process—from researchers and data producers to data repository hosts. Throughout this paper, we use the phrase 'machine actionable' to indicate a continuum of possible. Stewardship codes are a tool for enhancing investor engagement and transparency about how investors define and discharge their ownership and governance responsibilities. These codes, which have been developed by regulators or investors, aim to clarify basic governance expectations and responsibilities in ways that enhance the quality of investor-company dialogue and contribute to the long-term success of companies. They also provide a mechanism for investors to communicate their priorities more broadly. In addition, stewardship codes often encourage investors to disclose their policies prominently, typically on the investor's web site and/or within an annual report, and to provide annual updates. Stewardship codes often focus on the following types of investor policies: 1.