

**JESUS ON MONEY**  
**JESUS UNFILTERED – PART 8**  
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**Matthew 6:19-24**

**TWO TRUTHS ABOUT STEWARDSHIP**

■ **God is the owner.**

*“The earth is the Lord’s and everything in it, the world and all who live in it.”  
Psalm 24:1 (NIV)*

■ **I am a manager.**

*“Now, a person who is put in charge as a manager must be faithful.”  
I Corinthians 4:2 (NLT)*

**HOW I HANDLE MONEY REVEALS THE ANSWER  
TO THREE QUESTIONS**

**1. WHERE IS MY HEART?**

*“Don’t store up treasures on earth! Moths and rust can destroy them, and thieves can break in and steal them. Instead, store up your treasures in heaven, where moths and rust cannot destroy them, and thieves cannot break in and steal them. Your heart will always be where your treasure is.”  
Matthew 6: 19-21 (CEV)*

**TWO BIBLICAL HEART CHECKS**

**A. Regular tithe.**

*“Honor the Lord by giving Him the first part of all your income, and He will fill your barns with wheat and barley and overflow your wine vats with the finest wines.” Proverbs 3: 9-10 (LB)*

**B. Regular offerings.**

*“Each man should give what he has decided in his heart to give, not reluctantly or under compulsion, for God loves a cheerful giver.” II Corinthians 9: 7 (NIV)*

**2. WHAT IS MY VISION?**

*“Your eyes are windows into your body. If you open your eyes wide in wonder and belief, your body fills up with light. If you live squinty-eyed in greed and distrust, your body is a dark cellar. If you pull the blinds on your windows, what a dark life you will have!” Matthew 6: 22-23 (Mess)*

### **3. WHO IS MY LEADER?**

*“No one can serve two masters. Either he will hate the one and love the other, or he will be devoted to the one and despise the other. You cannot serve both God and Money.” Matthew 6: 24 (NIV)*

*“The eyes of the LORD search the whole earth in order to strengthen those whose hearts are fully committed to Him...” II Chronicles 16: 9 (NLT)*