

# Following God's Financial Counsel

## Bible Study 2: "Financial Counsel from Select Passages"

1. List characteristics or attributes of people who follow God's financial counsel.
2. Read 1 Timothy 6:18-19. What are some positive things you can do with the money God entrusts to you?
3. Identify the purposes for money that the following verses share.
  - Proverbs 3:9; Matthew 28:18-20 \_\_\_\_\_
  - Proverbs 13:22; 1 Timothy 5:8 \_\_\_\_\_
  - Galatians 6:10; 1 John 3:17 \_\_\_\_\_
4. Read Proverbs 19:20. What are you encouraged to do?

5. What do the following verses discourage? (Psalm 37:21; Proverbs 22:7; Romans 13:8)  
Encourage? (Proverbs: 3:9; 1 Corinthians 16:2; 2 Corinthians 8:7)



6. Read 1 Timothy 6:19. How do you store up treasures for yourself?
7. Read the Parable of the Talents (Matthew 25:14-30). Why did the master give His servants different amounts?
8. What did the servants do with their talents? What

prompted their actions?

9. What did the master say to each of the servants?
10. How can you apply this parable in your life?
11. Read the Parable of the Rich Fool (Luke 12:13-21). Was it wrong for this man to build bigger barns?
12. Why did Jesus call him a fool?
13. Read the Parable of the Shrewd Manager (Luke 16:1-13). What did the fired manager do to secure his future?



14. Why did Jesus call this man's action shrewd?