

A BIBLICAL PERSPECTIVE

#### Where we've been:

- 2000+ passages about money and/or possessions
- God owns it, we manage it
- Dangers of earthly treasures





#### 1 John 3:17-18

17If anyone has material possessions and sees a brother or sister in need but has no pity on them, how can the love of God be in that person? 18Dear children, let us not love with words or speech but with actions and in truth.















"Jesus deflects his disciples' goals one last time from great plans for personal success and redirects them to little deeds in other people's service."

-Frederick Dale Bruner

31"When the Son of Man comes in his glory, and all the angels with him, he will sit on his glorious throne. 32All the nations will be gathered before him, and he will separate the people one from another as a shepherd separates the sheep from the goats. 33 He will put the sheep on his right and the goats on his left.



<sup>34</sup>"Then the King will say to those on his right, 'Come, you who are blessed by my Father; take your inheritance, the kingdom prepared for you since the creation of the world. 35For I was hungry and you gave me something to eat, I was thirsty and you gave me something to drink, I was a stranger and you invited me in, 361 needed clothes and you clothed me, I was sick and you looked after me, I was in prison and you came to visit me.'

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37"Then the righteous will answer him, 'Lord, when did we see you hungry and feed you, or thirsty and give you something to drink? 38When did we see you a stranger and invite you in, or needing clothes and clothe you? 39When did we see you sick or in prison and go to visit you?'



40"The King will reply, 'Truly I tell you, whatever you did for one of the least of these brothers and sisters of mine, you did for me.'

'Depart from me, you who are cursed, into the eternal fire prepared for the devil and his angels.



42For I was hungry and you gave me nothing to eat, I was thirsty and you gave me nothing to drink, 43I was a stranger and you did not invite me in, I needed clothes and you did not clothe me, I was sick and in prison and you did not look after me.'



44"They also will answer, 'Lord, when did we see you hungry or thirsty or a stranger or needing clothes or sick or in prison, and did not help you?' 45"He will reply, 'Truly I tell you, whatever you did not do for one of the least of these, you did not do for me.' 46"Then they will go away to eternal punishment, but the righteous to eternal life."





# "Injustice anywhere is a threat to justice everywhere." -Martin Luther King, JR

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"As long as poverty, injustice and gross inequality persist in our world, none of us can truly rest."

-Nelson Mandela

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## WHEN A NATION FORGETS GUE

7 LESSONS WE MUST LEARN FROM NAZI GERMANY



















"So many won't do anything unless they hear a voice from heaven telling them precisely what to do. Why not default to action until you hear a voice from heaven telling you to wait?"

-Francis Chan



#### **Ezekiel 16:49**

"Now this was the sin of your sister Sodom: She and her daughters were arrogant, overfed and unconcerned; they did not help the poor and needy."







#### Isaiah 61:1a

The Spirit of the Sovereign Lord is on me, because the Lord has anointed me to proclaim good news to the poor.













