

Giving, the Remedy for Materialism

Matthew 6:19-21, Proverbs 30:15-16, 1 Timothy 6:10 (NLT)

FIVE EFFECTS OF ALWAYS WANTING MORE:

1. _____
Proverbs 23:4 (GN)
2. _____
Ecclesiastes 5:11 (LB)
3. _____
Ecclesiastes 5:12 (GN)
4. _____
James 4:1 (CEV)
5. _____
Ecclesiastes 5:10 (NLT)



CONTENTMENT means that your happiness is measured by appreciating _____, not postponed by dwelling on _____.

Philippians 4:11-13 (CEV)

FOUR WAYS TO CONQUER MATERIALISM:

1. _____ comparing myself to others
1 Timothy 6:9 (CEV), Proverbs 14:30 (CEV)
2. _____ in what I do have
Ecclesiastes 5:19 (NLT), Ecclesiastes 6:9 (CEV)
3. _____ on what's going to last
2 Corinthians 4:18 (GN), Luke 12:15 (NLT)
4. _____ what I have to help others
1 Timothy 6:17-19 (LB), Acts 20:35 (CEV)



THE BIBLE TEACHES US TO GIVE:

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| 1. _____
<i>Psalms 116:12</i> | 3. _____
<i>2 Corinthians 9:6</i> |
| 2. _____
<i>2 Corinthians 8:3</i> | 4. _____
<i>2 Corinthians 9:7</i> |

For God so loved the world that He **GAVE** ...

John 3:16, Luke 6:38 (MES)

Are you the
GRINCH?

Week
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Don't Steal
Your Own Christmas

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