

We Commit the Sin of Covetousness When We...

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(NOTE: The filled in lessons are from [last Sunday's sermon](#))

Lesson 1: The worst thing for a coveter is receiving what they covet (Luke 12:15; 1 Kin 10:4-5, 10:21; 2 Chr 9:20; Ecc 5:10).

Lesson 2: Covetousness:

- (Part I) Is a trap (Luke 12:15).
- (Part II) Leads to possessions possessing us.

Lesson 3: We commit the sin of covetousness when we want something:

- (Part I) Too strongly (Luke 12:15; Exo 20:17; Col 3:5).
- (Part II) _____ to someone else (Luke 12:15; Exo 20:17).
- (Part III) God doesn't want _____ (Josh 7:21; Pro 15:27).

Lesson 4: Covetousness _____ often go hand-in-hand (Pro 22:7; Rom 13:8).

Lesson 5: Christ _____ and makes us rich (Matt 6:12; 2 Cor 8:9).

Family Worship Guide

Memory Verse: Proverbs 15:27

Day 1: Read Luke 12:13-14, Phil 4:6, Eph 6:18, 1 Tim 2:1, and discuss: What does the question that the man posed to Jesus reveal what was important to him? How did his priorities reflected in his question contrast Jesus' priorities in His teachings? How can the desires for our lives contrast against Christ's desire for our lives? How does bringing our requests before God help us in prioritizing their importance?

Day 2: Read Exo 20:17, Matt 5:27, Josh 7:19-21, Pro 15:27, and discuss: How is covetousness and lusting in our hearts immorally alike? Are the effects of covetousness isolated only to the one who commits it?

Day 3: Prov 22:7, Rom 13:8, and discuss: Is it possible to covet a good thing? How can we know, if it is a good desire or a sinful one? What way does God want us to always be in debt to pay to each other?

Suggestions for Prayer

Your pastors and elders: those who lead, feed, and care for the flock, and their families (Col 4:3; 2 Thes 3:1).

Church members in need (1 Tim 2:1; Eph 6:18; Col 1:9).

"Kings" and those in authority: President Trump, Vice President Pence, Governor Inslee (1 Tim 2:2).

The spread of the Gospel: Missionaries and unreached people groups (Matt 9:37-38).