

**MONEY MATTERS!**  
**(10 Principles about Money)**

- Why a study on these subjects?
  1. It is \_\_\_\_\_.
  2. It is \_\_\_\_\_ to God.
  3. It should be important to \_\_\_\_\_.
- What is “money”?
  1. God is concerned about \_\_\_\_\_ regardless of their economic status (Prov. 22:2), especially as it relates to their \_\_\_\_\_. (John 3:16; 2 Peter 3:9; 1 Tim. 2:4-6)
  2. God is sovereign & is in ultimate \_\_\_\_\_ of both poverty and prosperity. (Prov. 10:3, 22)
  3. Monetary transactions are a \_\_\_\_\_ function in life. (Prov. 11:26, 31:16, 24)
  4. It is \_\_\_\_\_ wrong to possess money and wealth. It is the \_\_\_\_\_ of riches that are wrong. (Prov. 10:2, 11:25, 19:22, 21:6)
  5. It is important to remember that God \_\_\_\_\_ it all. (Lev. 25:23; 1 Chronicles 29:11-14; Psalm 24:1, 50:10-12; Haggai 2:8; 1 Cor. 4:7)
  6. God gives us the \_\_\_\_\_ to get wealth (Deut. 8:17-18) and we are but \_\_\_\_\_ of the time, truth, talents, and treasures that God gives us, including goods & money, to manage & use them for His \_\_\_\_\_. (Luke 16:10)
  7. Money cannot purchase the truly valuable commodities of life such as...
    - a. \_\_\_\_\_ before God for you or others. (Psalm 49:7; Prov. 11:4; Mark 10:24-25)
    - b. Lasting \_\_\_\_\_. (Prov. 10:15, 11:28, 18:10-11)
    - c. Inner \_\_\_\_\_. (Prov. 15:16)
    - d. Real \_\_\_\_\_. (Prov. 15:17)
    - e. Lasting \_\_\_\_\_. (Eccl. 5:10-11)
    - f. True \_\_\_\_\_. (Prov. 28:11, 16:16, 20:15)
    - g. An accurate \_\_\_\_\_ from God’s perspective. (James 1:9-11; Rev. 3:14-21)

8. Both poverty & prosperity carry certain \_\_\_\_\_ with them. (Prov. 30:8-9; Mark 4:19; Prov. 23:4-5)
9. Jesus Christ dogmatically stated that \_\_\_\_\_ is far more important and should be desired more than \_\_\_\_\_. (Matthew 6:19-21)
10. Don't deceive yourself. You cannot serve \_\_\_\_\_. (Matthew 6:24)
- What are some examples of this principle?