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I. Being Completely Consumed by Materialism (19-21)

A. The Wrong Approach to Personal Wealth (19)

1. To selfishly hoard the wealth God has given us.
2. To selfishly spend the wealth God has given us only on our personal comfort and pleasure.
3. To sinfully crave the wealth God has not given us.

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B. The Right Approach to Personal Wealth (20)

1. Make sure you will be in heaven.
2. Invest in the advance of Jesus' spiritual kingdom.
 1. By investing in missions and evangelism.
 2. By investing in the church.
3. Invest in the needs of people.

C. The First Danger with Materialism (21)