

## How to Leave a Lasting Legacy

Matt. 25:14-30

1. **Influence** – *“God has invested in our lives and expects us to influence others.”*

Sunday is a day of investment!

“My children will not remember the words of wisdom I’ve passed along over the years, nor will yours remember the good advice you’ve given. However, etched in their minds and planted in their hearts is a permanent picture of who you are and how you’ve lived before them?”  
*Dorothy Kelley Patterson*

2. **Affluence** – *“An abundant flow or supply”*

It’s not how much you have, it’s what you do with it!

The only way to pass the affluence test is by giving.

3. **Confluence** – *“Gathering at one point”*

Phil. 2:10

“that at the name of Jesus every knee should bow, in heaven and on earth and under earth.”

- Who are you influencing today, tomorrow?
- How is your affluence?
- When did you have a confluence at the cross?

“The only thing necessary for the triumph of evil is for good men to do nothing.”  
*Edmund Burke*