

SERMON ON THE MOUNT

Week 12

Read Matthew 6:19-24

Note: Like much of the Sermon on the Mount, Jesus is focusing not on a behavioral rule, but our hearts, allegiances and priorities. This passage forces us to look at our heart for the ways in which we can be ruled by our own self-indulgence or entitlement.

Retell: Summarize in your own words what Jesus is saying about money.

Discuss: What are some examples of the “treasures in heaven” that we should be accumulating?

What does this passage tell us about what God values?

What earthly “treasures” tend to compete with God for your allegiance? In other words, what in your life tries to be your “master”?

Application: Take a moment to pray and listen. What practical step can you take today to serve Christ rather than your earthly possessions? Write it down and share it with the group.

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