## Developing a Faith That Works How To Have True Wealth

James 1:9-11 The brother in humble circumstances ought to take pride in his high position. 10 But the one who is rich should take pride in his low position, because he will pass away like a wild flower. 11 For the sun rises with scorching heat and withers the plant; its blossom falls and its beauty is destroyed. In the same way, the rich man will fade away even while he goes about his business.

## 1. IN GOD'S KINGDOM THE POOR SHOULD SAY I AM RICH

The brother in humble circumstances ought to take pride in his high position

There are poor Christians -

1 Cor. 1:25-28

**Poor Christians should REJOICE** 

Rom 5:2 & 11

Poor Christians are really rich Luke 1:52

Eph. 2:4-7

## 2. IN GOD'S KINGDOM THE RICH SHOULD SAY I AM POOR

But the one who is rich should take pride in his low position

There are Rich Christians – Gen 13:2, Ex. 30:14-15

1 Tim 6:17a

1 Tim 6:10

Mat. 19:16-26

Rich Christians should REJOICE in their poverty.

It is a matter of perspective – 1 Tim 6:17b

Phil 2:5-8

Riches are really temporary - vss. 10-11

Luke 12:19-20

Can You Pray the Middle Class Prayer? In Proverbs 30:7-9 and Rejoice?