



## Communities Questions and Discussion

For the week of: **October 23, 2010**

1. What is the one thing you would describe as your most valuable possession? Why is it so valuable to you?
2. Read Luke 12:34. What are some of the "treasures" or possessions in your life currently distracting you from focusing on God? What specific things can you do to remove these distractions?
3. Read Luke 16:13. Practical atheists tend to trust money to provide happiness and/or security. Has there been a time in your life where you trusted money to provide these things? If so, how has it affected your relationship with God?
4. Has there been a time in your life when you decided to put your trust in God rather than in money. If so, what did that experience teach you about God?
5. Read 2 Corinthians 8:2-3. Jesus said it is more blessed to give than to receive. Describe a time you gave sacrificially and the affect it had on you. In these verses, even those who were living in "extreme poverty" were "richly generous." Is there any way you could give even more sacrificially? If so, what would it be? What luxuries could you do without to become more generous?