

A script from



## “Stuff Addicts Support Group”

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**What** Here’s a support group for people addicted to stuff. This is a great sermon set-up. Themes: Materialism, Finances, Tithing, Focus, Serving, Fasting, Sacrifice, Giving

**Who** Moderator  
Bill  
Nancy  
Ellen

**When** Present

**Wear (Props)** 3 chairs  
9-10 cell phones  
3 Bluetooth headsets  
8 sets of car keys  
2 pairs of sunglasses  
\*This is all “stuff” that the characters have in their pocket and purses. It doesn’t have to be exact.  
Each character should be dressed nicely or trendy.

**Why** Matt. 6:24

**How** Keep the dialogue very conversational. Don’t over-act it, which is sometimes easy to do when you’re playing “characters”, or people with exaggerated personalities. Sometimes the comedy is in your subtleties.

**Time** Approximately 5-7 minutes; This script is 4 pages long.

*Three ladies are sitting in a semicircle with an empty chair at the end. The **Moderator** is writing on a clipboard. **Ellen** is furiously texting and periodically laughing. **Nancy** is wearing a Bluetooth® and is busy talking. **Bill** walks from stage left glancing at a business card and seems to be unsure if he's in the right place. **Bill** is dressed in a fancy suit replete with fancy shoes and watch. He's wearing sunglasses, a Bluetooth® ear piece and is holding an iPhone® in one hand.*

**Bill:** *(Walking to one of the ladies and taking off his sunglasses)*  
Umm...excuse me. Is this the Consumerism Support Group?

**Nancy:** *(Turning to him)* Hey how are you?

**Bill:** *(A little taken aback)* Uhh...I'm fine...how are you?

**Nancy:** I'm great, hey...I was thinking that maybe we'd skip church this Sunday and head to the lake, what do you think?

**Bill:** *(Even more surprised)* Well, I don't even really know you and besides after the incident with the duck and the rowboat I don't feel comfortable...

**Nancy:** *(Interrupting)* Oh and I'm sorry to hear about your rash...what did the doctor say?

**Bill:** *(Now turning slightly angry and embarrassed)* Who told you about my rash? Look, it's not my fault I was bitten by a...

**Nancy:** *(Reaching to her Blackberry®)* Look, I'm going to have to call you back later, this guy keeps pestering me. *(Switching off her headset and addressing Bill, annoyed)* Can I help you?

**Moderator:** *(Putting down her clipboard)* Okay group, let's get started. Welcome to the Consumerism Support Group. I know it's Super Bowl Weekend and all of our men seem to have fallen off the wagon. *(Noticing Bill)* Well, maybe not all of them. Welcome sir, tell us your name.

**Bill:** Hi, my name's Bill

**The ladies:** H, Bill.

**Moderator:** Welcome, we're glad you're here. Let's start by passing around our Basket of Accountability.

*The **Moderator** takes out a basket from under her seat and offers it to **Ellen**. **Ellen** (still texting) glances at the basket and begins texting even more furiously.*

**Moderator:** *(Softly)* Ellen, sweetie, it's time to put it up.

***Ellen** grits her teeth defiantly and continues texting even more.*

**Nancy:** *(Touching Ellen on the shoulder)* Ellen, you have to let it go.

**Ellen:** *(Not looking up)* But I still haven't checked my Facebook account yet!!!

**Moderator:** Ellen, do you want to be free from your addiction to stuff?

*Ellen sighs and reluctantly puts the cell phone in the basket.*

**Moderator:** *(Still holding the basket to Ellen)* And the other stuff...

*Ellen takes out her purse and puts in 3 more cell phones, two pairs of sunglasses, a watch and four sets of car keys.*

**Moderator:** *(Still holding the basket to Ellen)* How 'bout the Beemer?

*Ellen reaches into her back pocket and pulls out one more set of keys. She pouts like a child. The Moderator offers the basket to Nancy who puts in 2 cell phones, her Bluetooth headset and 3 sets of keys. The basket then goes to Bill who reluctantly puts his sunglasses, his Bluetooth headset, his car keys and 2 iPhones in.*

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**ENDING:**

**Bill:** Well, two years ago, I looked and my 2 year old was texting me from the breakfast table. She said she had a spa treatment and was wondering if I could hurry up. It was then that I knew we had a problem.

*Bill begins sobbing. Ellen and Nancy pat him on the back.*

**Moderator:** Well, you're in the right place. Jesus said that we can't serve both God and 'stuff'...only one can be master. Today, we're going to hear a message about getting free from our addiction to "stuff". Let's listen in.

*Lights out. The end.*