

**Luke 16 Share the Wealth**  
**Vs. 1-9 – Parable of the steward**

Have you ever been fired or taken off a job? Do you know why?

Do you keep track of your assets? Does your checkbook balance?

Vs 1-2

Are you wasting possessions?

Vs 3-4

Even though it might help you with your troubles, what are you not strong enough to do? What are you ashamed to do?

What kinds of plans have you made that help you get around your troubles?

Vs 5-7

When have you been dishonest? Why were you dishonest?

Vs 8-9

How could you use your possessions to gain friends for yourself? For God?

**Vs 10-13 – God vs. money**

What do your possessions show about your heart?

What does your treatment of other people and their property show about your heart?

In what area of your life are you trying to “walk the fence” between God and possessions?

**Vs 14-31 – Heart wins!**

Vs 14-15

What kind of manners does a person who loves money have?

What did money represent to the Pharisees?

Is what you have a sign of approval from God?

Vs 16-18

Why does Jesus uphold the law?

Why does Jesus talk about divorce and adultery in the middle of a discussion about money?

Vs 19-31

What does the parable of the rich man and Lazarus say to the rich?

What does the parable of the rich man and Lazarus say to the poor?

What does the parable of the rich man and Lazarus say to you?