

04/05/2020 "Don't Be Rich"

- 1. What was your biggest take-away from Sunday's message?
- 2. Read Matthew 19:16-30. What stands out to you from Jesus' dialogue with the rich man?
- 3. What is the rich man seeking and what has he done to try and earn it?
- 4. Has anyone ever warned you, "don't be rich"?
- 5. Why did Jesus say "don't be rich"?
- 6. Money gives us more than resources to purchase things, it often provides a sense of security, respect, control, influence, comfort, freedom, etc. What does money represent in your life?
- 7. Money can easily get tied up with our identity—how we see ourselves and our life. How could this impact our relationship with God? (see verses 23-26)
- 8. How do you know when something takes the place of god? (consider Luke 16:10-15)
- 9. Matthew 19:26 is a very common passage within the Christian community. How does context inform the meaning of this passage?
- 10. How do we break free from the grip of money?
- 11. What would your life look like if Jesus had just a little more priority in your finances?
- 12. What small step do you need to take to give Jesus priority?
- 13. How can your group pray with you to see Jesus take a greater place of priority?