

## “I’m Not a Crook”

Ephesians 4:28

Three legitimate ways to \_\_\_\_\_ something:

1. \_\_\_\_\_ for it.  
(Gen. 2:15,19; 2 Thess. 3:10-12)
2. \_\_\_\_\_ for it.  
(Psa. 126:5,6; Gal. 6:8,9; Mt. 25:14-30)
3. Be \_\_\_\_\_ it.  
(Eph. 4:28)

Three ways to \_\_\_\_\_ something:

1. Just \_\_\_\_\_ it.
2. \_\_\_\_\_ in order to get it.
3. \_\_\_\_\_ what is due.  
(Rom 13:7; Mal. 3:8,9)

Two things no one can steal from you:

1. That which \_\_\_\_\_ have given to \_\_\_\_\_.  
(2 Tim. 1:12)
2. That which \_\_\_\_\_ has given to \_\_\_\_\_.  
(Jn. 10:27-29)

## Discussion Questions

1. Take a few minutes to look over your sermon notes and mention what “struck” you the most and why.
2. Think back to a time when you stole something. How did it make you feel? What did you do about it?
3. Think back to a time when someone stole something from you. How did it make you feel? What did you do about it?
4. What are some things that people steal that aren’t physical?
5. What has more consequences for the victim, the theft of something material or the theft of something immaterial (like reputation, recognition, peace, joy, etc.)?
6. What do the following verses have to say about “theft”?
  - \*1 Jn. 3:17
  - \*Jas. 2:15,16
  - \*Mt. 6:19-21
  - \*Mal. 3:8,9
  - \*1 Cor. 6:9-11
7. What will you do in response to this sermon?



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