

Welcome to Sierra Community Church

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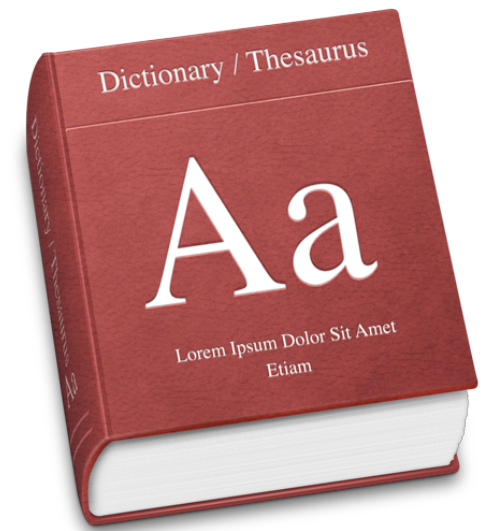
ROM. 1:20 FOR SINCE THE CREATION OF THE WORLD GOD'S INVISIBLE QUALITIES HIS ETERNAL POWER AND DIVINE NATURE HAVE BEEN CLEARLY SEEN, BEING UNDERSTOOD FROM WHAT HAS BEEN MADE.

A green one hundred dollar bill is shown at an angle, with the portrait of Benjamin Franklin visible. The text 'Financial Peace University' is overlaid in white with a drop shadow.

Financial Peace University

Life. Money. Hope.

BIBLICAL ADVICE IN CHALLENGING TIMES



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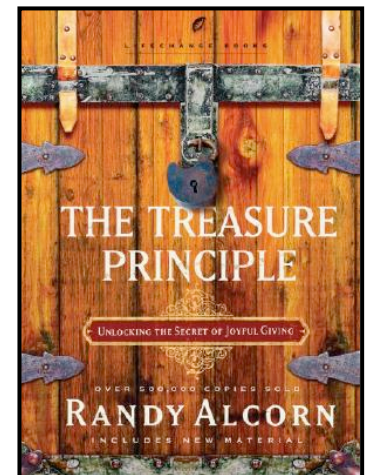
- A person who manages another's property or estate.
- A person whose responsibility it is to take care of something.

asset manager

- A person responsible for controlling or administering a useful or valuable thing, person, or quality.

“The steward manages assets for the owner’s benefit. The steward carries no sense of entitlement to the assets he manages. It’s his job to find out what the owner wants done with his assets. ***Then carry out his will.***”

