

# 1 Tim. 6:17-19 mws

## V. 17

πλουσίοις

pertaining to having an abundance of earthly possessions that exceeds normal experience, rich, wealthy, 'the rich man'

pertaining to being rich, rich, wealthy, well-to-do

νῦν

temporal marker with focus on the moment as such, now, the present, 'the present age' cf. 2 Tim 4:10, Titus 2:12, Rom. 3:26, 8:18, 11:5

a point of time simultaneous with the event of the discourse itself, now

αἰῶνι

a segment of time as a particular unit of history, age, the present age

a unit of time as a particular stage or period of history, age, era

παράγγελλε

PAImp2sg

fr. παραγγελλω

to make an announcement about something that must be done, give orders, command, instruct, direct, cf. v. 13, 1:3, 4:11, 5:7

to announce what must be done, to order, to command

ὑψηλοφρονεῖν

PAInf

fr. ὑψηλοφρονεω

be proud, haughty, cf. Rom. 11:20

to have an arrogant, haughty attitude, to be haughty, to be arrogant, 'command those who are rich in this life not to be haughty'

ἠλπικέναι

PfAInf

fr. ἐλπίζω

to look forward to something with implication of confidence about something, coming to pass, hope, hope for, put one's confidence in someone or something, cf. 4:10

to look forward with confidence to that which is good and beneficial, to hope, to hope for, hope

πλούτου

abundance of many earthly goods, wealth

an abundance of possessions exceeding the norm of a particular society and often with a negative connotation, wealth, riches, abundance

ἀδηλότητι

uncertainty, 'to rest one's hope in such an uncertain thing as wealth'

the uncertainty of some event or state, uncertainty, 'not to put one's hope in the uncertainty of riches'

παρέχοντι                      PAPtcpMSD                      fr. παρεχω  
to cause to experience something, grant, show  
to cause someone to experience something, with the possible implication of a duration, to cause  
to, to cause to experience, to give

πλουσίως  
richly, abundantly, cf. Titus 3:6  
pertaining to that which exists in a large amount, with the implication of its being valuable, in  
large amount, in abundance, rich, richly, ‘to place their hope...in God who gives us in abundance  
all good things to enjoy’

ἀπόλαυσιν  
having the benefit of something, and so enjoying it, enjoyment  
enjoyment based upon the satisfaction of one’s desires, enjoyment, ‘God, who generously gives  
us everything to enjoy’

## V. 18

ἀγαθοεργεῖν                      PAInf                      fr. ἀγαθοεργεω  
to do that which benefits others, do good, confer benefits, of the rich, cf. Acts 14:17  
to engage in doing what is good, to do good, to perform good deeds, good works, ‘to do good, to  
be rich in good works’

πλουτεῖν                      PAInf                      fr. πλουτεω  
to be plentifully supplied with something, be rich  
to have a large amount of something which has value, to be rich in, to have a great deal of, ‘to  
have an abundance of good works’ or ‘to be rich in good works’ or ‘to do many good works’

ἔργοις  
that which displays itself in activity of any kind, deed, action, deed, accomplishment, of the  
deeds of humans, exhibiting a consistent moral character  
that which is done, with possible focus on the energy or effort involved, act, deed

καλοῖς  
pertaining to being in accordance at a high level with the purpose of something or someone,  
good, useful, of moral quality, good, noble, praiseworthy, contributing to salvation, ‘good works’  
pertaining to a positive moral quality, with the implication of being favorably valued, good, fine,  
praiseworthy

εὐμεταδότους  
generous  
pertaining to being generous in sharing, liberal, generous in sharing, ‘(command them) to be  
good, to be rich in good works, and to be generous in sharing with others’

κοινωνικούς

pertaining to giving or sharing what is one's own, liberal, generous

pertaining to willing and ready sharing, ready to share, 'to be liberal and ready in sharing'

## V. 19

ἀποθησαυρίζοντας PAPtcpMPA fr. ἀποθησαυρίζω

store up, lay up, figurative 'lay up a good foundation'

to keep safe that which is of great value, to treasure up, to keep safe, 'treasuring up for yourselves a good foundation for the future'

θεμέλιον

the basis for something, taking place or coming into being, foundation, a foundation provides stability, therefore, treasure, reserve

that on which a structure is built, foundation

καλὸν

pertaining to being in accordance at a high level with the purpose of something, good, useful, in any respect unobjectionable, blameless, excellent, of things, good, full measure

pertaining to having acceptable characteristics or functioning in an agreeable manner, often with the focus on outward form or appearance

μέλλον

PAPtcpNSA fr. μέλλω

(in the) future, to come, 'for the future'

unlimited extent of time beginning with the time of the discourse, the future, 'will store up for themselves a treasure which will be a solid foundation for the future'

ἐπιλάβονται

AMdepS3pl fr. ἐπιλαμβάνομαι

take hold of in order to make one's own, take hold of, cf. v. 12

to experience some event or state, often with the implication of something negatively valued, to undergo, to experience

ὄντως

pertaining to being actually so, really, certainly, in truth, 'real, true life' cf. 5:3, 5, 16

pertaining to actual existence, really, certainly, truly

ζωῆς

transcendent life, the life of believers, which proceeds from God and Christ, cf. v. 12, 1:16

to be alive, to live, life

