



*“do not worry about  
your life”*

Matthew 6:25 NKV



**Matthew  
6:24-34**

- *Our trust in God is tested daily* Heb 11:24-26
- *Material possessions is one of our greatest challenges.*

- *3 times the Lord says for us not to worry* (Mat 6:25, 31, 34)
- *Are WE listening?!?!?*
- *Where exactly are our treasures* (Mat 6:19-21)?

- *2 treasures: 1 on earth and 1 in heaven*
- *“treasures” refers to our goals, interests, activities, what is really important to us*

- *Jesus not forbidding the possession of things or saving for a rainy day.*
- *It's not wrong to possess things, however, it is wrong for things to possess us. Unknown*

- *Jesus is teaching us not to be selfishly hoarding things to the exclusion of putting God first.*
- **Luke 12:15-21**
- *Only heavenly treasures are eternal.*

- *“anxious” means care, thought or worry that is void of trust in God to take care of us*
- *Lit. to be pulled apart – in 2 directions*
- *Eng. to strangle*
- **Luke 10:41**

- *Jesus demonstrates our Father's great loving care for even the birds, lilies and grass.*
- *"Are you not worth much more than they?"*  
*Mat 6:26*

- *How do we **stop** worrying?*
- *Do all you can to put God **first** in your life.*
- *"seek first" actively and constantly pursue God*

- *The reign of God in our hearts is primary.*
- *“first place in everything.”*  
Col 1:18
- *“His righteousness” in context, a changed life*

- *Trust God to take care of the rest.*
- *“Trust in the Lord with all your heart, and do not lean on your own understanding. In all your ways acknowledge Him, and He will make your paths straight.”* Pro 3:5-6

*Stop worrying!!  
Our Father is  
still on His  
throne and He  
cares for YOU!!*

## **Obeying the Gospel**

**Hear the gospel** (Romans 10:17)

**Believe** (Mark 16:16; Hebrews 11:6)

**Repent** (Acts 2:38; Acts 17:30)

**Confess** (Romans 10:9-10; Acts 8:37)

*"I believe that Jesus Christ is the Son of God."*

**Be baptized** (Mark 16:16; Acts 2:38)

**Live faithfully** (Hebrews 10:36)