<u>The Tale of Two Men:</u>
Prov. 11:23-31

Most of our problems are not _____or _____but _____ or _____

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This is not the issue of worrying about the _____of God, but you worrying about being "_____"

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The reason for the caution in **Luke 12:15-20** is making money for no purpose, there is a danger in _____

Self and God are in _____

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Proverbs 11:23–31

[23] The desire of the righteous ends only in good, the expectation of the wicked in wrath.
[24] One gives freely, yet grows all the richer; another withholds what he should give, and only suffers want.
[25] Whoever brings blessing will be enriched, and one who waters will himself be watered.
[26] The people curse him who holds back grain, but a blessing is on the head of him who sells it.
[27] Whoever diligently seeks good seeks favor, but evil comes to him who searches for it.
[28] Whoever trusts in his riches will fall, but the righteous will flourish like a green leaf.
[29] Whoever troubles his own household will inherit the wind, and the fool will be servant to the wise of heart.
[30] The fruit of the righteous is a tree of life, and whoever captures souls is wise.
[31] If the righteous is repaid on earth, how much more the wicked and the sinner!

Psalm 37:23

[23] The steps of a man are established by the LORD, when he delights in his way;

Proverbs 16:9

[9] The heart of man plans his way, but the LORD establishes his steps.

Numbers 6:22–27

[22] The LORD spoke to Moses, saying, [23] “Speak to Aaron and his sons, saying, Thus you shall bless the people of Israel: you shall say to them,

> [24] The LORD bless you and keep you;
> [25] the LORD make his face to shine upon you and be gracious to you;
> [26] the LORD lift up his countenance upon you and give you peace.

[27] “So shall they put my name upon the people of Israel, and I will bless them.”

Isaiah 32:8

[8] But he who is noble plans noble things, and on noble things he stands.

Psalm 32:4

[4] For day and night your hand was heavy upon me; my strength was dried up as by the heat of summer. Selah

Proverbs 3:5–6

[5] Trust in the LORD with all your heart, and do not lean on your own understanding.
[6] In all your ways acknowledge him, and he will make straight your paths.

John 14:21

[21] Whoever has my commandments and keeps them, he it is who loves me. And he who loves me will be loved by my Father, and I will love him and manifest myself to him.”

1 Corinthians 9:7

[7] Who serves as a soldier at his own expense? Who plants a vineyard without eating any of its fruit? Or who tends a flock without getting some of the milk?

Matthew 10:39

[39] Whoever finds his life will lose it, and whoever loses his life for my sake will find it.

Philippians 4:15–19

[15] And you Philippians yourselves know that in the beginning of the gospel, when I left Macedonia, no church entered into partnership with me in giving and receiving, except you only. [16] Even in Thessalonica you sent me help for my needs once and again. [17] Not that I seek the gift, but I seek the fruit that increases to your credit. [18] I have received full payment, and more. I am well supplied, having received from Epaphroditus the gifts you sent, a fragrant offering, a sacrifice acceptable and pleasing to God. [19] And my God will supply every need of yours according to his riches in glory in Christ Jesus.

Psalm 1:3

[3] He is like a tree planted by streams of water that yields its fruit in its season, and its leaf does not wither. In all that he does, he prospers.

Luke 12:15–20

[15] 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.” [16] And he told them a parable, saying, “The land of a rich man produced plentifully, [17] and he thought to himself, ‘What shall I do, for I have nowhere to store my crops?’ [18] 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. [19] And I will say to my soul, “Soul, you have ample goods laid up for many years; relax, eat, drink, be merry.”’ [20] But God said to him, ‘Fool! This night your soul is required of you, and the things you have prepared, whose will they be?’

Proverbs 11:28

[28] Whoever trusts in his riches will fall, but the righteous will flourish like a green leaf.