Mastering Money Part 2 Max Barnett

I. Introduction.

II. Earning money.

A. We must work for money. (Genesis 3:19, 1:28, 2:5)

B. A person will not succeed without hard work. (Ecclesiastes 9:10)

C. Do your work as unto the Lord. (Colossians 2:23)

D. Provide for your own family. (I Timothy 5:8)

E. Work to provide for others in the ministry. (Acts 20:33-35, I Thessalonians 2:10)

III. Saving. (Proverbs 32:3, 27:12)

A. We save in order to give and to meet future needs.

B. There is a difference between meeting to hoard up money and saving for future needs. (I Timothy 6:17)

C. Live on less than what you make. As your income goes up, your lifestyle does not need to follow it.

IV. Spending.

A. Buy a used car and take care of it.

B. Be careful about spending—buy value that lasts.

Application questions:

1. How would you respond to someone who says that saving is not Biblical?

2. What principles are important to consider when buying a vehicle?

3. What two or three principles did you find most valuable in the message? Explain.