



**I Am Jesus:
The Self-Made Fool
Luke 12:13-21**

Covetousness: *feeling or showing a very strong desire for something that you do not have and especially for something that belongs to someone else*

"For the Father judges no one, but has committed all judgment to the Son, that all should honor the Son just as they honor the Father." - John 5:22-23

When I covet something, what I'm really expressing is the belief that Jesus is _____.

The lie is, "I need Jesus AND _____ to be satisfied."

"Teacher, which is the great commandment in the law?" Jesus said to him, "You shall love the Lord your God with all your heart, with all your soul, and with all your mind." - Matthew 22:6-7

If I allow _____ to define success, I will be satisfied.

If I allow _____ to define success, I will covet and never be satisfied.

"Vanity of vanities, all is vanity." - Ecclesiastes 1:2

"Everything is meaningless... completely meaningless!" - Ecclesiastes 1:2 (NLT)

The God-made man recognizes the blessing of his _____.

The God-made man recognizes that _____
_____ come from God.

Every good gift and every perfect gift is from above, and comes down from the Father of lights... - James 1:17

The God-made man recognizes that when He gives to God, he is only _____ a portion of what God gave him.

"...who am I, and who are my people, that we should be able to offer so willingly as this? For all things come from You and of Your own we have given You." - 1 Chronicles 29:14

Intelligence vs. Wisdom:

- *Intelligence is the ability to understand how THE WORLD works, and use that understanding to one's benefit.*
- *Wisdom is the ability to understand how ETERNITY works, and use that understanding to one's benefit.*

If any of you lacks wisdom, let him ask of God, who gives to all liberally and without reproach, and it will be given to him. - James 1:5

Tithing is a regularly scheduled _____ that _____ we have belongs to the Lord.

...The purpose of tithing is to teach you always to put God first in your lives. - Deuteronomy 14:23 (TLB)

Your eyes saw my substance, being yet unformed. And in Your book they all were written, the days fashioned for me, when as yet there were none of them. - Psalm 139:13

If I'm going to be rich toward God, I need to find a way to invest my _____, _____ and _____ in the Kingdom of God – the eternity that I am destined for.