

Gilligan's Island "Greed" June 17, 2012

Then he said to them, "Watch out! Be on your guard against all kinds of greed; a man's life does not consist in the abundance of his possessions." Luke 12:15

BIG IDEA: Who Wants To Be A Millionaire?

Luke 12: 13-21

Greed will separate us from what is truly important...

Greed will come between us and **God**.

The 2 enemies of Greed

#1) Contentment

#2) **Generosity**

Jesus exposes the LIES about Greed

Take a lesson from the Parable of the Rich Man

The 4 wrong views that lead to Greed:

- He had the wrong view of **FULFILMENT**
- He had a wrong view of **SUCCESS**

- He didn't understand where his wealth came from.
- He didn't understand the purpose of wealth.
- He didn't understand that earthly wealth is temporary

- He had the wrong view of Stewardship
 - The 3 "T's" of Stewardship
 - **TIME**
 - **TALENTS**
 - **TREASURES**
- He had the wrong view of **LIFE**

NEXT STEPS:

- ___ I will open my eyes this week & truly LOOK at what God has provided for me in my life, give God thanks & be content in every circumstance.
- ___ I will use my 3 "Ts" (Time, Talent, Treasures) to make a positive difference in 2 people's lives this week.
- ___ I will demonstrate generosity this week to someone who isn't expecting it.
- ___ I will read Luke Chapter 12 in the Bible this week.