

TECHNOLOGICALLY ADVANCED

In the 1960s, we went to the moon. We landed on the moon with the most advanced computing systems on the planet. Boasting a robust 4KB of RAM, they were able to communicate over their many NASA bases and even communicate with Apollo 11 itself. It took 3,500 IBM employees to install the system. It was quite the feat!

Today, I have a smart phone. A small computer that goes with me. It has a bit more RAM than that massive IBM computer had. Quite a bit. RAM has to do with the speed at which the computer runs. That supercomputer that took us to the moon was 4,000 bites. My phone on the other hand, has 3,000,000,000!

We have often wondered where technology will take us. We often think of flying cars, rocket ships, and boldly going where none has gone before. What do most people use their 3GB of RAM for? Watching cat videos or pornography.

We are lonelier and more isolated than ever. Our lives are built around technology. Think about it. When we are putting your living room together, what is the main focal point of the room? For most of us, it is the TV. My recliner in my house doesn't face the couch to visit with the other people in the room. It faces the TV so I can see it better. Instead of spending time with others, we are focused on our screens and devices.

Did you know the average person in the US will make \$400,000 in their lifetime? Did you know the average African will only make \$4,000? Makes you think twice about complaining that you are lacking, doesn't it? However, when it comes to spiritual wealth, these figures would be easily flipped.

How hard it is for those who are wealthy to enter the kingdom of God (Luke 18:24).

It is no wonder that our country is crumbling spiritually. As prosperity increases, so does the hardness of the heart.

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