

Supernatural Transformation

**“From Riches to Rags”
(Luke 18.18-30)**

The Rich Young Ruler’s Positive Characteristics

1. He was _____

2. He was _____ sensitive

3. He was a _____ man
 - 1) Most of us could not _____ what he did about _____

 - 2) No matter how good you are, it’s never enough to _____ you

The Rich Young Ruler’s Character Flaw

1. He loved his _____ more than he loved _____
 - 1) Jesus always demands _____ place only

 - 2) Give up whatever you _____ or _____ more in your life than you do the Lord

2. He became very _____
 - 1) No matter how much you have, it’s never enough to _____

 - 2) He gave up _____ riches to cling to the _____ of the temporary things of this world

The Lessons We Learn from the Rich, Young Ruler

1. Wealth is a major _____ to the transforming power of Christ
 - 1) The more we have, the more we’re inclined to _____ away from God

 - 2) The more wealth we have, the harder it is not to _____ it

2. Still, transformation is _____ with God’s help

3. Transformation is possible if we develop an _____ perspective

Additional Scripture reference: 2 Corinthians 3.18; Romans 3.10, 20; Ephesians 2.8-9; 1 Corinthians 16.2; Luke 14.26; 10.27; Proverbs 11.28; Philippians 3.7-8; Matthew 19.29; Luke 6.38