

**CONNECTION QUESTION**

Who is the last person/family you went out of your way to help?

SERMON REVIEW

Briefly review the sermon. What in the sermon was most helpful? What did you find most challenging?

BRINGING THE BIBLE TO LIFE

> Read 1 Timothy 6:17; Deuteronomy 8:18; Hebrews 13:5; Ecclesiastes 5:10

What makes financial success hard? How can success ruin our life and relationships?

As Christians, how should we treat those who are successful?

> Read Genesis 26:34-35; Isaiah 31:1; 2 Corinthians 6:14-7:1; Romans 12:2; 2 Timothy 4:10; James 1:27

At the same age his father married Rebekah, rather than doing the hard work of looking for one Godly wife, Esau took two pagan wives. Esau's marriage was not just a decision to marry pagan women. It was a decision to marry into the values and ways of the world.



In what ways do these verses tell us we are tempted to marry into the thinking and values of the world instead of God's values?

What values and ways of the world do you find yourself struggling with today?

> Read Matthew 6:25-34; Isaiah 26:3; Psalm 55:22; Philippians 4:6-7; 1 Peter 5:7

Isaac let fear of someone murdering him to take his beautiful wife lead him to sin. How does fear of the future —instead of trust in God, lead us to sin? Share an example from your life.

How do these verses help you in times of distress and worry? What do they tell you about God's care you need to remember?

TAKE IT HOME

Looking back on this week's study, what is the most important thing to remember? What is the most important action to take?