

# HOW LONG DO YOU WANT TO LIVE?

## Part Four: Gods 5 Investment Funds

### #1. GOD'S GROWTH FUND

I can invest in eternity by using money to  
**GROW MY CHARACTER**



**“The earnings of the godly enhance their lives, but evil people squander their money on sin.” Pr. 10:16**

**“Invest in truth and wisdom, discipline and good sense, and don't part with them!” Pr. 23:23**

**“...Buy wisdom, buy education, buy insight.” Pr. 23:23**

**“It is better—much better—to have wisdom and knowledge than gold and silver.” Pr. 16:16**

**“Grow in spiritual strength and become better acquainted with our Lord and Savior Jesus Christ.”**

**2 Peter 3:18**

### #2. GOD'S MUTUAL FUND

I can invest in eternity by using money to  
**ENCOURAGE FELLOWSHIP**

**“Love one another with mutual affection.”  
Romans. 12:10**

**“Share what you have with God's people who are in need. Show hospitality.” Romans 12:13**

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**“Think of ways to encourage one another with outbursts of love and good deeds.” Hebrews 10:24**

**“This service of giving not only helps the needs of God's people, it also brings many more thanks to God. It is a proof of your faith. Many people will praise God because you obey the Good News of Christ—the gospel you say you believe—and because you freely share with them...” 2 Corinthians 9:12-13 (NCV)**

**“How good and pleasant it is when God's people live together in unity.” Psalms 133:1 (NCV)**

**“When you extend hospitality to Christian brothers and sisters, even when they are strangers, you make the faith visible. 3 John 1:5**

### **#3. GOD'S SERVICE FUND**

**I can invest in eternity by using money to SERVE OTHERS**

**“Be generous: Invest in acts of charity. Charity yields high returns. Don't hoard your goods; spread them around. Be a blessing to others. This could be your last night.” Ecclesiastes 11:1-2 (MSG)**

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**“When you give to the poor, it is like lending to the Lord, and He will pay you back!” Proverbs 19:17**



## #4. GOD'S GLOBAL FUND

I can invest in eternity by  
using money to  
**BRING PEOPLE TO CHRIST**



“Use worldly wealth to gain friends for yourselves,  
so that when it is gone, you will be welcomed into  
eternal dwellings.” Luke 16:9

“You honor God through this genuine act of service  
in your commitment to spread the Good News of  
Christ through your generosity in sharing...”

2 Corinthians 9:13

## #5. GOD'S TREASURY FUND

I can invest in eternity by using money to  
**WORSHIP GOD**

“Honor the Lord by giving HIM the first part  
of all your income ,and he will fill your barns  
... and overflow your barrels ...”

Proverbs 3:9

“Wherever your treasure is,  
there your heart will be also.”

Matthew. 6:21

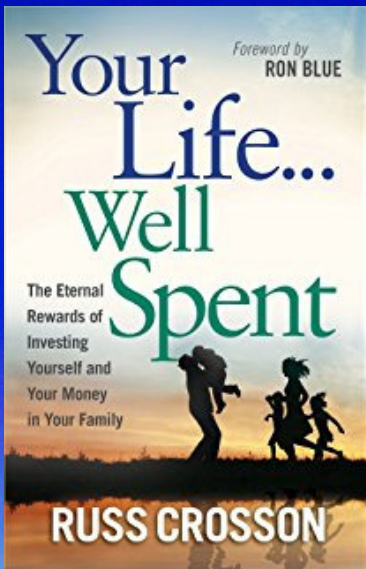
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# ADDITIONAL RESOURCES

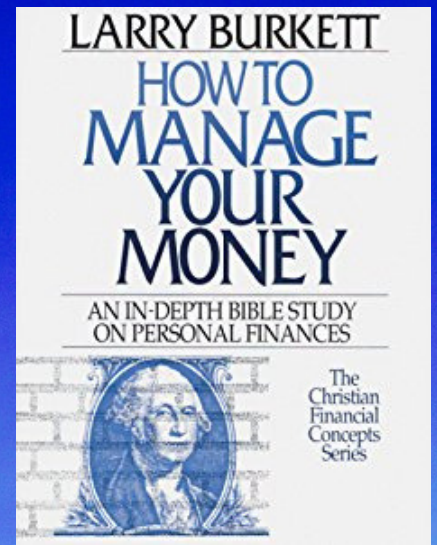
## Pastor Gene's Book Recommendations



"Your Life Well Spent"  
by Russ Crossen



"Don't Waste Your Life"  
by John Piper



"How To Manage Your  
Money" by Larry Burkett

## Pastor Tim's Film Recommendation



## Pastor Tim's Music Recommendation

"Directions Home"  
by Point of Grace



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