

MADE FOR MORE

Series: **Made for More**

Title and Episode: **The Subtle Lie Ep5**

Key Subject: **Greed**

BEYOND SUNDAY

We would love for you to take the message from Sunday and dive deeper into it. God desires for you to grow and mature, and that means we can't just live on Sunday experiences—walking with God is a daily journey. This will help you carry the message into your week.

Key Scriptures

- Luke 12:13–21

Go Further

- Colossians 3:5
- 1 Timothy 6:9–10
- Ecclesiastes 5:10
- Hebrews 13:5
- Proverbs 11:24–25

Message Summary

This message explores the subtle lie that more possessions will satisfy us, highlighting how greed (“pleonexia”) quietly shapes our lives. Through Jesus’ teaching in Luke 12, we see that life is not measured by what we own, but by how we live. The “consumption assumption” convinces us that everything we receive is for ourselves, yet this mindset robs us of meaning. True purpose is found when we become a means to an end that doesn’t end with us: giving our time, resources, and lives for others. Ultimately, a meaningful life is not about accumulation, but about what we give away.

TIPS TO GROWING IN FAITH

- Spend consistent time with God daily through prayer and reading the Bible
- Apply what you learn by taking small, practical steps of obedience
- Surround yourself with a faith-filled community that encourages and challenges you to live out your faith

LISTEN TO THE MESSAGE

QUESTIONS TO THINK ABOUT AND PRAY ABOUT

1. What do you think Jesus says about greed and the accumulation of stuff?
2. What have you been storing for yourself rather than giving away?
3. How can you look for an opportunity to be a means to an end?

WHAT DID YOU LEARN THAT YOU CAN SHARE WITH SOMEONE THIS WEEK?