



# Hope Small Groups

*A place to belong, grow and serve.*

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### The Lies We Believe: I'm Rich, If I Have Money

November 13-14, 2010

Rev. Rufus Smith

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Proverbs 11:24 (NIV)*

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- What do you think Jesus was saying in His story?
- What is your reaction to verse 15?
- In today's world, the "take life easy; eat, drink and be merry" attitude is rampant. How can this affect your relationship with God if you get caught up in that attitude?
- In what way can you be "rich" toward God?
- How do our attitudes towards money, as Christians, impact the unbelievers in our lives?
- What is the lesson for you from this parable?
- What two things can you do this week to invest in eternal riches?

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