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for they will surely sprout wings and fly off to the sky like an eagle.*

Proverbs 23:5

You have made my days a mere handbreadth; the span of my years is as nothing before you.

Each man's life is but a breath. Man is a mere phantom as he goes to and fro:

He bustles about, but only in vain; he heaps up wealth, not knowing who will get it

Psalm 39:5,6

Command those who are rich in this present world not to be arrogant nor to put their hope in wealth, which is so uncertain, but to put their hope in God, who richly provides us with everything for our enjoyment.

1 Timothy 6:17



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2-*A man was there by the name of Zacchaeus; he was a chief tax collector and was wealthy.*

3-*He wanted to see who Jesus was, but being a short man he could not, because of the crowd.*

4-*So he ran ahead and climbed a sycamore-fig tree to see him, since Jesus was coming that way.*

5-*When Jesus reached the spot, he looked up and said to him, "Zacchaeus, come down immediately. I must stay at your house today."*

6-*So he came down at once and welcomed him gladly.*

7-*All the people saw this and began to mutter, "He has gone to be the guest of a 'sinner'."*

8-*But Zacchaeus stood up and said to the Lord, "Look, Lord! Here and now I give half of my possessions to the poor, and if I have cheated anybody out of anything, I will pay back four times the amount"*

9-*Jesus said to him, "Today salvation has come to this house, because this man, too, is a son of Abraham.*

10-*For the Son of Man came to seek and to save what was lost."*

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