

Questions for Gospel Harmony #46

Luke 12.13-34

1. What caused the man to ask this question at this moment? Explain Jesus' response: "Man, who made Me a judge or an arbitrator over you?" What did Jesus warn the crowd? What is "covetousness"? What does one's life not consist of? (verses 13-15)
2. What did this man do wrong that caused God to call him a fool? What does the question mean: "whose will those things be which you have provided?" What does it mean to not be "rich toward God"? (verses 16-21)
3. Why does Jesus say these things to the disciples on this occasion? (verses 22-31)
4. Explain the statement: "Do not fear, little flock, for it is your Father's good pleasure to give you the kingdom." Why does Jesus command "sell what you have and give alms"? Is this command for us today? What are "money bags which do not grow old and treasure... that does not fail"? (verses 33-34)