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#### MATTHEW 25:16-17 (NIV)

[16] The man who had received five bags of gold went at once and put his money to work and gained five bags more. [17] So also, the one with two bags of gold gained two more.



# THEY UNDERSTOOD THE MASTER



#### MATTHEW 25:24-25 (NIV)

[24] Then the man who had received one bag of gold came. "Master," he said, "I knew that you are a hard man, harvesting where you have not sown and gathering where you have not scattered seed. [25] So I was afraid and went out and hid your gold in the ground. See, here is what belongs to you."



# THEY UNDERSTOOD THE MONEY



#### MATTHEW 25:14-15 (NIV)

[14] Again, it will be like a man going on a journey, who called his servants and entrusted his wealth to them. [15] To one he gave five bags of gold, to another two bags, and to another one bag, each according to his ability. Then he went on his journey.



## THEY UNDERSTOOD THE MISSION



### **MATTHEW 25:18 (NIV)**

But the man who had received one bag went off, dug a hole in the ground and hid his master's money.



#### MATTHEW 25:26-27 (NIV)

[26] His master replied, "You wicked, lazy servant! So you knew that I harvest where I have not sown and gather where I have not scattered seed? [27] Well then, you should have put my money on deposit with the bankers, so that when I returned I would have received it back with interest."



#### **MATTHEW 25:23 (NIV)**

His master replied, 'Well done, good and faithful servant! You have been faithful with a few things; I will put you in charge of many things. Come and share your master's happiness!'

