## Three Fatal Di\$ea\$e\$ - Credit Card-iac Arrest Proverbs 3:9-10

Ice Breaker: It's Thanksgiving week! What is your favorite Thanksgiving dish and why?

1. When you were growing up, who (if anyone) taught you responsible money management?

2. Proverbs 11:25 says, "A generous person will prosper; whoever refreshes others will be refreshed." This is obviously a counterintuitive, upside-down principle. Why is it hard, even for many Christians, to live by this standard?

3. 2 Corinthians 9:7 says, "God loves a cheerful giver." How can we give cheerfully even when times may be lean or tough financially?

4. Proverbs 22:7 says, "The borrower is slave to the lender." Why is debt so popular in our culture? What can we do to avoid debt (or get out of debt we're already in)?

5. Pastor Brian said, "God can have your money without having your heart, but He cannot have your heart without having your money." Discuss this statement.

6. Does anyone in your group have a personal testimony of tithing or giving generously? How did God provide supernaturally for you? If no one has a personal testimony to share, spend a few moments praying as a group for God to increase your faith when it comes to the ministry of giving to the church. The church is God's "Plan A" to save the world... we should be excited about investing in His work in the world!

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