

Common Mistakes People Make with Their Money Part II

I. In **Matthew 25:14-30** JESUS taught the _____.

1. JESUS told about a rich Master, _____ before he went on a journey, entrusted Servants with _____ wealth (Talents) into their care. **V. 14**

2. A Talent was a solid _____, weighing about _____ pounds. In today’s currency this would be valued at _____.

3. The Wise Master distributed the Talents to each Servant based on their _____ what he had given them. **V. 15** All were _____ by what the Master had given them. **V. 21**

4. When the Master _____ from HIS Journey, He found two servants had _____ and doubled their Talents. **V. 19-23** These Servants received _____ and were _____. This Parable is about _____ before GOD.

5. But one servant hid his Talent in _____, which caused _____ and _____. **V. 24-30** This disobedient servant was punished for _____ by burying what the Master had put into his possession.

6. These Talents represent far more than money. They represent _____:

Your _____	Your _____	Your Family	All _____
Your _____	Your Walk with GOD		Your _____
Your _____	Your education		Your _____
Your _____	Your days, weeks, months, years		Your _____

II. (This is a continuation from the Message on March 22)

8. Playing the _____ and other forms of gambling.

9. _____ money to family and friends. (creates strained relationships)

10. Not being smart about paying for _____, grad school, weddings, etc.

11. Buying _____ property when you can’t afford it.

12. Insurance mistakes. Don’t buy _____ insurance policies. Twenty-year _____ life insurance is better. Then be “self-insured.” If you choose higher _____ on your car and home, you can save on premiums.

13. Using a _____ service. Hiring someone else to fix your mismanagement rarely works.

14. Not having a _____, a Living Will, Power of Attorney, or a _____ Document for your minor children in case of your untimely death. A written Will is _____ to your family. (_____ do not have one)

15. Being quick to _____.
16. Having _____ bank accounts as a married couple. Do you want _____ in your Marriage? Are you on the same Team, or are you _____?
17. Not having a _____ file.
18. Having a poor _____. Prov. 12:24, 13:4, 6:6-11 Not teaching your kids to work hard and be responsible. Don't be easy on your kids. Make them work.
19. Not starting early to _____ in your future retirement.
 - * It is smart to _____ first ... as rapidly as you can.
 - * Income stock mutual funds have averaged 12.03% growth per/yr since 1934.
20. The Failure to _____ with Tithes and Offerings. Malachi 3:1-12
 - A. The Tithe (10%) is your _____ for your future Harvest. Prov. 3:9-10
 - B. Offerings are any money, directed by GOD, to give and bless _____ the Tithe.

****It is never too late to manage better what GOD has given you.***

