

Financially Free Families

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¹How joyful are those who fear the LORD and delight in obeying his commands. ² Their children will be successful everywhere; an entire generation of godly people will be blessed. ³ They themselves will be wealthy, and their good deeds will last forever... ⁴ They are generous, compassionate, and righteous... ⁶ Such people will not be overcome by evil. Those who are righteous will be long remembered. Psalm 112:1-3, 4, 6 NLT

1. Know your numbers

- What I earn
- What I spend
- What I own
- What I owe

10 "If you are faithful in little things, you will be faithful in large ones. But if you are dishonest in little things, you won't be honest with greater responsibilities. 11 And if you are untrustworthy about worldly wealth, who will trust you with the true riches of heaven?

Luke 16:10-11 NLT

Just as the rich rule the poor, so the borrower is servant to the lender. **Proverbs 22:7** NLT

2. Financial Outlaster attitudes

- God owns it all
- Knowing the value of <u>hard work</u>
- Contentment helps us to overcome materialism

The earth is the Lord's and everything in it. The world, and all its people belong to him. Psalm 24:1 NLT

Lazy people want much but get little, but those who work hard will prosper. Proverbs 12:4 NLT

True godliness with contentment is itself great wealth.

1 Timothy 6:6 NLT

Some who are poor pretend to be rich; others who are rich pretend to be poor. **Proverbs 13:7** NLT

Next Steps:
☐ Attend the rest of the "Outlasters" series
☐ Review my financial situation (my numbers) and adjust my spending to less than I make
☐ Express my gratitude to God this week for how he has provided for me and blessed me
☐ Adjust my attitude about money and wealth
□ Commit to becoming an Outlaster