

GET YOUR
HOPES



UP

Part 5: Having Hope When Life Seems Uncertain

Command those who are rich ***in this present world*** not to be arrogant nor to put their hope in wealth, which is so uncertain, but to put their hope in God, who richly provides us with everything for our enjoyment. - 1 Timothy 6:17 (NIV)

Two kinds of people:

Those who trust in WHAT THEY HAVE

People who want to be rich fall into all sorts of temptations and traps. They are caught by foolish and harmful desires that drag them down and destroy them. - 1 Timothy 6:9 (CEV)

Those who trust in WHO HAS THEM

My God will meet all your needs according to the riches of his glory in Christ Jesus. - Philippians 4:19 (NIV)

Yahweh Yireh = The God who PROVIDES

He who did not spare his own Son, but gave him up for us all—how will he not also, along with him, graciously give us all things? - Romans 8:32 (NIV)

Big Idea:

Am I CONTENT with what I have?

I know what it is to be in need, and I know what it is to have plenty. I have learned the secret of being content in any and every situation, whether well fed or hungry, whether living in plenty or in want. - Philippians 4:12 (NIV)

Am I TRUSTWORTHY with what I have?

“He gave one servant five bags of gold, another servant two bags of gold, and a third servant one bag of gold, ***to each one as much as he could handle.*** Then he left.” - Matthew 25:15 (NCV)

Am I GENEROUS with what I have?

Those who give to the poor will lack nothing, but those who close their eyes to them receive many curses. - Proverbs 28:27 (NIV)

WHAT'S NEXT?

My decision today

- I received Christ for the first time
- I recommitted my life to Christ

Next step

- I would like to be baptized
- I would like to join Starting Point
- I would like to join a LifeGroup
- I would like to talk to a pastor

Get involved

- I want to help in setup ministry
- I want to help in kid's ministry
- I want to help in tech ministry
- I want to help with break-down

Prayer Requests / Questions