

"A Fool and His Money"

Luke 12:13-21

1 Corinthians 4:2 Now it is required that those who have been given a trust must prove faithful.

Luke 12:14 ...Watch out ! Be on your guard against all kinds of greed; a man's life does not consist in the abundance of his possessions.

1. The man had Acquisitions but no Appreciation

Luke 12:17 He thought to himself, "What shall I do? I have no place to store my crops."

James 1:16-17a Don't be deceived, my dear brothers. Every good and perfect gift is from above...

Matthew 10:8b Freely you have received – freely give.

2 Corinthians 9:11a You will be made rich in every way so that you can be generous on every occasion...

2. The man Focused on the Future without considering the Father

Luke 12:18 Then he said "This is what I'll do, I will tear down my barns and build bigger ones, and there I will store all of my grain and my goods."

James 4:13-15 Now listen, you who say, "Today or tomorrow we will go to this or that city, spend a year there, carry on business and make money." Why, you do not even know what will happen tomorrow. What is your life? You are a mist that appears for a little while and then vanishes. Instead, you ought to say, "If it is the Lord's will, we will live and do this or that."

3. The man trusted in his Savings and not in his Savior

Luke 12:19 ...And I'll say to myself, "You have plenty of good things laid up for many years. Take life easy; eat, drink and be merry."

Luke 12:21 This is how it will be with anyone who stores up things for himself but is not rich toward God.

Malachi 3:8 But you ask, "Will a man rob God?" Yet you rob me. But you ask "How do we rob you?" In tithe.