

June 26, 2016
The Bridge Bible Fellowship
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Luke 12:13-21

Be Rich...

Col 2:8 – We've been _____
John 18:37 – Jesus came into the world _____
John 18:31-32 – The _____ will _____

Context:

R _____ I _____ (v.13)

I _____ R _____ (v.14)

F _____ W _____ (v.15)

I _____ (vs.16-20)

S _____ W _____ (v.21)

How to be _____ :

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- #2 -
- #3 -
- #4 -
- #5 -

Discussion Questions

1. What did you learn the most from this sermon?
2. Read Col 2:8. What sort of philosophies or worldly traditions tempt to take you captive?
3. What kinds of things do you think the man in Luke 12:13 incorrectly believes about Jesus? Do you struggle with any of those incorrect views of Jesus?
4. In verse 15, Jesus tells everyone in the crowd to “Beware and be on guard.” Think deeply about those words. Does Jesus have a strong concern here and why?
5. By saying “every form of greed” Jesus is implying that there are multiple categories of greed? List as many categories as you can think of and note the ones that you tend to struggle with most often.
6. Would you be categorized as someone who has an abundance of possessions? Tough question: If someone were to examine your life would they say that your life generally revolves around your possessions, or would they say you are generally rich towards God?
7. What are the assumptions that the wealthy farmer made about his life and his stuff? Are there any of those assumptions that you struggle with?
8. Will you die someday? When will that be? How are you preparing for that day?
9. What does it mean to be rich towards God? Are you rich towards God? If so, how? If not, why not? (see 1 Timothy 6:6-19; Col 3:1-5)
10. The following are some related passages from the message this morning. Take some time this week to read them, meditate on them, find cross-reference verses from them, and ask God to give you a clear perspective on who He is and what real life is.

- a. Col 2:8
- b. 1 Tim 6:6-11; 1 Tim 6:17-19
- c. Heb 13:5-6
- d. Luke 12:13-21
- e. 1 Thess 4:1-8 (especially v.6)
- f. Rom 1:28-29
- g. 2 Peter 2:12-14
- h. Eccl 1:12-2:11; Eccl 12:13-14
- i. Luke 9:24-25
- j. Col 3:1-5
- k. Luke 12:22-34
- l. Eph 4:28
- m. 2 Cor 9:5-6

