

Emmaus Church Community

08.21.2016 Sunday gathering #595

GREAT INVESTMENT:

A series about anxiety, legacy, and an old movie theater.

Part 3: Jesus Wants to Save My Money

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Today's question:

Why happens when my relationship with money

_____?

Something happens to _____,

to _____,

and to _____.

What happens to me?

I experience less _____ and more _____ .

Matthew 6:24-25

What happens to my money?

My money _____ something _____ and

_____ than me.

"The kingdom of heaven is like a **mustard seed**, which a man took and planted in his field. Though it is the smallest of all seeds, yet when it grows, it is the largest of garden plants and becomes a tree, so that the birds come and perch in its branches."

- Jesus, Matthew 13:31-32

What happens to others?

Others are _____ and God is _____.

Luke 19:1-10 *the story of Zaccheaus' conversion*

Respond:

- . Describe your relationship with money.
- . Rate your level of financial anxiety: 0 = none; 10 = totally consuming.
- . What would surrendering/giving over your current financial situation to God look like for you? What change would demonstrate a real shift in control?
- . Re-read Zaccheaus' story (Luke 19:1-10). Why do you think the financial change was important to Zacchaeus? Why was it important to Jesus?