## Trusting Christ in the Storms of Life



Big Idea: Tough times will come in this life. Thoughtful biblical finance is preparing for these times to the extent that we can.

### Savings

Saving cash for short term, knowable/planable expenses so that we aren't require to resort to debt when expenses come

### Ideas for Savings

- Emergency Fund
  - Begin with \$1,000
  - Increase to 3-6 months living expenses

## Ideas for Savings

Vacation Savings

Tax Savings

Vehicle Savings

### Ideas for Saving

- Home Savings
  - Saving toward downpayment
  - Saving toward home renovation
  - Saving toward home expenses

#### Where to Save?

- Bank Account
- CDs
- Investing

#### Insurance

A product that provides financial protection from losses, liability or other financial catastrophe

## 6 Financial Catastrophes

- Disability
- Death
- Illness
- Injury
- Liability
- Loss of Expensive Property

# 8 Important Types of Insurance

#### Car Insurance

- Liability Coverage
- Comprehensive Coverage

## Homeowners Insurance/ Renter's Insurance

#### Health Insurance

## Disability Insurance

#### Life Insurance

- Term vs Whole Life
- Term4Sale.com
- InsuringIncome.com

#### Umbrella Insurance

# Other Insurance Products

- Long term care insurance
- Identity theft protection
- CCW insurance

## Does insurance reflect a lack of trust in God's provision?

But if anyone does not provide for his relatives, and especially for members of his household, he has denied the faith and is worse than an unbeliever.

1 Timothy 5:8

## Biblical Argument for Insurance

- Allows us to provide for and protect our family
- Honors the principle of reimbursing with compensation those we have wronged
- Required as a part of government submission
- Ensures that you will have something to leave to your children
- Provides a way to ensure that our debts are paid