



Perhaps I, not that informed of the circumstances in your area in particular and not associated in the training of youth, but a struggling businessman, view things somewhat differently. When you seek a good dependable employee, you seldom look at the amount of knowledge of an individual. What is most important are such characteristics as honesty, dependability, cheerfulness, zeal, enthusiasm, diligence, energy, ambition, loyalty. These are all expressions of attitude. As a student obtains knowledge it is the desire of everyone that the student obtain a good attitude and thereby lead a more productive life as a Christian. For that is the Christian's responsibility.

It appears to me the biggest problem is with parents' involvement. Because someone may become obese, you don't condemn all food and put the blame on the abundant supply of food. Until a Christian perspective of sports and its value is understood, it's impossible to reprove parents or other Christians for acting foolishly. Through good school spirit and the development of Christian character, organized sports can be a very good factor. For even Scripture refers us to the race and prize which the Christian must run and pursue.