



DISCUSSION QUESTIONS

The Parables of Jesus — The Rich Fool

1. Do you think there is anything wrong with being wealthy? Explain your answer. What are some of the pitfalls associated with having wealth?
2. Read Luke 12:13-21. What are some of the mistakes the rich man made when he was blessed with a “bumper crop?”
3. What do you think Jesus meant in Luke 12:15 when he said, “one’s life is not in the abundance of his possessions?” How might you apply this parable to your life?
4. Read Matthew 6:19-20, 31 and 1 Timothy 6:17-19. What do you think it means to “store up” or “collect” treasure on this earth? What are some practical ways we can store up treasure in heaven?
5. Do you agree with the statement, “If we will view our wealth through the lens of eternity, it will lose its grip on us and we will lose our grip on it?” Explain your answer.