

OUR TRUE RICHES ARE IN CHRIST

PROVERBS 22:2

I. Definition:

#1. A proverb denotes a \_\_\_\_\_, self-evident truth, expressed in a \_\_\_\_\_ pointed sentence, designed to 'arrest attention, awaken responsive thought, and remain fixed in memory.

II. The three goals or purposes of this message are:

#1. To have the right mental attitude towards being \_\_\_\_\_.

#2. To have the right mental attitude towards being \_\_\_\_\_.

#3. To have the right mental attitude towards the \_\_\_\_\_.

III. Principle to remember: \_\_\_\_\_ can't buy happiness.

IV. Principle to remember: True wealth is measured by, \_\_\_\_\_ not by dollars.

V. Principle to remember: It's all God's money. We're just \_\_\_\_\_ of it.

VI. Principle to remember: True \_\_\_\_\_ is found in Christ, not in the \_\_\_\_\_.

<sup>10</sup> but the rich (believer) **glory** in his **humiliation**, because as a flower of the field he will pass away.

**Glory:**

To glory means to boast or take \_\_\_\_\_.

**Humiliation:**

In the context is referring to material or significant financial \_\_\_\_\_.

**VIII.** If God allows a financial downfall, it might be to have you take your eyes off your \_\_\_\_\_ material riches and remember your true \_\_\_\_\_ riches are in Christ.

**IX.** What is the proper mental attitude we should have towards our wealth?

We need to remember our material wealth/riches are \_\_\_\_\_ (will pass away) and that our true riches are in Christ are \_\_\_\_\_.

**X. Principle to remember:**

Both the rich and the poor have \_\_\_\_\_ spiritual riches in Christ.

**XI. How does this apply to me:**

**The three goals or purposes of this message:**

**#1.** To have the right mental attitude towards being rich.

**Principle to remember about being rich:**

Don't \_\_\_\_\_ on getting rich, if you are focusing on getting rich you are focusing on the \_\_\_\_\_ thing.

**#2.** To have the right mental attitude towards being poor.

**Principle to remember about being poor:**

Don't \_\_\_\_\_ on being poor, but set your mind on things \_\_\_\_\_ and your riches in Christ.

**#3.** The have the right mental attitude towards the LORD.

Don't forget to thank the LORD for making you rich or poor or middle class because regardless of your material wealth you are \_\_\_\_\_ in Christ.

**TRUTH TO REMEMBER:**

**I Timothy 6:7-8 NKJV**

**For we brought nothing into this world, and it is certain we can carry nothing out. And having food and clothing, with these we shall be content.**