

# Satisfied?



## Part 2: Enough is Enough

We have been trained to feel like we never have enough.

### 1 Timothy 6

<sup>6</sup> “But godliness with contentment is great gain.

<sup>7</sup> For we brought nothing into the world, and we can take nothing out of it. <sup>8</sup> But if we have food and clothing, we will be content with that.

### Proverbs 30

<sup>8</sup> Keep falsehood and lies far from me; give me neither poverty nor riches, but give me only my daily bread. <sup>9</sup> Otherwise, I may have too much and disown you and say, ‘Who is the Lord?’ Or I may become poor and steal, and so dishonor the name of my God.

### Luke 12

<sup>15</sup> “Watch out! Be on your guard against all kinds of greed; life does not consist in an abundance of possessions.”

<sup>16</sup> And he told them this parable: “The ground of a certain rich man yielded an abundant harvest. <sup>17</sup> He thought to himself, ‘What shall I do? I have no place to store my crops.’ <sup>18</sup> “Then he said, ‘This is what I’ll do. I will tear down my barns and build bigger ones, and there I will store my surplus grain. <sup>19</sup> And I’ll say to myself, “You have plenty of grain laid up for many years. Take life easy; eat, drink and be merry.””

<sup>20</sup> “But God said to him, ‘You fool! This very night your life will be demanded from you. Then who will get what you have prepared for yourself?’ <sup>21</sup> “This is how it will be with whoever stores up things for themselves but is not rich toward God.”

### Today’s Truth

Your quality of life is not determined by your quantity of possessions.

- Application:**
1. How much is enough?
  2. What will you have to sacrifice to get more?

## Group Guide

### Introduction

The culture around us is often advertising a lifestyle that most people cannot obtain or maintain. Because of this we have been trained to always feel like we never have enough. But before we can solve that problem we should first ask, “How much is enough?”

### Discussion

Why do you think we feel like we don't have enough?

What do we usually want more of? What do you want more of now?

### Read 1 Timothy 6:6-8

Why does Paul point out that we came and will leave with nothing?

Could you be content with only food and clothing?

If not, who would you be dissatisfied with?

### Read Proverbs 30:8-9

Do you have the guts to really pray this prayer? Why or Why not?

### Read Luke 12:15-21

Spend some time talking through each part of this passage.

Discuss what stands out to you and how we can apply its message.

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