

## Fellowship Notes

Piggybank - part 1

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(1 Timothy 6:10 NLT) "For the love of money is a root of all kinds of evil. Some people, eager for money, have wandered from the faith and pierced themselves with many griefs."

(James 4:1-3 NLT) What is causing the quarrels and fights among you? Isn't it the whole army of evil desires at war within you? You want what you don't have, so you scheme and kill to get it. You are jealous for what others have, and you can't possess it, so you fight and quarrel to take it away from them. And yet the reason you don't have what you want is that you don't ask God for it. And even when you do ask, you don't get it because your whole motive is wrong—you want only what will give you pleasure.

### Stop The Bleeding

✓ \_\_\_\_\_ **the wound - Take an** \_\_\_\_\_

(Matthew 25:19 NLT) After a long time their master returned from his trip and called them to give an account of how they had used his money.

(John 11:35 NLT) Make sure the light you have is not really darkness.

(Ephesians 5:8 NLT) For though your hearts were once full of darkness, now you are full of light from the Lord, and your behavior should show it.

✓ \_\_\_\_\_ **treatment - Set up a** \_\_\_\_\_

(Proverbs 13:16) "Every prudent man acts out of knowledge, but a fool exposes his folly."

(Luke 14:28 NLT) "...don't begin until you count the cost. For who would begin construction of a building without first getting estimates and then checking to see if there is enough money to pay the bills?"

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✓ \_\_\_\_\_ **maintenance - Regular** \_\_\_\_\_

(Proverbs 27:23) Know the state of your flocks, and put your heart into caring for your herds,

(Proverbs 21:5) Good planning and hard work lead to prosperity, but hasty shortcuts lead to poverty.

### What Do I Do Next?

1. **I will come** \_\_\_\_\_ **with myself**

(Luke 11:36 NLT) If you are filled with light, with no dark corners, then your whole life will be radiant, as though a floodlight is shining on you.

2. **I will determine to make a** \_\_\_\_\_

(Romans 12:2 NLT) Do not conform any longer to the pattern of this world, but be transformed by the renewing of your mind.

3. **I will** \_\_\_\_\_ **to the journey**

(1 Corinthians 9:24 NLT) Remember that in a race everyone runs, but only one person gets the prize. You also must run in such a way that you will win.

4. **I will** \_\_\_\_\_ **Fear.**

(2 Timothy 1:7) God did not give me a spirit of fear, but of power, love, and self-control.

(Philippians 4:19 NLT) And this same God who takes care of me will supply all your needs from his glorious riches, which have been given to us in Christ Jesus.

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#### ✓ **CLEAN the wound - Take an ACCOUNT**

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#### ✓ **DETERMINE treatment - Set up a BUDGET**

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#### ✓ **EXTENDED maintenance - Regular CHECK-UP**

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(Luke 11:36 NLT) If you are filled with light, with no dark corners, then your whole life will be radiant, as though a floodlight is shining on you.

#### 2. I will determine to make a **CHANGE**

(Romans 12:2 NLT) Do not conform any longer to the pattern of this world, but be transformed by the renewing of your mind.

#### 3. I will **COMMIT** to the journey

(1 Corinthians 9:24 NLT) Remember that in a race everyone runs, but only one person gets the prize. You also must run in such a way that you will win.

#### 4. I will **CHALLENGE** Fear.

(2 Timothy 1:7) God did not give me a spirit of fear, but of power, love, and self-control.

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