

# THE SERMON ON THE MOUNT (WEEK 13)

LIFE GROUP QUESTIONS – APRIL 25, 2010  
PASTOR STEVE – TREASURES (MT. 6:19-24)

## connect

1. What's your name? Remind the group where you were born, where you grew up, if you have any kids, etc. Is there a story behind your name?
2. If your house were to catch fire today and you could save just three treasures from your home (not including people) what would you save?

## Study

1. Why do you think Jesus talked so much about money/possessions?
2. Read Matthew 6:19 together. What is a treasure? Are treasures bad in and of themselves? Explain. If not, what can make them dangerous?
3. Steve mentioned 5 truths the Bible wants us to know about earthly treasure. What are they? Go around the group and tell which one stood out to you the most? Why?
4. Read Matthew 6:20. Do you get uncomfortable with the idea of storing up treasures in Heaven? Why? How does Jesus help us in this? *In your homework this week, try to find any other examples in the Bible that help us have an eternal perspective.*
5. Steve mentioned 5 ways the Bible says we can make investments into our Heavenly bank account? What are they? Go around the group and tell which one stood out to you the most? Why?
6. Read Matthew 6:24. What is Jesus saying here? Do we really live like this is true? Why or why not?
7. What is one action step you are going to take as a result of this message?
8. As we bring all of this home, what insight, principle or observation from this weekend's message stood out to you most? Explain.

## pray

1. Pray that we will be men and women who are becoming more and more concerned about making investments that have eternal significance.
2. Prayer requests – how can you pray for each other this week?