- *The Treasure Principle* by Randy Alcorn pg. 25

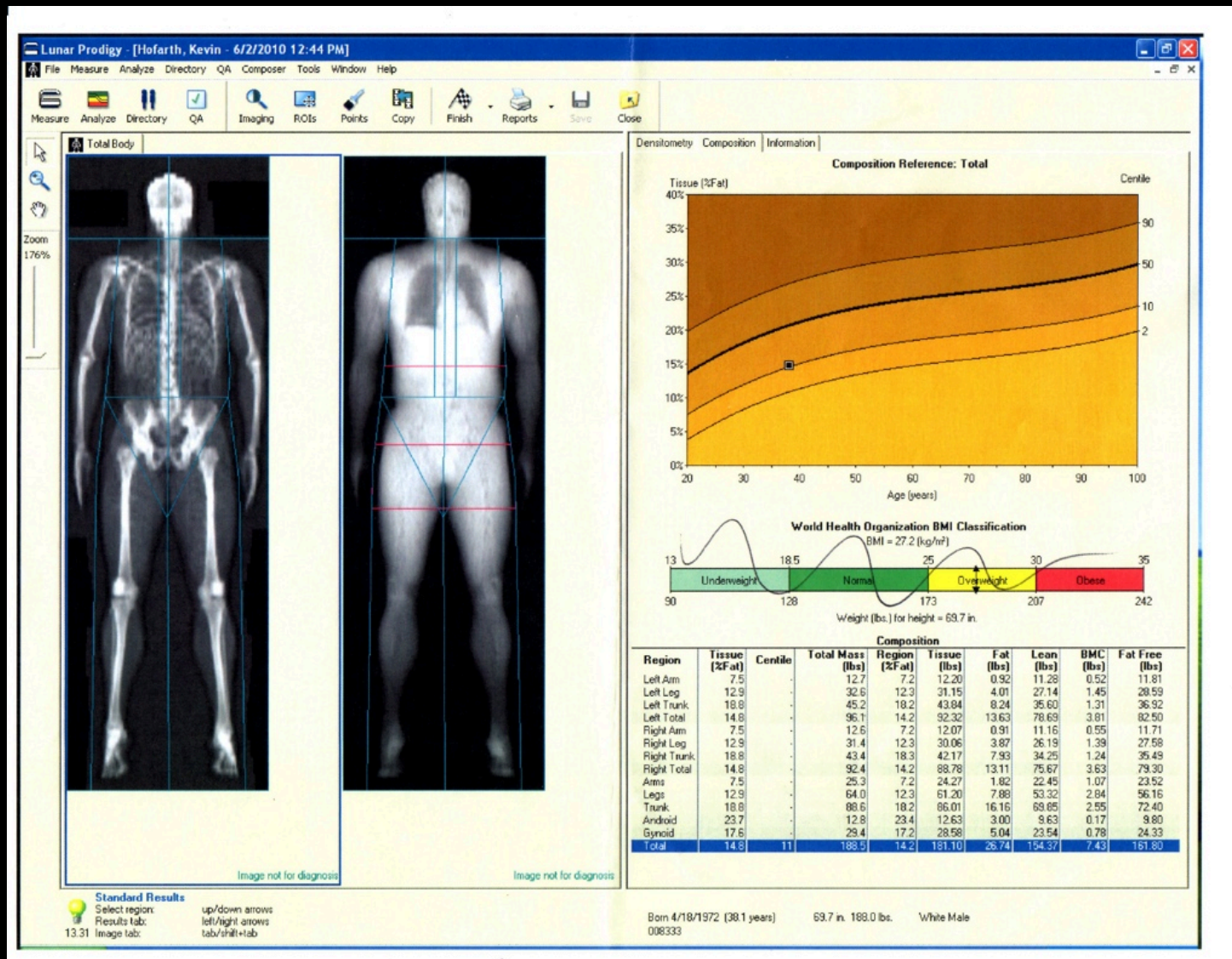


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1. I don't own it, God does. I'm an asset manager. -Psalms 24:1-2 -Matt.25:14-30



New Perspective?



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2. God is generous! -John 3:16



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3. I was *designed* to be
generous. -Genesis 1:26



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-By "DESIGN"

Gen. 1:26 Then God said, "Let us make man in our image, in our likeness, and let them rule over the fish of the sea and the birds of the air, over the livestock, over all the earth..."

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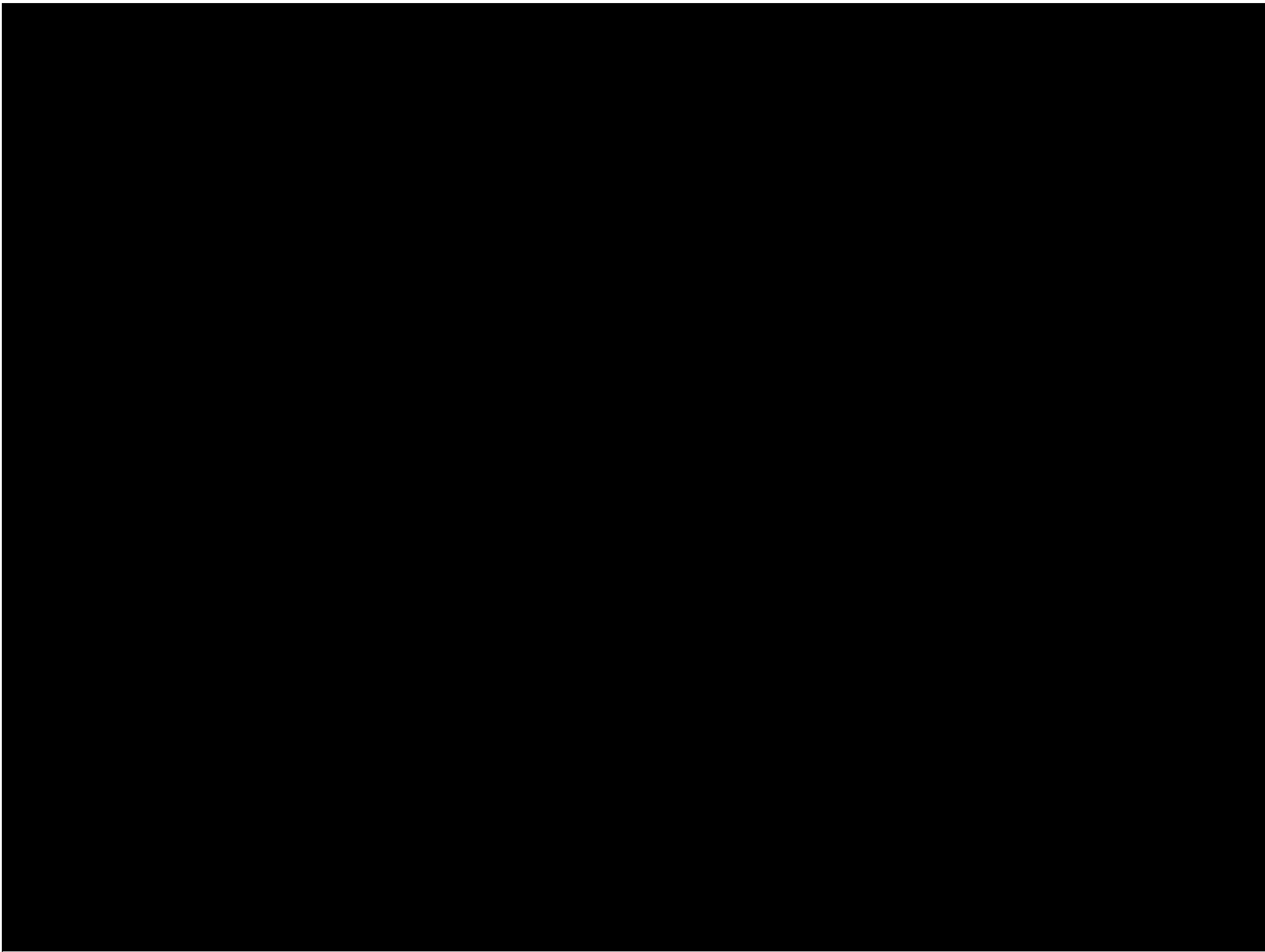
b. To live at peace with what I have. -Heb. 13:

c. To celebrate what God is doing in the world as an active participant!

-2Corinthians 9:7







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