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## Eternal Perspective

Discussion Guide  
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Luke 16:19-31

### Questions for Study

\*\* Before you begin, please read Luke 16:19-31 as a group.

1. Do you think eternity is something people in our culture think about often? Why / why not?
2. When you think of eternity, what comes to mind?
3. From what you read in Luke 16:19-31, what observations can you make regarding what Jesus teaches about eternity? Work as a group to list as many observations as you can.
4. What surprises you most about what Jesus says in Luke 16:19-31? Explain.
5. As a group, share other biblical truths that reveal more about eternity. (As much as possible, connect these truths to specific verses or passages.) How do these additional truths either reinforce or add to what you've learned in Luke 16:19-31?
6. Develop a list of at least 3-5 responses that this passage should evoke in us. After each response, share why you think this particular response flows out of this passage.
7. In Luke 16:27-31, the rich man thinks of his family – wanting to spare them the torment of separation from God and share with them about how they can experience eternity in God's presence. When you think about who you want to know the hope of eternal life with God, who comes to mind?
8. What can you do to share the good news of the gospel with them, in a clear and caring way?
9. Based on what you've learned from Luke 16, what impact does living with an eternal perspective make on your everyday life?
10. What can you do in the next 4-7 days to live in light of what you've learned?