

What does the Bible say about...

SPENDING

DISCUSSION GUIDE

Summary:

Spending is something all of us do. The way we spend our money can be a clear indicator of what we value. What does the Bible say about how we should spend money? As Christians, we are called to be good and faithful stewards. How we spend our money should be guided by God's instructions, through his words. As we spend, it's important to not allow material things to replace our desire for God. When we don't remember to keep God as our focus and priority, it can lead to spiritual apathy. Tithing is a great way to put God first, as well as allowing what surplus we have be a blessing to others.

Key Scriptures:

Deuteronomy 14-26-29; Isaiah 55:1-2; John 6:27; Mark 6:37; 2 Corinthians 9:8

Discussion Questions:

- 1. What is something that stood out to you from this article?
- 2.Do you worry about having enough money to provide for the needs of your family? What would God say to you about that?
- 3. What does your own spending reveal? How can you alter your spending habits to honor God?
- 4. How can you use the principle of spending to impact the lives of others?
- 5. How can you make sure your heart is in the right place when spending?