

For the week of December 8, 2019  
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# Treasures in Heaven

14th week in the series: *Blessed Are*

**Matthew 6:19-24**

Jesus instructs us to lay up for ourselves treasures in heaven rather than treasures on earth. What are treasures on earth? What are treasures in heaven? How can we go about laying up treasures in heaven?

## **Discussion Questions:**

1. What are some examples of “treasures on earth” that people may “lay up,” or value, but which don’t hold the little value that they have?
2. What are some examples of “treasures in heaven,” which hold their value forever?
3. What do you think can help us value treasures in heaven as opposed to treasures on earth?
4. Interact with this contention: “Most people who are dissatisfied with Christ and following Christ are in fact dissatisfied with something else: their own flawed understanding of Christ and following Christ.”
5. In Jesus’ parable in Matthew 13:44, Jesus likens the kingdom of heaven to a treasure that is worth selling everything you possess to acquire. What do you think is so great about the kingdom of heaven, which is both a present and future reality?