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The Grip Of Greed

Luke 12:15 (NASB)

¹⁵Beware, and be on your guard against every form of greed; for not even when one has an abundance does his life consist of his possessions.

Crisis Of Belief:

Mark 10:17-21 (NASB)

¹⁷As He was setting out on a journey, a man ran up to Him and knelt before Him, and asked Him, "Good Teacher, what shall I do to inherit eternal life?" ¹⁸And Jesus said to him, "Why do you call Me good? No one is good except God alone. ¹⁹You know the commandments, 'DO NOT MURDER, DO NOT COMMIT ADULTERY, DO NOT STEAL, DO NOT BEAR FALSE WITNESS, Do not defraud, HONOR YOUR FATHER AND MOTHER.'" ²⁰And he said to Him, "Teacher, I have kept all these things from my youth up." ²¹Looking at him, Jesus felt a love for him and said to him, "One thing you lack: go and sell all you possess and give to the poor, and you will have treasure in heaven; and come, follow Me..."

Moment Of Crisis:

1. False _____
2. _____ Tug-O-War
3. _____

Mark 10:22-27 (NASB)

²²But at these words he was saddened, and he went away grieving, for he was one who owned much property. ²³And Jesus, looking around, said to His disciples, "How hard it will be for those who are wealthy to enter the kingdom of God!" ²⁴The disciples were amazed at His words. But Jesus answered again and said to them, "Children, how hard it is to enter the kingdom of God! ²⁵It is easier for a camel to go through the eye of a needle than for a rich man to enter the kingdom of God." ²⁶They were even more astonished and said to Him, "Then who can be saved?" ²⁷Looking at them, Jesus said, "With people it is impossible, but not with God; for all things are possible with God."

Proverbs 13:7 (NKJV)

⁷There is one who makes himself rich, yet has nothing; and one who makes himself poor, yet has great riches.

The Truth Can Break The Grip:

John 8:32 (NASB)

³²You will know the truth, and the truth will make you free.

1 John 1:9 (NASB)

⁹If we confess our sins, He is faithful and righteous to forgive us our sins and to cleanse us from all unrighteousness.

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