Sermonette – Lessons of Monopoly

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1. Imagine a world.
   1. Hunger
   2. Deaths
   3. Waste
   4. Etcetera
2. If I were the devil. I would just keep on doing what I’m doing.
3. The game of monopoly.
   1. Life is like the game of Monopoly.
   2. My sister taught me to play. She taught me the name of the game is to acquire. To win is to obtain a total acquisition of wealth and possessions.
   3. Now at first I wasn’t good at the game, but eventually I learned to play the game. I got so good, I learned the rules of the game and the tricks to acquire.
4. I Timothy 6:10 – the love of money is the root of all kinds of evil.
   1. One day I played my sister in monopoly. I took everything she had. I kept going until I took her last dollar and then watched her quit in utter defeat.
5. History of money.
   1. Two Treatises of Government. 1689 by John Locke
      1. We are reasoning here from the premise that God has designed rules for us, the natural laws, in order to best preserve and enhance human life
      2. Argues that all men are created equal in the state of nature by God.
      3. Provisos
         1. You can have private property if you…
         2. Leave enough and as good for others.
         3. You only take so much as one can use before it spoils.
         4. Must mix your labor with the property.
      4. Gold and silver cannot rot, nor can any other previous metal or gem. Trading it for food can transfer the food around before it rots. Therefore, society can be dedicated to the protection of property.
6. I Timothy 6:9 – Those who desire to be rich fall into temptation… drown men in destruction and perdition.
7. I Timothy 6:6-8 – It all goes back into the box.
8. What matters?
9. Imagine a world. TKOG