

Ezra Part 12
“Entrusted With Treasure”
Chapter 8:24-36

•**Romans 11:33** Oh, the depth of the riches of the wisdom and knowledge of God!

A. The treasure of _____ and
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•**Proverbs 2:1-11**

B. The treasure of proven _____. Faith is the grace by which we are able to live by God’s promises alone.

•**1 Peter 1:6-7** ...you may have had to suffer grief in all kinds of trials. These have come so that your faith — of greater worth than gold, which perishes even though refined by fire...

•**Ezra 8:28** I said to them, “You as well as these articles are consecrated to the LORD.

Consecrated: to be separate and set apart for Christ

•**Matthew 19:22** ¶ When the young man heard this, he went away sad, because he had great wealth.

C. Treasure must _____, not
_____.

•**James 1:5** If any of you lacks wisdom, he should ask God, who gives generously to all without finding fault, and it will be given to him.

•**Matthew 6:19** “Do not store up for yourselves treasures on earth, where moth and rust destroy, and where thieves break in and steal. 20 But store up for yourselves treasures in heaven, where moth and rust do not destroy, and where thieves do not break in and steal.