

# Not Under but Over the Law

(Luke 11:37-44)

## 1 Timothy 4:13-16

*The parables of Jesus relating to money: Luke 7:41-43; Mark 4:18-19; Matthew 13:44-46; Matthew 18:23-25; Luke 10:29-37; Luke 11:5-8; 18:1-8; 12:16-21; 14:12-24; 14:28-33; 16:1-13; 16:19-31; Matthew 20:1-16; Luke 19:11-27; Matthew 25:14-30; Mark 12:1-2; Matthew 25:31-46*

*Remaining teachings of Jesus relating to money: Matthew 4:1-11; Luke 4:1-13; Matthew 5-7; Luke 6:20-49; Luke 4:16-21; Matthew 11:5; Luke 7:122; Mark 7:9-13; Mark 7:27; Luke 10:38-42; Luke 11:41-42; Matthew 23:23; Mark 8:36; Matthew 17:24-27; Mark 10:17-31; Luke 19:1-10; Mark 14:3-9; Mark 11:15-17; John 2:13-17; Mark 12:13-17; Mark 12:41-44*

## 2 Jesus: What's happening on your heart?

*Luke 11:37-41 cf Leviticus 11:33, 15:12*

## 3 The Old Testament law of God = tithe

*cf Genesis 14:20; 28:22; Leviticus 27:30-33, Numbers 18:21-24, Deuteronomy 12:6-7; 14:22-29; 26:12*

## 4 Applying the Old Testament law in the New Testament era – in principle

*a Jesus on the Old Testament Law: like light through the prism of the cross Matthew 5:17-20*

*b some commands heart purpose/intensified Matthew 5:21-26, 5:27-30*

*c Some commands abolished Mark 7:19*

*d What about Romans 10:4?*

## 5 How is tithing refracted?

*a abolished = no tithe, then stewardship!*

*i stewardship*

*ii poor, especially Christian poor Acts 11:27-30, 1 Corinthians 16:1-2, Romans 15:26*

*iii paying those who minister to us 1 Corinthians 9:14, Galatians 6:6*

*iii partnership Philippians 4:15-18*

*Principles:*

*• Proportional to one's income (1 Corinthians 16:2, 2 Corinthians 8:12)*

*• Consistently (1 Corinthians 16:2)*

*• Sacrificially (Mark 12:43-44, 2 Corinthians 8:2-3)*

*• Cheerfully (2 Corinthians 9:7)*

*b heart purpose/intensified Luke 11:39-42*

## 6 Making progress in our hearts