

Words to the Rich (and People Who Want to Be)

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1 Timothy 6:2b-10, 17-19

I. Healthy Words and Sick Cravings

A. "Teach and urge these things" (2-4)

B. Sick cravings (4-5; Titus 1:15)

II. The Love of Money

A. A path to riches? (5; 1 Timothy 5:18; Psalm 112:9; 1 Corinthians 1:23; 2 Corinthians 9:9)

B. Godliness is gain (6-8; 1 Timothy 4:8; Job 1:21; Jeremiah 45:4-5)

C. The desire to be rich (9-10; Luke 16:13-14)

III. How to Be Rich (17-19)

A. Spiritual danger (17; Mark 10:25; Luke 12:20; Proverbs 30:8-9; Psalm 112:1, 3; Proverbs 10:22)

B. How to handle being wealthy (18-19; 1 Timothy 4:10; Matthew 6:19-20; 1 Peter 1:3-5; Luke 16:19-31; Luke 16:9; Hebrews 13:16; Acts 10:4)

C. Oh, you're *not* rich? (Colossians 3:23-24; Ephesians 4:28; Luke 21:3; Proverbs 19:17; 2 Corinthians 9:9)