

# Low Bar

## Part 1

**There are 2 kingdoms in the financial world.**

- *There is God's kingdom of finance*

**Proverbs 10:22 (NKJV)**

22 The blessing of the LORD makes one rich, and **He adds no sorrow** with it.

**Proverbs 11:25 (NKJV)**

25 The **generous soul** will be made rich, and he who waters will also be watered himself.

**Psalms 35:27 (NKJV)**

27 Let them shout for joy and be glad, who favor my righteous cause; And let them say continually, "Let the LORD be magnified, **Who has pleasure** in the prosperity of His servant."

- *There is Satan's kingdom of finance*

**Psalms 135:15 (NKJV)**

15 The **idols** of the nations **are silver and gold**, The work of men's hands.

**Psalms 73:12 (NKJV)**

12 Behold, these are the ungodly, who are always at ease; They increase in riches.

**Proverbs 13:7 (NKJV)**

7 There is one who makes himself rich, yet has nothing; And one who makes himself poor, yet has great riches.

**Proverbs 28:22 (NKJV)**

22 A man with an evil eye hastens after riches, and does not consider that poverty will come upon him.

**Luke 18:24–25 (NKJV)**

24 And when Jesus saw that he became very sorrowful, He said, "**How hard it is for those who have riches to enter the kingdom of God!**

25 **For it is easier for a camel to go through the eye of a needle than for a rich man to enter the kingdom of God."**

**1 Timothy 6:10–11 (NKJV)**

10 For the **love of money** is **a root** of all kinds of evil, for which some have strayed from the faith in their greediness, and pierced themselves through with many sorrows.

11 But you, O man of God, flee these things and pursue righteousness, godliness, faith, love, patience, gentleness.

## 1. The Babylon System

*-The exalting of mankind*

### Revelation 18:1–6 (NKJV)

1 After these things I saw another angel coming down from heaven, having great authority, and the earth was illuminated with his glory.

2 And he cried mightily with a loud voice, saying, “Babylon the great is fallen, is fallen, and has become a dwelling place of demons, a prison for every foul spirit, and a cage for every unclean and hated bird!

3 For all the nations have drunk of the wine of the wrath of her fornication, the kings of the earth have committed fornication with her, and the merchants of the earth have become rich through the abundance of her luxury.”

4 And I heard another voice from heaven saying, “Come out of her, my people, lest you share in her sins, and lest you receive of her plagues.

5 For her sins have reached to heaven, and God has remembered her iniquities.

6 Render to her just as she rendered to you, and repay her double according to her works; in the cup which she has mixed, mix double for her.

## 2. The Father System

### 1 John 2:15–17 (NKJV)

15 Do not love the world or the things in the world. If anyone loves the world, the love of the Father is not in him.

16 For all that is in the world—the lust of the flesh, the lust of the eyes, and the pride of life—is not of the Father but is of the world.

17 And the world is passing away, and the lust of it; but he who does the will of God abides forever.

### How to Escape the Babylon System and live in the Father System

1. Believe you have a perfect Father who will provide for you.

### Matthew 6:30–32 (NKJV)

30 Now if God so clothes the grass of the field, which today is, and tomorrow is thrown into the oven, will He not much more clothe you, O you of little faith?

31 “Therefore do not worry, saying, ‘What shall we eat?’ or ‘What shall we drink?’ or ‘What shall we wear?’

32 For after all these things the Gentiles seek. For your heavenly Father knows that you need all these things.

**Hebrews 13:5 (NKJV)**

5 Let your conduct be without covetousness; be content with such things as you have. For He Himself has said, "I will never leave you nor forsake you."

2. **Submit all your financial needs and decisions to God and wait on him.**
3. **Recognize God's Provision and Loving Care in your life.**