

WHAT JESUS TAUGHT ABOUT MONEY

- I. Either poverty or riches can be a blessing, Luke 6:20: 8:3
- II. But riches may keep one from entering the kingdom of God
 - A. The principle, Matthew 13:22; 19:23-25
 - B. Several illustrations
 - 1. The wealthy, young ruler, Matt.19:16-22
 - 2. The rich fool, Luke 12:16-21
 - 3. The rich man, Luke 16:19-31
- III. Money can breed greed, Luke 12:12-15
- IV. People should work, work hard, and shrewdly, Luke 19:11-27; 16:1-8
- V. Money should be used to prepare for a rewarded future, Luke 15:9
- VI. Money can keep one from full commitment to the Lord
 - A. The Principle, Matt. 6:19-24
 - B. The Warning, Luke 14:25-33
- VII. All should give
 - A. Give even if poor, Mark 12:43
 - B. Give generously, Luke 6:38
 - C. Give privately, Matt. 6:2-4

Luke 12:15: "A man's life does not consist in the abundance of his possession."