WISDOM THAT WORKS

PROVERBS #22

Wisdom with Finances Pt. 7

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Pro. 4:7 Wisdom is the principal thing; therefore get wisdom: and with all thy getting get understanding

REVIEW

20. Don't spend all you have, think ahead.

Pro 21:20 There is treasure to be desired and oil in the dwelling of the wise; but a foolish man spendeth it up.

21. Borrowing puts you in bondage to those whom you borowed from.

Pro 22:7 The rich ruleth over the poor, and the borrower is servant to the lender.

THIS WEEK'S LESSON

22. Don't let someones ______ level in life determine how you ______ them.

Pro 22:16 He that oppresseth the poor to increase his riches, and he that giveth to the rich, shall surely come to want.

• God's will is the "_____".

Jam. 2:1-9 My brethren, have not the faith of our Lord Jesus Christ, the Lord of glory, with respect of persons. 2 For if there come unto your assembly a man with a gold ring, in goodly apparel, and there come in also a poor man in

vile raiment; 3 And ye have respect to him that weareth the gay clothing, and say unto him, Sit thou here in a good place; and say to the poor, Stand thou there, or sit here under my footstool: 4 Are ye not then partial in yourselves, and are become judges of evil thoughts? 5 Hearken, my beloved brethren, Hath not God chosen the poor of this world rich in faith, and heirs of the kingdom which he hath promised to them that love him? 6 But ye have despised the poor. Do not rich men oppress you, and draw you before the judgment seats? 7 Do not they blaspheme that worthy name by the which ye are called? 8 **If ye fulfil the royal law according to the scripture, Thou shalt love thy neighbour as thyself, ye do well:** 9 But if ye have respect to persons, ye commit sin, and are convinced of the law as transgressors

Phil. 2:3-4 Let nothing be done through strife or vainglory; but in lowliness of mind let each esteem other better than themselves. 4 Look not every man on his own things, but every man also on the things of others

23. The ______ of our life should never be to become _____.

Pro 23:4 Labour not to be rich: cease from thine own wisdom.

1 Tim. 6:6-10 But godliness with contentment is great gain. 7 For we brought nothing into this world, and it is certain we can carry nothing out. 8 And having food and raiment let us be therewith content. 9 But they that will be rich fall into temptation and a snare, and into many foolish and hurtful lusts, which drown men in destruction and perdition.10 For 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.

• <u>A couple goals of a Christian are:</u>

• To _____ God.

1 Cor. 10:31 Whether therefore ye eat, or drink, or whatsoever ye do, do all to the glory of God

• To _____ to Christ.

Rom. 8:29 For whom he did foreknow, he also did predestinate to be conformed to the image of his Son, that he might be the firstborn among many brethren.

24. Living for _____ is

living for the temporal.

Pro 27:24 For riches are not for ever: and doth the crown endure to every generation?

Heb. 11:24-27 By faith Moses, when he was come to years, refused to be called the son of Pharaoh's daughter; 25 Choosing rather to suffer affliction with the people of God, than to enjoy the pleasures of sin for a season; 26 Esteeming the reproach of Christ greater riches than the treasures in Egypt: for he had respect unto the recompence of the reward. 27 By faith he forsook Egypt, not fearing the wrath of the king: for he endured, as seeing him who is invisible.

Col. 3:1-2 If ye then be risen with Christ, seek those things which are above, where Christ sitteth on the right hand of God. 2 Set your affection on things above, not on things on the earth.

Matt. 6:19-21 Lay not up for yourselves treasures upon earth, where moth and rust doth corrupt, and where thieves break through and steal: 20 But lay up for yourselves treasures in heaven, where neither moth nor rust doth corrupt, and where thieves do not break through nor steal: 21 For where your treasure is, there will your heart be also.

25. There are no true ______ to success nor fruitful get ______ quick schemes.

Pro 28:20-22 A faithful man shall abound with blessings: but he that maketh haste to be rich shall not be innocent. To have respect of persons is not good: for for a piece of bread that man will transgress. He that hasteth to be rich hath an evil eye, and considereth not that poverty shall come upon him.

• They have some character deficiencies that are very evident.

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26. _____ is the worthly goal in all of our financial _____.

Pro 30:7-9 Two things have I required of thee; deny me them not before I die: Remove far from me vanity and lies: give me neither poverty nor riches; feed me with food convenient for me: Lest I be full, and deny thee, and say, Who is the LORD? or lest I be poor, and steal, and take the name of my God in vain.

27. The greatest _____ you can ever make are not _____ ones.

Pro. 23:23 Buy the truth, and sell it not; also wisdom, and instruction, and understanding.

Conclusion;

- Remember we said earlier that all the principles about finances in Proverbs could be summed up in three questions.
 - do I want it?
 do I get it?
 do I get it?
 do I do with it?