SCRIPTURE APPENDIX · LESSON 16

The Rich Man's Yacht

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Below are the scriptures used in this teaching.

4 Do not overwork to be rich; Because of your own understanding, cease! 5 Will you set your eyes
on that which is not? For riches certainly make themselves wings; They fly away like an eagle
toward heaven.

Proverbs 23:4–5 NKJV

9 Let the lowly brother glory in his exaltation, 10 but the rich in his humiliation, because as a
flower of the field he will pass away. 11 For no sooner has the sun risen with a burning heat than it
withers the grass; its flower falls, and its beautiful appearance perishes. So the rich man also will
fade away in his pursuits.

James 1:9–11 NKJV

14 whereas you do not know what will happen tomorrow. For what is your life? It is even a vapor
that appears for a little time and then vanishes away.

James 4:14 NKJV

15 And He said to them, Guard yourselves and keep free from all covetousness (the immoderate
desire for wealth, the greedy longing to have more); for a man’s life does not consist in and is not
derived from possessing overflowing abundance or that which is over and above his needs. 16 Then
He told them a parable, saying, The land of a rich man was fertile and yielded plentifully. 17 And
he considered and debated within himself, What shall I do? I have no place [in which] to gather
together my harvest. 18 And he said, I will do this: I will pull down my storehouses and build
larger ones, and there I will store all my grain or produce and my goods. 19 And I will say to my
soul, Soul, you have many good things laid up, [enough] for many years. Take your ease; eat,
drink, and enjoy yourself merrily. 20 But God said to him, You fool! This very night they [the
messengers of God] will demand your soul of you; and all the things that you have prepared,
whose will they be? 21 So it is with the one who continues to lay up and hoard possessions for
himself and is not rich [in his relation] to God [this is how he fares].

Luke 12:15–21 AMPC

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