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GIVING *WITH JOY*

- OVERWHELMING GRATITUDE TO GOD
- WHOLEHEARTED TRUST IN GOD
- PRIVILEGED PARTNERSHIP WITH GOD



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BANKING ON ETERNITY



Commentary

Commentary: By wanting to retire early, millennials are subverting conventional ideas of work and finances

Amid growing economic uncertainty and a longing for purpose, FIRE – or Financial Independence, Retire Early – is gaining significant traction with millennials in Singapore, says Keith Yap.



Keith Yap

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1 TIMOTHY 6:6-10



GUARD AGAINST **GRIEED**





DANGERS OF GREED

Greed is Deceptive
Dangerous
Destructive



Recent neuroscience research reveals a profound truth: The relentless pursuit of wealth and success, often celebrated, can lead to significant emotional and psychological distress. This comprehensive study involving over 400 individuals delves into the greed personality trait (GPT) and its emotional impacts. It uncovers that high levels of GPT correlate with increased depression, anger, and aggression. This correlation extends beyond behavior to the brain's structure, as neuroimaging data indicates significant impacts on specific brain regions in those with higher greed traits.

<https://www.inc.com/nick-hobson/neuroscience-research-says-greed-makes-a-person-angry-hostile-depressed.html>

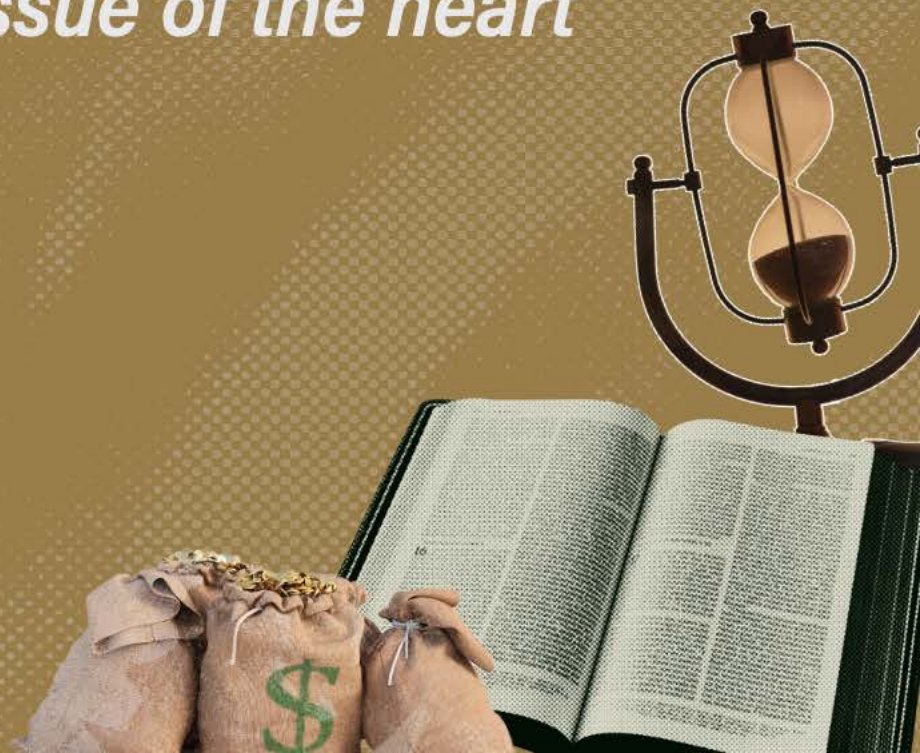


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“the bad effects of living in a society where many people are too rich, such as always wanting something new, expensive things or having to work too hard”



The issue of greed is an issue of the heart



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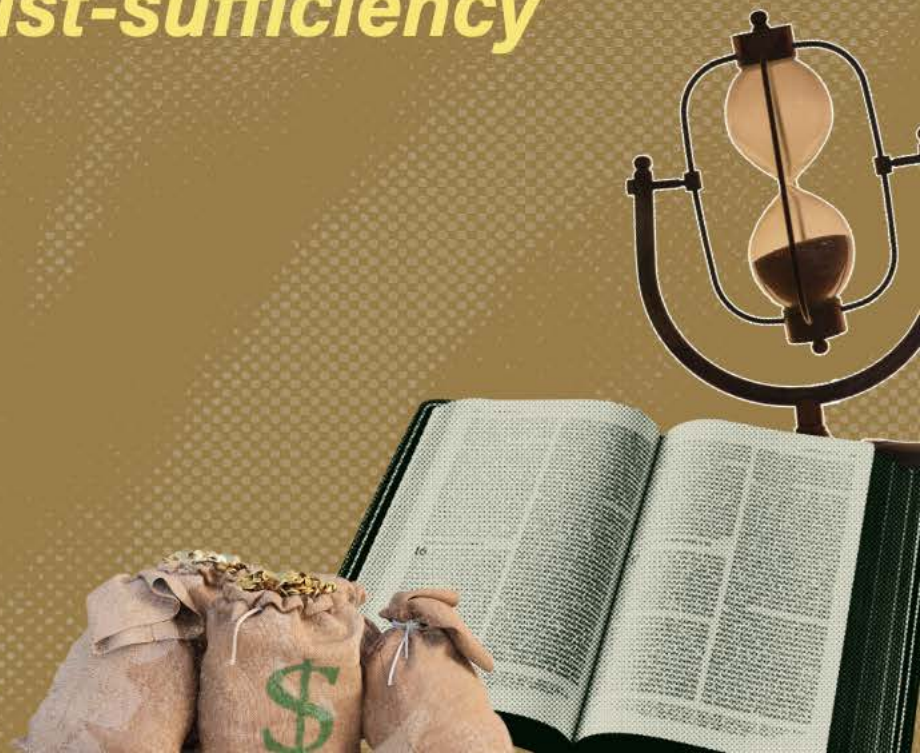


CONTENTMENT

- Means “self-sufficiency”
- Christianized by Paul to refer to **an attitude** that is independent of externals and **dependent only on God**



*True contentment is **Christ-sufficiency***



INVEST IN **ETERNITY**





An eternal perspective on managing finances

- Do good and be rich in good deeds
- Be generous and willing to share



An eternal perspective on managing finances

- We can enjoy eternal treasure
- We enjoy life that is truly life