**The Other 90 – 1**

**“Mind Your Own Business”**

*Proverb 22:7*

*The rich rule over the poor, and the borrower is servant to the lender.*

**Servant:** ‘*ebed* – servant, slave, in bondage.

1. **Big Problem – We Believe the Lies.**
   1. Lie #1 – I deserve a better life now.
   2. Lie #2 – There are certain things I cannot be happy without.
   3. Lie #3 – I have to have a car payment.
2. **God Has Given You a Business.**
   1. Read Jesus’ parables:
      * 1. Lu 16:1-13 “The Shrewd Manager”
        2. Mathew 25:14-30 “The Stewards”
   2. Basic premise: God owns it all!

*Proverbs 21:5 NIV*

*The plans of the diligent lead to profit as surely as haste leads to poverty*

1. **What is Your Personal Business Plan?**
   1. If you don’t work your plan, you’ll work someone else’s plan.
   2. What is your vision?
   3. Debt is not a sin, but debt is dangerous

*Romans 13:8 NIV*

*Let no debt remain outstanding, except the continuing debt to love one another, for he who loves his fellowman has fulfilled the law.*

1. **Be Weird With Your Money.**
   1. Develop a cash flow plan.
   2. Plan to lower overhead.
   3. Plan for down times.
   4. Develop an investment strategy.
   5. Plan profit sharing.

*Proverbs 6:5 NIV*

*Free yourself, like a gazelle from the hand of the hunter, like a bird from the snare of the fowler.*