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The minimum wage subject is an important matter. A person should be paid for their work at the best level that the market will support. Business must be held accountable to justify employee wages.

If government sets a standard wage so that an employee must be able to support a family on a minimum wage- how to we set a standard for the size of the family? What is a family? Is marriage required? One parent or two?

Apartment costs are high and how do you set limits on housing costs? The minimum wage will be chasing costs forever.

This is a very complicated matter. Review the minimum wage on a regular basis but trying to tie it to raising a family will require the wisdom of Solomon

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