



## Your Treasure and Your Heart

**Scripture:** Matthew 6:19-34

**Sermon Points:**

A Kingdom Request - It calls on you to invest somewhere else. It calls on you to change your heart.

A Kingdom Reason - You will hit what you aim at.

A King's Response - Investing in the kingdom grows a trust in the King. Consider what role giving has in your spiritual life. Consider what role gratitude has in your giving.

**Group Opener**

Are you naturally a person who prefers to spend money or someone who prefers to save money?

**Discussion Questions:**

1. We read that Jesus asked people to invest wealth into the kingdom. Does that feel like a habit that Christians used to do, or still do?
2. Discuss the quote from missionary Kosuke Koyama.  
"Man is supposed to eat bread. But what if bread eats man? What if income is using man instead of man using income?"
3. Read Matt 6:19-21  
Jesus teaches that loyalties can feel twisted or split. Finances still create tension in our lives. Talk through a time in your life when finances created a tension that might have split your loyalties to your family time, or maybe even your spiritual walk?
4. Christians can either feel a lot of guilt about this message or feel very little conviction about giving. How can this passage from Jesus be an encouragement to grow with Him more?
5. How has giving & gratitude shaped your spiritual life?