## Simple Life: Simple Stuff

How do I simplify to make room for what matters most?

Is the stuff I am wanting (or pursuing) **getting in the way** of what God has for me?

1. Determine what I really \_\_\_\_\_\_ in life. (Luke 12:13-21 NLT; Psalm 37:4 NIV)

"Materialism has become the new dominant system of meaning. **Atheism** hasn't replaced Christianity; shopping has." – Jean Baudrillard

2. \_\_\_\_\_ in the \_\_\_\_\_ not merely in what's being created. (Philippians 4:10-13 NLT)

"**Contentment** is when we tell the Good Shepherd that His presence and provision are sufficient for our every need."

Allow God's **generosity** to fuel my **gratitude**.

Disarm discontentment by:

- practicing generosity
- learning the benefit of waiting
- cultivating gratitude
- 3. \_\_\_\_\_ daily, not just annually. (1 Thessalonians 5:18 NLT)