1. **Intro to the Lesson: Background information**
2. **Parable of the Prepared Servants: (Luke 12: 35 - 41)**
   1. **Two Action Steps:**
      1. **Be personally prepared – on the ready**
      2. **Be equipped on the ready**
   2. **Two Examples:**
      1. **Bride & Groom Returning**
      2. **Vigilant homeowner**
   3. **Peter’s Question:** **(Luke 12: 41)**
3. **Parable of the Wise Steward (Faithful): (Luke 12: 42-48)**

**Four kinds of Stewards**

* **Faithful Servant (42-44**
* **Unfaithful Servant (45-46)**
* **Unfaithful but Informed (47)**
* **Unfaithful but Ignorant (48)**

1. **Application**
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