



Discussion Questions
Sermon title: "The Last Piece Problem"
Speaker: Pastor Dale
Date: Luke 12:13-21

Don't feel pressured to cover every single question, especially in the "Let's Dig" section.

Let's Talk

1. Winter is getting long. If you could travel anywhere this week for a vacation where would you go and why?

Let's Dig

1. What is one thing Pastor Dale said that you want to discuss?
2. Who or what has had the most profound impact on how you view and manage your money and possessions? What impact have they had?
3. Do you more often think you are the "owner" or "steward" of your resources? How does your thinking influence the way in which you use your resources?
4. Jesus said, "Life is not measured by how much you own." How do you react or respond to that statement? Do we live like we believe Jesus' words? What kind of behavior would indicate that we do not believe Jesus' words?
5. We own nothing. God owns everything. Agree? Disagree? What are the implications of acknowledging that God owns everything? How does that make you feel?
6. Read 1 Corinthians 6:19-20. We do not belong to ourselves, but to God. What are the implications of that truth?
7. Read Matthew 6:19. Where do you store your treasures and why? Would you like to change where you store your treasures? If so, what do you want to change?
8. In Luke 12:20 Jesus called the "materialist" a fool. Too harsh? Why or why not?
9. Do you ever find yourself so preoccupied with "stuff" in life that you forget about the most important things? How can we stay focused on what is most important?
10. Is there anything you are holding on to that you need to let go of and release to God?

Let's Act

1. Conduct an audit of your stuff and your attitude toward your stuff. Identify changes you want to make and first steps you will take to begin those changes.

For Next Week

Next week's sermon is titled, "The First Piece Priority." Pastor Dale Hummel will be speaking. Please read Proverbs 21:27 & Malachi 3:6-12 to prepare.

