

## QUESTIONS FOR SPIRITUAL GROWTH

## “INTELLIGENT INVESTMENT”

LUKE 16:1-13

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1. How can we know where to draw the line on spending on ourselves versus investing in God’s kingdom purposes?
2. If Christians are committed to the Great Commission, why do most fail to give even ten percent of their income?
3. What are some implications of the fact that money management is the “little thing” that God uses to test us for our trustworthiness in handling true riches (souls)?
4. Should Christians will their estates to unbelieving or lukewarm children? Give biblical support.

Main point: A faithful steward will invest his Master’s money intelligently to provide true riches for eternity.

*“According to the grace of God which was given to me, like a wise master builder I laid a foundation, and another is building on it. But each man must be careful how he builds on it. For no man can lay a foundation other than the one which is laid, which is Jesus Christ. Now if any man builds on the foundation with gold, silver, precious stones, wood, hay, straw, each man’s work will become evident; for the day will show it because it is to be revealed with fire, and the fire itself will test the quality of each man’s work. If any man’s work which he has built on it remains, he will receive a reward. If any man’s work is burned up, he will suffer loss; but he himself will be saved, yet so as through fire.” 1 Corinthians 3:10-15*

*“Instruct those who are rich in this present world not to be conceited or to fix their hope on the uncertainty of riches, but on God, who richly supplies us with all things to enjoy. Instruct them to do good, to be rich in good works, to be generous and ready to share, storing up for themselves the treasure of a good foundation for the future, so that they may take hold of that which is life indeed.” 1 Timothy 6:17-19*