

## BIG IDEA

Spiritual freedom is better than financial burden.

## WHAT DOES GOD WANT ME TO KNOW?

What is the first thing you remember saving up money to buy? How did it feel when you actually purchased that item?

**Read Ecclesiastes 5:10-20.** What does this passage reveal about the weight of financial pursuit? How can you relate?

How does the pursuit of wealth affect us spiritually? Support your answer.

How does this passage encourage us to seek spiritual freedom?

## WHAT IS MY INITIAL REACTION?

**Read Mark 10:23-26.** What stands out to you about the response of the disciples?

Does Jesus' statement shock you the way that it shocked the disciples? Why or why not?

How does this passage challenge you? How does it encourage you?

## WHAT AM I GOING TO DO?

**Read 1 Timothy 6:17-19.** How does this passage apply to you specifically?

Is it possible to enjoy your God's provision without putting your hope in wealth? Why or why not?

What are some ways that you can develop the kind of money mindset that this passage commands?

How can this group help you develop better financial practices?

Would your group be interested in studying this material further with the MoneySmart series offered by the Enrich Ministry at Central?

