

# MINDSET

EPISODE 3

## ***MINDSET OF CONTENTMENT***

**Isaiah 26:3** You will keep in perfect peace those whose minds are set on you, because they trust in you.

**Philippians 4:12** I have learned the secret of being content in any and every situation, whether well fed or hungry, whether living in plenty or in want.

### ***EFFECTS OF NEVER HAVING ENOUGH***

- **DISSATISFACTION.**

Ecclesiastes 5:10 Those who love money will never have enough. How meaningless to think that wealth brings true happiness!

- **CONFLICT.**

Ecclesiastes 5:11 The more you have, the more people come to help you spend it...

1 Timothy 6:10 For the love of money is the root of all kinds of evil...

- **WORRY.**

Ecclesiastes 5:12 People who work hard sleep well, whether they eat little or much. But the rich seldom get a good night's sleep.

- **FATIGUE.**

Proverbs 23:4 Don't wear yourself out trying to get rich. Be wise enough to know when to quit.

### ***HOW TO FIND CONTENTMENT***

#### **1. BE GRATEFUL FOR WHAT I HAVE.**

1 Thessalonians 5:18 Give thanks in all circumstances; for this is God's will for you in Christ Jesus.

#### **2. BE GENEROUS WITH WHAT I HAVE.**

1 Timothy 6:17–19 Command those who are rich in this present world not to be arrogant nor to put their hope in wealth, which is so uncertain, but to put their hope in God, who richly provides us with everything for our enjoyment. Command them to do good, to be rich in good deeds, and to be generous and willing to share. In this way they will lay up treasure for themselves as a firm foundation for the coming age, so that they may take hold of the life that is truly life.

#### **3. BE GODLY ABOUT WHAT I HAVE.**

1 Timothy 6:6–7 But godliness with contentment is great gain. For we brought nothing into the world, and we can take nothing out of it.

Matthew 5:6 **God blesses those who hunger and thirst for justice, for they will be satisfied.**