



**Wednesday, August 27, 2025**  
**Bible Study**

**GET YOUR MONEY RIGHT**

**"Focus on Your Purpose"**

**2 Chronicles 1:7-12 and Matthew 6:33**

King Solomon offers a sobering lesson on wealth - **Ecclesiastes 5:10-6:2, NLT**

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| 10. Money never satisfies.         | 17. Riches bring misery.           |
| 11. More wealth, more takers.      | 18. Enjoy simple gifts.            |
| 12. Workers sleep; the rich worry. | 19. Contentment is God's gift.     |
| 13. Hoarding hurts.                | 20. God grants joyful living.      |
| 14. Riches vanish quickly.         | 1. Misused wealth is tragic.       |
| 15. We leave with nothing.         | 2. Riches without joy equal grief. |
| 16. Chasing wealth is empty.       |                                    |

**Ecclesiastes 6:9** - Enjoy what you have!

Having wealth and riches is not inherently bad. God Himself knows how to give riches to those to whom He wants - **1 Chronicles 29:12**. What is bad is the pursuit (love of) money - **1 Timothy 6:10**. Now, instead of seeking after God, you serve money - **Matthew 6:24**. Seeking God and serving money cannot coexist at the same time.

Seeking first the Kingdom of God and His righteousness looks like obeying God in everything. It appears that I am living daily for God, advancing His cause on earth. To effectively advance God's agenda, I must work in my purpose (**Ephesians 4:16**). When I do this, God then adds everything I need to me.

1. **Embrace Your Purpose (2 Chronicles 1:8).** Solomon was well aware of what God had done in his life, making him king.
2. **Focus on Your Purpose (2 Chronicles 1:9).** Solomon knew the weight and responsibility of his purpose.
3. **Seek According to Your Purpose (2 Chronicles 1:10).** When God asked Solomon what he wanted, he asked in accordance with his purpose.

When you do this, God will give you more than what you ask for ([Matthew 6:33](#) and [2 Chronicles 1:11-12](#)).