

# Rich Toward God

"For you say, I am rich, I have prospered, and I need nothing, not realizing that you are wretched, pitiable, poor, blind, and naked." Revelation 3:17 (ESV)

Revelation 3:17 - Some who think they are \_\_\_\_\_ are really \_\_\_\_\_!

## Luke 12: A Parable About True Riches

- A. 12:13-15 - We must \_\_\_\_\_ against covetousness, and not think our lives are measured by \_\_\_\_\_.
- B. The Parable of the Rich Fool:
- 12:16-19 - It looks like he lived the \_\_\_\_\_.  
He worked \_\_\_\_\_, reaped the \_\_\_\_\_, and was looking toward a comfortable \_\_\_\_\_.
  - 12:20 - \_\_\_\_\_'s assessment of this man was that he was a \_\_\_\_\_. He gave only \_\_\_\_\_ the credit; his focus was entirely \_\_\_\_\_; he forgot about life's \_\_\_\_\_.
  - 12:21 - Do we \_\_\_\_\_ up treasure for \_\_\_\_\_, or are we \_\_\_\_\_ toward \_\_\_\_\_?
- C. Wright: People who are rich toward God can "\_\_\_\_\_ in the knowledge that \_\_\_\_\_ is in \_\_\_\_\_."

## A Portrait Of One Who Is "Rich Toward God"

- A. **A hand that provides:**
- Proverbs 13:4 - The soul of the \_\_\_\_\_ is \_\_\_\_\_ supplied.
  - 2 Timothy 2:6 - The \_\_\_\_\_-working farmer should have the \_\_\_\_\_ share of the crops.
- B. **An eye on the future:**
- Luke 12:32-34 - It is the Father's good \_\_\_\_\_ to give us the \_\_\_\_\_. This treasure does not \_\_\_\_\_.
  - 1 Timothy 6:17-19 - Those who are \_\_\_\_\_ must not set their \_\_\_\_\_ on the \_\_\_\_\_ of riches.
- C. **A heart for the poor:**
- 1 Timothy 6:18 - Christians are to be \_\_\_\_\_ in good \_\_\_\_\_, generous and ready to \_\_\_\_\_.
  - Titus 3:14 - Help with cases of \_\_\_\_\_.
  - Ephesians 4:28 - Do honest \_\_\_\_\_ so you may have something to \_\_\_\_\_ with anyone in \_\_\_\_\_.

Piper: "'Rich toward God' means counting \_\_\_\_\_ greater \_\_\_\_\_ than anything on \_\_\_\_\_."

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