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## Haggai's Take On What's Wrong

Book of Haggai

**Haggai 1:5-6** <sup>5</sup>Now this is what the Lord Almighty says: "Give careful thought to your ways. <sup>6</sup>You have planted much, but harvested little. You eat, but never have enough. You drink, but never have your fill. You put on clothes, but are not warm. You earn wages, only to put them in a purse with holes in it."

1. The problem with materialism is we never seem to have *enough*.

**Haggai 1:9** <sup>9</sup>"You expected much, but see, it turned out to be little. What you brought home, I blew away. Why?" declares the Lord Almighty. "Because of my house, which remains a ruin, while each of you is busy with your own house."

2. The problem is not a matter of *pursuit*, but a matter of *priority*.

We put God **FIRST** when we.

1. Give Him the **FIRST** *day* of the week.

2. Give Him the **FIRST** *percentage* of our income.

3. Give Him **FIRST** *attention* in our daily activities.

4. Give Him **FIRST** *place* in our parenting.