

The Good Life

Trusting God Even When It's Hard



Message Summary

We can only have one master. God wants us to trust Him, but His enemies will fight for us. We have to choose daily to serve God and not money.

Key Scripture

"No one can serve two masters. Either you will hate the one and love the other, or you will be devoted to the one and despise the other. ..." Matthew 6:24 NIV

Additional Scriptures

- Matthew 6:24 EHV
- 1 Timothy 6:10 NLT
- Ephesians 6:12 NIV
- Acts 20:35 NIV
- Deuteronomy 8:17-18 NIV
- Malachi 3:10 NIV

Resources

Unsure How to Talk About Generosity?

Read this article with your LifeGroup to find helpful tips to navigate conversations about time and money:

www.go2.lc/moneytalk

Encuentra esta guía en

español: www.life.church/notas

Start Talking

Find a conversation starter for your group.

- How did you start putting your gifts to work this week?
- Share one blessing God has given you.

Start Thinking

Ask a question to get your group thinking.

- What does "trust" mean to you?
- Read **Matthew 6:24**. What are some practical ways people can be devoted to God instead of money? How do you think this impacts their relationship with God?

Start Sharing

Choose a question to create openness.

- Share about a time when you chose giving over consuming. How did that impact your relationship with God and money?
- Who are you trusting: God or the lies of the enemy? What step does God want you to take in order to trust Him more?

Start Praying

Lord, we are turning away from trusting money and the lies we have believed. Instead, we're choosing to turn toward You and the truth of Your goodness. Thank You for the ways You have provided for us. Help us to honor You with everything we have. In Jesus' name, amen.

Start Doing

- Find one way to trust God with your finances this week. Be ready to talk about it with your LifeGroup next week.
- Start the Bible Plan *Being Generous: With and Without Money* using Plans With Friends: www.go2.lc/goodlife
- Consider how you could love others by serving on the weekend or with a Local Mission Partner.