

Day 1 | Read 1 Timothy 6:3-5, Proverbs 16:18, and James 3:14-16

Principle: False doctrine is an indicator of character issues within those who profess it.

1. What are the characteristics of a person who promotes false doctrine?
2. How have you seen your pride surface in spiritual matters and how has it created division in the church, your family, your friendships, etc.?

Day 2 | Read 1 Timothy 6:6-8, Psalm 37:16, Ecclesiastes 5:15, and Philippians 4:11-12

Principle: Christian contentment is grounded in our love for God, not what we get from God.

1. How does knowing we “arrive with nothing and leave with nothing” bring contentment?
2. Who or what do you often rely upon to find happiness or peace?

Day 3 | Read 1 Timothy 6:9-10, Proverbs 11:28, Ecclesiastes 5:10, Matthew 6:24, and Matthew 15:19

Principle: A desire to be rich can cause Christians to fall when tempted by the things of this world.

1. How does a desire to be rich cause Christians to fall when tempted by the world?
2. What causes you to desire more money, and when does this become a problem for you?

Day 4 | Read 1 Timothy 6:9-10, Exodus 20:3, Matthew 6:19-20, and Matthew 19:23-26

Principle: A love for money can cause Christians to become a source of evil in the world.

1. What is a love of money and how does it become a source of evil in the world?
2. Why are some Christians wealthy, and in what ways might they be accountable for creating a desire for money in other Christians?