

Deacon's Beacons

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Beware lest you say in your heart, 'My power and the might of my hand have gotten me this wealth.' You shall remember the LORD your God, for it is he who gives you power to get wealth, that he may confirm his covenant that he swore to your fathers, as it is this day. Deuteronomy 8:17–18

Those who are wealthy and powerful often think that it is to their credit alone that they have succeeded. But without the gifts bestowed on them by God, they would be nothing. The human hubris causes them to deny God. But we know that is false. Whatever wealth they can amass in this world will do nothing for them in the next. Only with a heart like Jesus and a spirit of love and compassion can a wealthy person hope to escape into eternal life. Money will not buy it.

Go raibh síocháin Chríost a bheith in éineacht leat.

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