

## Message Based Discussion

Insatiable Idolatry  
Ecclesiastes 5:8-17

What did you like about this message?  
What did you find hard to accept or understand?  
What does this message teach you about people?  
What does this message teach us about God? What does it teach about Jesus?  
What will you do now? Based on this message, how will your life change?  
How specifically are you going to live out today's lesson?  
Who will you tell? With whom will you have a conversation about this message?

"No one is so miserable as the poor person who maintains the appearance of wealth."  
~Charles Spurgeon

"The use of means ought not to lessen our faith in God, and our faith in God ought not to hinder our using whatever means He has given us for the accomplishment of His own purposes."  
~Hudson Taylor

"Hold material goods and wealth on a flat palm and not in a clenched fist."  
~Alistair Begg

"Material wealth is either a window through which we see God or a mirror in which we see ourselves."  
~Warren Wiersbe

"If we believe heaven to be our country, it is better for us to transmit our wealth thither, than to retain it here, where we may lose it by a sudden removal."  
~John Calvin

## Pray

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**October 15, 2017**

**Reading: Deuteronomy 8:6-20**

**Insatiable** *adj. not satiable; incapable of being satisfied or appeased*

1. The deceits of deep pockets (vs. 8-12)

- Wealth brings satisfaction (v. 10)
- Money solves every problem (v. 11)
- Wealth brings peace of mind (v. 12)

## 2. Savings as a security blanket (vs. 13-17)

- Hoarding and investing
- Family & a box of trinkets
- No blanket for cover

## 3. Living beyond the sun

- Proverbs 30:7-9
- Acts 19:23-41
- Mark 12:13-17