# Set Up A Budget

Workbook

## The Real Debt Solution

The Secret To Getting Out Of Debt Faster!

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### Why do you need a budget?

- Show you where and how you're spending your money
- Show you how you can make cuts to spending
- Show you how you can save more money
- Make you more disciplined with your money
- Keeps you out of trouble
- Finances are ran like a well-oiled machine or like a business

Notes:

#### Why most people fail to set-up a budget?

- Fear afraid to see their financial situation
- Afraid to follow because they like to spend money
- List some reasons why you might be afraid

Notes:

#### **Common pitfalls of setting up a budget**

- They think that spending a little bit of money here and there won't hurt
- They don't refer back to their budget to see if they are on track
- They don't take it serious
- They don't stay on a budget after they get their situation under control

Notes:

#### How to set-up a budget

- I recommend using a spreadsheet program like Microsoft Excel for a simple and easy way
- In one column list all of your debts
- In the column next to it list the amount of the monthly payment
- Do this for all your consumer debt and household expenses
- Add up all of your payments and subtract that from your monthly net income
- If you break-even or have money left over you are ok!
- If you are in the negative you are ok, because we are going to fix the problem in the next video

**Quick Review** 

#### What you'll learn in my next video:

- How to set-up a debt elimination plan
- How to get quick cash to start your plan and set-up an emergency fund
- The correct way to pay off your debt