

# **Hitting the Jackpot!**

How to Get Rich According to God

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# 1. Keep an Eternal Perspective

vv. 6-7



### **Grow Group Discussion Questions**

A grow group is 8-16 people who get together weekly to study God's word and the previous Sunday's message. There is a time of discussion, support, encouragement, and learning how the message applies to daily life. *PCC uses the ESV* (*English Standard Version*).

#### **HOW DO I JOIN A GROUP?**

To learn more or join a group, visit pacificcoastchurch.org/gg/ or sign up at the patio Info Kiosk.

### GROW GROUPS ARE CURRENTLY ON SUMMER BREAK

## **Daily Devotions**

These are provided for mid-week personal spiritual growth. Prayerfully writing out your answers will help you experience real life transformation as you dig deeper into the spiritual truths of God's word and today's message.

A downloadable PDF of this document is also available each week at **pacificcoastchurch.org/sermons**.

#### MONDAY // Read 1 Timothy 6:6, Philippians 3:18-21

- What formula does Paul provide for financial contentment? Why is this important for Christians to understand?
- In what way does this relate to the desire to get rich? What does this highlight about today's culture?
- As you compare a godly perspective vs. a worldly perspective on money, what challenges you the most?

#### TUESDAY // Read 1 Timothy 6:6-7, Job 1:21

- Why is contentment an important issue for financial stability? How will discontentment create instability?
- Why does Paul bring an eternal perspective into the discussion? How is this helpful in today's materialistic world?
- In what way can an eternal perspective actually make someone rich? What does this highlight about money?

#### WEDNESDAY // Read 1 Timothy 6:6-7, Luke 12:16-21

- Explain the central truth of the parable of the rich man. How do you see this playing out in culture today?
- In what way was Jesus highlighting the same truth as the Apostle Paul? Be specific.
- How do you see yourself in the parable? What adjustments does God want you to make? Be specific.

#### THURSDAY // Read 1 Timothy 6:8, Matthew 6:25-32, Psalm 106:1

- In what way did Jesus encourage a financially anxious crowd? What did He promise God would provide?
- Explain the dynamics that can occur between financial wants and needs. How can you struggle with this?
- Make a list of God's provision in your life that you can be thankful for this week. Journal what you learn.

#### FRIDAY // Read 1 Timothy 6:6-8, Philippians 4:11b-13

- How is today's reading a countercultural financial principle? (i.e., too much is never enough)
- What does it mean that Paul "learned" to be content? What does this highlight about the actual role of money?
- In what way do you need to "learn" to be content? How will you put this into practice today? (i.e., gratitude)

#### SATURDAY // Read 1 Timothy 6:8, Matthew 6:19-21

- How do you struggle with financial worry? How can you get triggered? What is ultimately the root cause?
- Why will this always be a struggle living in Orange County? How can a mission trip help with perspective?
- In what way has this week's study challenged you? Be specific. Commit to asking God to help you in the struggle.

**MEDITATION VERSE**: <sup>6</sup>But godliness with contentment is great gain, <sup>7</sup>for we brought nothing into the world, and we cannot take anything out of the world. <sup>8</sup>But if we have food and clothing, with these we will be content.

| Timothy 6:6-8