

**NIV MEMORY VERSE: Luke 12:15**

Then he said to them, "Watch out! Be on your guard against all kinds of greed; a man's life does not consist in the abundance of his possessions."

**LIFE OF CHRIST 18-1**

Lesson Scripture:  
**Luke 12:1-13:35**

**"Teaching by the Way"****DAY 1 READ THE LESSON SCRIPTURE**

1. What was meaningful to you in last week's lesson?
2. As you read the Scripture today, what are some things you can expect from God?

**DAY 2 "God Knows and Cares" REVIEW LUKE 12:1-34**

3. What did Jesus say was the yeast/leaven of the Pharisees?
4. a. How would you feel about the fact that everything you've done in secret would someday be revealed?  
  
b. For the Christian who heeds 1 John 1:9 and confesses his sins, what is the assurance we have about God's mercy in Isaiah 44:22?
5. The disciples still feared the Pharisees. How did Jesus . . .
  - a. . . contrast the Pharisees' power and God's power?
  - b. . . characterize the disciples' worth?
  - c. . . confirm their destiny?
  - d. . . cite the unpardonable sin?
  - e. . . comfort anticipated persecution?
6. When, if ever, have you taken a real risk in standing up for Jesus publicly? What did you learn from that?
7. a. In verse 15 Jesus warned against \_\_\_\_\_ because \_\_\_\_\_.  
\_\_\_\_\_.
- b. What is the key point that explains the parable in verses 16-21 to you?
- c. How do you think a person becomes "rich toward God?" (consider verses 22-24)

**DAY 2 (Continued) "God Knows and Cares" REVIEW LUKE 12:1-34**

8. a. What was the last thing you worried about?
- b. Did your worry change things?
- c. Did you find it depressing?
- d. How did you overcome it? Please share

(If worry is a problem for you, read Philippians 4:6-8)

**DAY 3 "Warnings" REVIEW LUKE 12:35-59**

9. a. What will the returning Master do for His watchful servants?
- b. When will He come?
10. a. Naturally servanthood means service. Neglect of duty will bring what?
- b. What is required of those to whom much is given and entrusted?
11. a. Jesus said He did not come to bring peace, but \_\_\_\_\_.
- b. What has your relationship to Christ done to your other relationships?
12. a. Why did Jesus call the crowd hypocrites?
- b. What is the spiritual lesson in being reconciled before you face the judge?

**DAY 4 "Call to Repentance" REVIEW LUKE 13:1-21**

13. Jesus used two current events (the death of Galileans and an accident at the tower of Siloam) to illustrate what truth?
14. Prophetically Israel is represented by a fig tree (Hosea 9:10). In the parable, why is the fig tree's life extended?
15. On the Sabbath, Jesus . . .
- a. . . . restored whom? How?
- b. . . . rebuked whom? Why?
16. We studied the parables of the mustard seed and leaven in Lesson 10. Both tell of changes. What changes have taken place in your life as a result of your commitment to study God's Word?

**DAY 5 "Entry to the Kingdom" REVIEW LUKE 13:22-35**

17. What question was Jesus asked?
18. Rather than discuss a number, Jesus taught on the need to enter the kingdom personally.
  - a. We're to enter by the \_\_\_\_\_, which is identified how in John 10:9?
  - b. While unbelievers are excluded, who will be included in verses 28-30?
19.
  - a. What news did not deter Jesus' goal?
  - b. Jesus mourned for Jerusalem using what illustration?
  - c. (IN-DEPTH) What do you think is the meaning of the phrase "your house is left to you desolate?"

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**LECTURE NOTES:**

**PRAYER REQUESTS:**