



Our Treasure Is Not For Sale | Mark Allen | 6.8.25

Opening Prayer:

Begin the session with a prayer, asking God to guide your discussion and help apply the sermon's teachings to your lives.

Key Takeaways:

1. We have three main resources: time, talent, and treasure.
2. There are temporary treasures and eternal treasures.
3. Our heart follows our treasure, not the other way around.
4. The Holy Spirit, our spouse, and our children are special treasures from God.
5. Money should not be our source; God is our true source.

Discussion Questions:

1. Pastor Mark mentioned temporary and eternal treasures. What are some examples of each in your life?
2. The sermon emphasized that "where your treasure is, there your heart will be also." How have you seen this play out in your own life or in the lives of others?
3. How can we better steward the presence of the Holy Spirit in our lives?

4. Pastor Mark discussed the importance of treasuring our spouse and children. What are some practical ways we can show that we value these relationships?
5. The sermon touched on the concept of tithing. What has been your experience with tithing, and how has it impacted your faith journey?
6. How can we guard our hearts from believing that money is our source instead of God?

Practical Applications:

1. **Treasure Inventory:** Take some time this week to list out your treasures. Categorize them as temporary or eternal. Reflect on where you're investing most of your time, energy, and resources.
2. **Relationship Investment:** Choose one relationship (spouse, child, friend) to intentionally invest in this week. Plan a specific action to show them they are treasured.
3. **Stewardship Challenge:** If you're not currently tithing, consider starting with a percentage of your income and gradually working up to 10%. If you're already tithing, reflect on other areas where you can practice good stewardship.
4. **Daily Reminder:** Set a daily reminder on your phone with the phrase "God is my source" to help shift your mindset throughout the week.
5. **Gratitude Journal:** Start a gratitude journal, focusing on the eternal treasures in your life. Write three things each day that you're grateful for that have lasting value.

Closing Prayer:

End the session by thanking God for His blessings and asking for His help in treasuring what truly matters.