

Week 6: The Debt Mind Game (The Consumer Problem)

Anatomy of the Mind (Romans 7:14-25)

- _____ and _____ weakness is an ongoing struggle
- _____ and _____ prey on the weaknesses of consumers
- _____ the Right Diet
 - _____ - the act or manner of uttering words to be transcribed
 - _____ – to think or reflect, especially in a calm and deliberate manner

_____ is a Never Ending Journey (Ecclesiastes 5:10-14)

- _____ is never _____
- Stop _____ and be _____.
- Avoid an _____

Lifting ___ Debt Ceiling is Hard Enough (Matthew 6:19-21)

- Working to impress other _____
- _____ for _____ vs. _____ in _____
- Do I have complete _____ and _____ of my financial situation?

Be _____! (Romans 12:2)

Group Discussion

1. What are your top three bad spending habits? What is your plan to change your habits?
2. How much influence do advertisers have in your financial decisions?
3. Share an experience where you found yourself trying to keep up financially with a friend, family member or neighbor.
4. Have you completed all of the assignments during the Debt Ceiling series? If not, why?
5. What principle from tonight's lesson personally impacted you the most?

Homework Assignments

1. Over the next week, mentally note the number of times that you hear or see a commercial created to take advantage of your consumption habits.
2. Complete your Debt Ceiling challenge card and align with an accountability partner for the challenge.
3. Develop a plan for the upcoming holiday season, which may include not shopping at all.