

The Down To Earth Gospel: The Gospel & Money -Part 2

Matthew 6:19-24

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• Last Week - Getting Money & Giving Money

Saving Money

1. Save Money With the Future in Mind (Gen. 41; Prov. 21:20; Matt. 6:19-21; Luke 12:13-21)
2. Save Money Over Time & Based on the Season (Prov. 13:11; Gen. 8:22)
3. Save Money so You Have Something to Give in the Future (Prov. 13:22)
4. Some Things are Worth More Than Money (Prov. 22:1; Heb. 13:5)

Spending Money

1. Count the Cost & Spend Wisely (Luke 14:28-30; Luke 16:10-11)
2. Spend Money so You & Your Family do not Overly Burden Others (1 Tim. 5:3-8,16)
3. Spending Money & Getting Things Will Never Truly Satisfy (Eccl. 5:10; 1 Tim. 6:6-10; Luke 12:15)
4. When You Have Money to Spend be Careful to Share What You Have (Prov. 22:2; 1 Tim. 6:17-19; 2 Cor. 8:9; Heb. 13:5-6)

Gospel Reality: God Says, “You can Trust Me to Provide Your Daily Bread. I am Your Trust and I will Provide for You Now and for Eternity. I Have Given You My Son Jesus! So Don’t be Afraid to Invest in the Future in this Life and in the Life to Come! No Matter how Bumpy or Smooth the Journey is I will be with You to Richly Provide!”

Community Group Discussion Questions:

1. In this sermon study on the Gospel & Money what passages did we study that were especially helpful? Any you want to continue to remember and think on?
2. Consider the balance of saving and spending money. What principles and Scripture have equipped you to continue to grow in being financially faithful in your saving and spending? What do you recommend to others? Why?
3. Not only does the Scripture teach us to get money and give money but it also teaches us to save money and to spend money. How do you personally think through balancing all four of these areas? Anyone who has helped you think through this? Any resources that you'd recommend to others?
4. Consider money and the good news of Jesus Christ. How do they contrast? How do they compare? How do they relate?