

## Fatal Distractions

### Heed The Greed

**Luke 12:13-15** “Someone in the crowd said to him, ‘Teacher, tell my brother to divide the inheritance with me.’ But he said to him, ‘Man, who made me a judge or arbitrator over you?’ And he said to them, ‘Take care, and be on your guard against all covetousness, for one s life does not consist in the abundance of his possessions.’ ”

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**1 Timothy 6:10** “For the love of money is **a root of all kinds of evils**. It is through this craving that some have wandered away from the faith and pierced themselves with many pangs.”

**Luke 12:16-21** “And he told them a parable, saying, The land of a rich man produced plentifully, and he thought to himself, What shall I do, for I have nowhere to store my crops? And he said, I will do this: I will tear down my barns and build larger ones, and there I will store all my grain and my goods. And I will say to my soul, Soul, you have ample goods laid up for many years; relax, eat, drink, be merry. But God said to him, Fool! This night your soul is required of you, and the things you have prepared, whose will they be? So is the one who lays up treasure for himself and is not rich toward God.”

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**1 Timothy 6:9** “But those who desire to be rich fall into temptation, into a snare, into many senseless and harmful desires that plunge people into ruin and destruction.”

**Proverbs 28:25** “A greedy man stirs up strife, but the one who trusts in the Lord will be enriched.”

**1 Thessalonians 2:5** “For we never came with words of flattery, as you know, nor with a pretext for greed—God is witness.”

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**Ecclesiastes 5:10** “**He who loves money will not be satisfied with money**, nor he who loves wealth with his income; this also is vanity.”

**Hebrews 13:5** “Keep your life free from love of money, and be content with what you have, for he has said, I will never leave you nor forsake you.”