

**THE GOSPEL OF  
LUKE**

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**CHAPTER 12**

## LUKE 12:13-15

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## ROMANS 7:7

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I would not have known sin except through the law. For I would not have known covetousness unless the law had said, "You shall not covet."

But sin, taking opportunity by the commandment, produced in me all manner of evil desire.

And one of the company said unto him, Master, speak to my brother, that he divide the inheritance with me.

And one of the crowd  
spoke to my Lord,  
saying, My brother,  
inherit the kingdom



unto him, Master,  
he divide the  
me.

## LUKE 12:14-15

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## LUKE 12:16-18

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And he spake a parable unto them, saying, The ground of a certain rich man brought forth plentifully: and he thought within himself, saying, What shall I do, because I have no room where to bestow my fruits?

And he said, This will I do: I will pull down my barns, and build greater; and there will I bestow all my fruits and my goods.



## 1 TIMOTHY 6:10

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The love of money is the root of all evil: which while some coveted after, they have erred from the faith, and pierced themselves through with many sorrows."



## LUKE 12:19

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And I will say to my soul, Soul, thou hast much goods laid up for many years; take thine ease, eat, drink, and be merry.

## 1 TIMOTHY 6:8

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And having food and clothing, with these we shall be content.







## LUKE 12:20-21

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But God said unto him, Thou fool, this night thy soul shall be required of thee: then whose shall those things be, which thou hast provided?

So is he that layeth up treasure for himself, and is not rich toward God.



## 1 TIMOTHY 6:9

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Those who desire to be rich fall into temptation and a snare, and into many foolish and harmful lusts which drown men in destruction and perdition.

## MATTHEW 6:19

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Do not lay up for yourselves treasures on earth, where moth and rust destroy and where thieves break in and steal; but lay up for yourselves treasures in heaven, where neither moth nor rust destroys and where thieves do not break in and steal. For where your treasure is, there your heart will be also.



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Greed and worry are closely connected. Greed can never get enough, worry is afraid it will never have enough - and neither have their eyes on Jesus.

## LUKE 12:35-37

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Let your loins be girded about, and your lights burning; and ye yourselves like unto men that wait for their lord, when he will return from the wedding; that when he cometh and knocketh, they may open unto him immediately. Blessed are those servants, whom the lord when he cometh shall find watching: verily I say unto you, that he shall gird himself, and make them to sit down to meat, and will come forth and serve them.

## LUKE 12:38-40

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And if he shall come in the second watch, or come in the third watch, and find them so, blessed are those servants. And this know, that if the goodman of the house had known what hour the thief would come, he would have watched, and not have suffered his house to be broken through. Be ye therefore ready also: for the Son of man cometh at an hour when ye think not.

*If I knew that I was going  
to meet Jesus next week,  
what would I be doing with  
my time?*

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