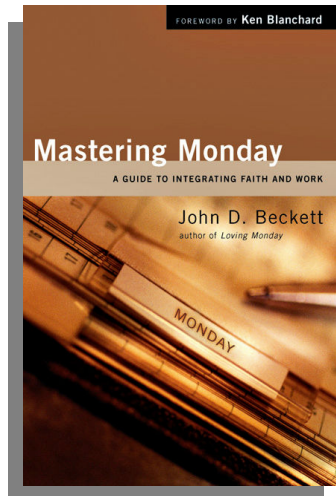


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*“Monday carries special challenges. For most, Monday is the unwelcome portal from the weekend to the workweek—the creaky door we have to push hard to open, its hinges made rusty by two days of rest.”*

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### **The Power of Purpose**

“How does clarifying your purpose help? Suppose you’re a violinist in a symphony orchestra. Some might say you’re there just to crank out the notes, but you might take a larger view, seeing your musical gift as a wonderful expression of God’s creativity. . . . Such an enlarged perspective can make getting out of bed in the morning and heading off to ‘work’ a very different experience. . . .

“Master your Mondays by finding your purpose!”

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“If you focus appropriately on values in your corporate life, you will develop the confidence that when problems arise, when fast decisions need to be made, when temptations lurk, your gyroscope is set. You’ll weather the elements. You’ll be able to confidently say, ‘We’ve mastered this particular Monday!’”