

What's in Your Wallet?



PURPOSE:

Share life events

MATERIALS:



Coins

TIMING:



10–15 minutes

DIRECTIONS:

1. Ask each person to pick a coin from their purse or wallet. (Have some coins on hand to pass out in case people don't have coins.)
2. Then ask them to look at the date on the coin and think about something that happened that year that impacted their financial situation—good or bad.
3. Have each person briefly share the event and the impact it had. Allow 10 to 15 minutes, depending on the group's size.

EXAMPLE: "In 1983, my daughter was born and...." Or, "I bought a house in 1998 and...."