

CONVERSATION GUIDE

Middle-High School

DATE: 6/28/20

SCRIPTURE: 1 Timothy 6:3-10, 17-19

LESSON: Warnings to the Rich

INTRO

This conversation guide exists to help parents interact with their middle and high school students. Our goal in having middle and high school students attend gatherings (or worship at home) with their parents is to help them transition toward being adults who are fully functioning members of the church. But most middle and high school students still need some translation and help connecting what they're learning to their lives. We want our sermons to be accessible, but they aren't specifically targeted toward the transitional teenage years.

- **Read 1 Timothy 6:3-5.** Do you know or hear about pastors that are in it for the big house and the fancy car and the private jet? What do you think about all that?
- **Read 1 Timothy 6:6-7.** If the gain that we get from godliness is not material things, what do you think it is?
 - How motivated are you by money? When you picture your future, is having a lot of money and stuff a big part of your vision?
 - How would you define “enough”?
- **Read 1 Timothy 6:8-10.** When we say that the love of money is condemned in scripture, what kinds of things do you think “loving money” would be? What is the difference between having money and loving money?
 - What does it look like for us to use money in Biblical ways?