



## SERMON NOTES

# Imagine

## Part V: The Mystery of Money

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***Ecclesiastes 10:19 (ESV) Bread is made for laughter, and wine gladdens life, and money answers everything.***

### THE MEANING OF MONEY

*Matthew 6:24 (NKJV) No one can serve two masters; for either he will hate the one and love the other, or else he will be loyal to the one and despise the other. You cannot serve God and mammon.*

*1 Timothy 6:10 (NKJV) For the love of money is a root of all kinds of evil, for which some have strayed from the faith in their greediness, and pierced themselves through with many sorrows.*

*1 Peter 5:2 (KJV) "...filthy lucre..."*

### THE MAKING OF MONEY

*Proverbs 14:23 (NLT) Work brings profit, but mere talk leads to poverty!*

*Isaiah 48:17 (NKJV) Thus says the LORD, your Redeemer, The Holy One of Israel: "I am the LORD your God, Who teaches you to profit, Who leads you by the way you should go."*

*Genesis 2:12 (NKJV) And the gold of that land is good. Bdellium and the onyx stone are there.*

### PLUNDER THE GOLD BUT DON'T SET UP A CALF OF GOLD

### THE MANAGEMENT OF MONEY

1. Money is a teacher. It will teach you how to handle true riches.
2. Money is a thermometer. It measures your spiritual temperature.
3. Money is also a tempter. It will always tempt you to become its slave and put it before God and anything else.
4. Money is a tool.

***Money is a resource to help you successfully carry out an assigned duty as a steward.***