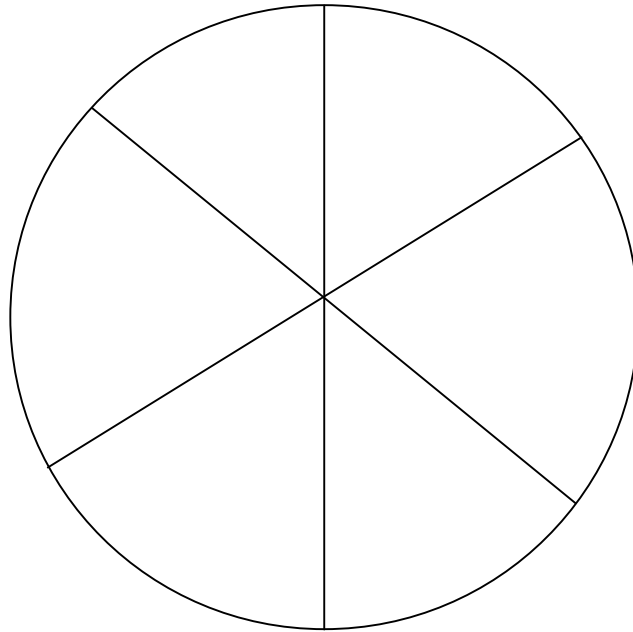


## Developing Financial Fitness

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**“Those who love money will never have enough. How absurd to think that wealth brings true happiness...There is another serious problem I have seen in the world. Riches are sometimes hoarded to the harm of the saver...People who live only for wealth come to the end of their lives as naked and empty-handed as on the day they were born.”**  
Ecclesiastes 5:10,13,15



**“The purpose of tithing is to teach you always to put God first in your lives.” Deuteronomy 14:23 (LB)**

**“Trust in the Lord with all your heart; do not depend on your own understanding. <sup>6</sup> Seek his will in all you do, and he will show you which path to take. <sup>7</sup> Don’t be impressed with your own wisdom. Instead, fear the Lord and turn away from evil. <sup>8</sup> Then you will have healing for your body and strength for your bones. <sup>9</sup> Honor the Lord with your wealth and with the best part of everything you produce.**

**<sup>10</sup> Then he will fill your barns with grain, and your vats will overflow with good wine.” Proverbs 3:5-10**

**<sup>19</sup> “Don’t store up treasures here on earth, where moths eat them and rust destroys them, and where thieves break in and steal. <sup>20</sup> Store your treasures in heaven, where moths and rust cannot destroy, and thieves do not break in and steal. <sup>21</sup> Wherever your treasure is, there the desires of your heart will also be.”**  
Matthew 6:19-21

**“No one can serve two masters. For you will hate one and love the other; you will be devoted to one and despise the other. You cannot serve both God and money.” Matthew 6:24**

**“I was in trouble, so I called to the Lord. The Lord answered me and set me free.” Psalm 118:5 (NCV)**