

A Living Faith Message 3

WHAT IS TRUE WEALTH?' - James 1:-9-12

TRUTHS THAT CLEAR UP SOME COMMON MISCONCEPTIONS ABOUT MONEY:

1. Money cannot buy _____.
2. Money cannot buy _____.
3. Money is not the root of all _____.

3 KEY THINGS THAT WE SHOULD REJOICE ABOUT CONCERNING OUR WEALTH OR LACK OF WEALTH:

I. **WE should rejoice because God**

_____ **the poor.** James 1:9

- TRUTH: If all that you have is _____; then you are _____ rich than anyone else who doesn't.
- As Christians, we are the sons and daughters of a king and we have the _____ of a son or daughter of a king

II. **We should also rejoice because God**

_____ **the rich.** James 1:10

- God gives people wealth to help fulfill his _____.

3 REASONS WHY THE RICH SHOULD REJOICE:

1. They have a new _____.
2. They have a new _____.
3. They have a new _____.

III. **We should rejoice because God has promised us a**

_____ James 1:12

2 THINGS TO UNDERSTAND ABOUT RECEIVING THE CROWN:

1. There is a _____. "the man that endureth temptation..."
2. There is a _____. "to them that love him"

James 1:9-12

9Let the brother of low degree rejoice in that he is exalted:

10But the rich, in that he is made low: because as the flower of the grass he shall pass away.

11For the sun is no sooner risen with a burning heat, but it withereth the grass, and the flower thereof falleth, and the grace of the fashion of it perisheth: so also shall the rich man fade away in his ways.

12Blessed is the man that endureth temptation: for when he is tried, he shall receive the crown of life, which the Lord hath promised to them that love him.

James 1:2

2My brethren, count it all joy when ye fall into divers temptations;

1 Timothy 6:17

17Charge them that are rich in this world, that they be not highminded, nor trust in uncertain riches, but in the living God, who giveth us richly all things to enjoy;

1 Timothy 6:10

10For 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.

Romans 8:17

17And if children, then heirs; heirs of God, and joint-heirs with Christ; if so be that we suffer with him, that we may be also glorified together.

2 Corinthians 8:9

9For ye know the grace of our Lord Jesus Christ, that, though he was rich, yet for your sakes he became poor, that ye through his poverty might be rich.

1 Corinthians 1:5

5That in every thing ye are enriched by him, in all utterance, and in all knowledge;

2 Samuel 9:1

1And David said, Is there yet any that is left of the house of Saul, that I may shew him kindness for Jonathan's sake?

2 Samuel 9:6–7

6Now when Mephibosheth, the son of Jonathan, the son of Saul, was come unto David, he fell on his face, and did reverence. And David said, Mephibosheth. And he answered, Behold thy servant!

7And David said unto him, Fear not: for I will surely shew thee kindness for Jonathan thy father's sake, and will restore thee all the land of Saul thy father; and thou shalt eat bread at my table continually.

2 Samuel 9:9–13

9Then the king called to Ziba, Saul's servant, and said unto him, I have given unto thy master's son all that pertained to Saul and to all his house.

10Thou therefore, and thy sons, and thy servants, shall till the land for him, and thou shalt bring in the fruits, that thy master's son may have food to eat: but Mephibosheth thy master's son shall eat bread alway at my table. Now Ziba had fifteen sons and twenty servants.

11Then said Ziba unto the king, According to all that my lord the king hath commanded his servant, so shall thy servant do. As for Mephibosheth, said the king, he shall eat at my table, as one of the king's sons.

12And Mephibosheth had a young son, whose name was Micha. And all that dwelt in the house of Ziba were servants unto Mephibosheth.

13So Mephibosheth dwelt in Jerusalem: for he did eat continually at the king's table; and was lame on both his feet.

Revelation 3:20

20Behold, I stand at the door, and knock: if any man hear my voice, and open the door, I will come in to him, and will sup with him, and he with me.

Deuteronomy 8:18

18But thou shalt remember the LORD thy God: for it is he that giveth thee power to get wealth, that he may establish his covenant which he sware unto thy fathers, as it is this day.

James 1:10

10But the rich, in that he is made low: because as the flower of the grass he shall pass away.

Luke 14:11

11For whosoever exalteth himself shall be abased; and he that humbleth himself shall be exalted.

James 4:10

10Humble yourselves in the sight of the Lord, and he shall lift you up.

Mark 10:23–25

23And Jesus looked round about, and saith unto his disciples, How hardly shall they that have riches enter into the kingdom of God!

24And the disciples were astonished at his words. But Jesus answereth again, and saith unto them, Children, how hard is it for them that trust in riches to enter into the kingdom of God!

25It is easier for a camel to go through the eye of a needle, than for a rich man to enter into the kingdom of God.

Matthew 6:19

19Lay not up for yourselves treasures upon earth, where moth and rust doth corrupt, and where thieves break through and steal:

Revelation 2:9–10

9I know thy works, and tribulation, and poverty, (but thou art rich) and I know the blasphemy of them which say they are Jews, and are not, but are the synagogue of Satan.

10Fear none of those things which thou shalt suffer: behold, the devil shall cast some of you into prison, that ye may be tried; and ye shall have tribulation ten days: be thou faithful unto death, and I will give thee a crown of life.

Job 23:10–11

10But he knoweth the way that I take: When he hath tried me, I shall come forth as gold.

11My foot hath held his steps, His way have I kept, and not declined.

1 John 2:15

15Love not the world, neither the things that are in the world. If any man love the world, the love of the Father is not in him.