



# JAMES

THE GOSPEL AT WORK

## Questions for Application for the Week of March 8, 2015

### James: The Gospel at Work

#### Part 9 - Dollar Dangers

#### James 5:1-6

Icebreaker: Life is short. It is a gift from God that should be enjoyed! What are three items on your bucket list? What is preventing you from checking these items off of your list?

1. God has expectations for His children. What are some biblical examples of people who loved money more than God? What was the end result? What can we learn and apply from them?

2. What are some biblical examples of rich people in Scripture who loved God more than they did money? How did they use their resources for God's glory? What can we learn and apply from them.

3. James writes that every man will be judged for how they use their money. How should this affect your life? What are some practical ways that our small group can hold each other accountable as it relates to finances.

4. How does the Gospel change our view of money altogether? How should the Gospel shape our giving as we await the return of Christ?

5. Matt shared how too often we fail to use our resources for God's glory. Brainstorm some practical ways your Life Group can use their resources to bless others in the church. Brainstorm some practical ways your Life Group can use their resources to make disciples locally and globally.

#### Possible Question for Breakout:

- Spend some time in prayer and ask God to grant you the wisdom to live in a way that lays up treasure in heaven!
- Is there a specific way that you need to apply the teaching from this passage? How can the Life Group help you in this?