

What Is Mammon?

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Scripture References:

- Luke 16:10-14
- Matthew 6:33
- Matthew 4:8, 9
- Luke 19:2-24
- Philippians 4:6
- Matthew 6:24-34, *AMPC*

Summary:

Jesus didn't throw words around, so it's significant that He used the word "mammon" at least four times in the New Testament. When He used it, He didn't simply mean money; He deliberately used the word "mammon" to show us what happens when we become attached to wealth. If we're not vigilant, this evil spirit will extend to every area of our lives and convince us to trust it instead of God; it will deliberately lead us astray and abandon us, but God will always extend His mercy and grace when we need Him.

Notes:

1. Mammon isn't money; it's the spirit of deceitful riches that lies to us.
2. Money is neither good nor bad; it takes on the spirit of who has it. How it's used depends on whether its owner is under the influence of God or mammon.
3. We must be careful not to unwittingly make mammon our god.
4. The Bible tells us that we're to be anxious for nothing; being anxious about our unmet needs is a sign that we worship mammon.
5. When we live in the present instead of the future, the Holy Spirit will give us the grace we need at the moment; we therefore need not fear the future.

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