

## Mid-Week Stewardship Thought

### Store Up Treasures in Heaven

Several years ago, when John D. Rockefeller Sr. died, there was the reading of the will for his family, which, of course, caused a lot of attention because he was so wealthy and well known. As his personal attorney left the family, a reporter came up and asked, "Could you tell us, sir, what he left behind?" The attorney looked at him sadly, shook his head, and said, "He left it all; he left it all." This story is a reminder to us that things of this world are only temporary. Jesus tells us *"Do not store up for yourselves treasures on earth, where moth and rust destroy, and where thieves break in and steal...but store up for yourselves treasures in heaven . . ."* (Matthew 6:19-20). By God's grace we are given strength to resist an attachment to worldly things, and we will store up treasures in heaven.



**Prayer:** Dear Jesus, You are my rock, treasure, and salvation. Help me to fix my eyes on You. Grant me the joy and peace that come from loving and treasuring You. Amen.

**Blessings on your stewardship journey!**