



Twelve Gardens of Stewardship Scriptures

Garden of Money

"What do you possess that you have not received?" *1 Cor 4:7*

"If you want to be perfect, sell your possessions and give to the poor, and you will have treasure in heaven." *Mt 19:21*

"The righteous care about justice for the poor, but the wicked have no such concern."
Prov 29:7

"Do not store up for yourselves treasures on earth . . . For where your treasure is, there also will your heart be." *Mt 6: 19, 21*

"So do not worry and say, 'What are we to eat?' or 'What are we to drink?' or 'What are we to wear?' All these things the pagans seek. Your heavenly Father knows that you need them all. But seek first the kingdom (of God) and his righteousness, and all these things will be given you besides." *Mt 6: 31-3*

"If someone who has worldly means sees a brother in need and refuses him compassion, how can the love of God remain in him?" *1 John 3:17*

"It is more blessed to give than to receive." *Acts 20:35*

"We must not make the pursuit of money the goal of our lives, nor close our hearts to the needs of the poor". *Amos 8:4-7*

"For he rescues the poor when they cry out, the oppressed who have no one to help. He shows pity to the needy and the poor and saves the lives of the poor." *Psalms 72:12*

"If a brother or sister has nothing to wear and has no food for the day, and one of you says to them, 'Go in peace, keep warm, and eat well,' but you do not give them the necessities of the body, what good is it? So also faith of itself, if it does not have works, is dead."
James 2:15

"You cannot serve God and wealth." *Luke 16:1-13*

"He looked up and saw rich people putting their gifts into the treasury; He also saw a poor widow put in two copper coins. He said, 'Truly I tell you, this poor widow has put in more than all of them.'" *Luke 21: 1-3*

"God loves a cheerful giver." *2 Cor 9:7*