

The Rich Fool
Luke 12:13-21, 31-34

The Way of the World (3 lies)	The Way of the King (3 truths)
I need _____. (vs. 14-15)	God is giving me _____. (vs. 32)
I need to _____. (vs. 16-19)	I need to _____. (vs. 33a)
Stuff is _____. (vs. 20-21)	I can _____ my stuff for _____. (vs. 33b-34)

QUESTIONS FOR FURTHER DISCUSSION:

1. Can you think of something that you were excited to purchase that eventually let you down? Share that story with your group.

2. Chris talked about how difficult it is to see ourselves as greedy. What do you think greed looks like to ourselves? How can you “be on your guard” against “all kinds of greed”?

3. Read 1 Timothy 6:17-19. Discuss the following questions:
 - a. Why does Paul command us not to put our hope in wealth?

 - b. Jesus spoke in Luke 12 about being “rich toward God.” Using these verses as a guide, what do you think that means?

 - c. Thinking of your own life, would you say you are “storing up things for yourself,” or are you “rich toward God”?