

# The Mirage Of More | Unsubscribe, Pt. 6

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Then he said to them, **“Watch out! Be on your guard against all kinds of greed; life does not consist in an abundance of possessions.”** [Luke 12:15 \(NIV\)](#)

And he told them this parable: “The ground of a certain rich man yielded an abundant harvest. He thought to himself, ‘What shall I do? I have no place to store my crops.’” Then he said, ‘This is what I’ll do. I will tear down my barns and build bigger ones, and there I will store my surplus grain. And I’ll say to myself, “You have plenty of grain laid up for many years. **Take life easy; eat, drink and be merry.**”’ [Luke 12:16-19 \(NIV\)](#)

But God said to him, ‘You fool! This very night your life will be demanded from you. Then who will get what you have prepared for yourself?’ **“This is how it will be with whoever stores up things for themselves but is not rich toward God .”** [Luke 12:20-21 \(NIV\)](#)

## GOOD NEWS & BAD NEWS

► **The good news: God has**  **you!**

Moreover, when **God gives someone wealth and possessions**, and the ability to enjoy them, to accept their lot and be happy in their toil – **this is a gift from God.** [Ecclesiastes 5:19 \(NIV\)](#)

► **The bad news: God has**  **you!**

Jesus looked at him and said, **“How hard it is for the rich to enter the kingdom of God ! It is easier for a camel to go through the eye of a needle than for someone who is rich to enter the kingdom of God.”** [Luke 18:24-25 \(NIV\)](#)

● **We don’t need more of what’s temporary – we need more of what’s**  **!**

**Each of you should give what you have decided in your heart to give** , not reluctantly or under compulsion, for God loves a cheerful giver. And **God is able to bless you abundantly** , so that in all things at all times, having all that you need, you will abound in every good work.

Now he who supplies seed to the sower and bread for food will also supply and increase your store of seed and will enlarge the harvest of your righteousness. **You will be enriched in every way so that you can be generous on every occasion**, and through us your generosity will result in thanksgiving to God. [2 Corinthians 9:7-11 \(NIV\)](#)

### Talk It Over

1. Being blessed is both good news *and* bad news. Why do you think abundance can actually make our relationship with God harder?

2. Why do you think we sometimes feel guilty or apologetic about being blessed, rather than just grateful?

For your own notes:

### Daily Bible Readings

Monday—[Acts 23:12-35](#)//Tuesday—Acts 24

Wednesday—Acts 25//Thursday—Acts 26

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