

Biblical **PRINCIPLES OF FINANCES**

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Message Title: Biblical Principles of Finances (Part 1)

Introduction:

Every s_____ decision is a s_____ decision.

1. Spend I_____ than you earn.

- a. *Proverbs 21:20 There is treasure to be desired and oil in the dwelling of the wise; But a foolish man spendeth it up.*
- b. Most people try to attack this principle by focusing on e_____
more.
- c. We must be willing to change our b_____.
- d. This principle is about being c_____ with what God has given
to you.
- e. To be content I must learn:
 - i. To be g_____.
 - ii. To c_____.
 - iii. To h_____ God.

2. Avoid the use of d_____.

- a. To avoid the use of debt we must learn three things:
 - i. to not be i_____.
 - ii. to be p_____.
 - iii. to protect our s_____.
- b. *Proverbs 22:7 The rich ruleth over the poor, And the borrower is servant to the lender.*

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- c. The problem with g_____ is that it masks as n_____.
- d. The way you feel about money is a direct expression of your f_____.
- e. It is so much easier to see greed in others than in o_____.
- f. Three things we need to protect to help us avoid the use of debt:
 - i. Protect from i_____. (10/10/80 Budget)
 - ii. Protect from i_____.
 - iii. Protect your s_____.

Conclusion

Just like gaining weight takes no effort but losing weight is hard work and takes time, getting your finances in order is hard work and takes time.

Are you spending less than you earn?

Are you avoiding the use of debt?

Are you honoring God with your finances?

