

PART FIVE: GENEROSITY

Connect Group Discussion Guide Sunday, February 26, 2023



GENEROSITY

Exodus 35:4–22, 36:3–7; Romans 5:20; 2 Corinthians 9:7; Matthew 6:21; Galatians 6:10; Acts 4:34–35; Matthew 6:3–4; 2 Corinthians 8:1–7

ICE BREAKER

What was the greatest act of generosity you've ever witnessed?

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| 1) | Read Exodus 35:4-22. How would you describe the generosity of |
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| | the people of Israel in this incident? |

| 2) | Read Romans 5:20. What does this verse reveal to us about the |
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| | motive for our generosity as the children of God? |

- 3) How does knowing that everything we have has been given to us by God and we are only stewards of it help us be generous people?
- 4) Read 2 Corinthians 9:7 and Matthew 6:21. What do these verses tell us about how God measures our generosity?
- 5) Read Galatians 6:10, Acts 4:34-35, Matthew 6:3-4, and 2 Corinthians 8:1-7. What are some lessons about generosity we can draw from these verses?

GOD'S TRUTH TO REMEMBER

2 Corinthians 8:7 (ESV) - But as you excel in everything—in faith, in speech, in knowledge, in all earnestness, and in our love for you—see that you excel in this act of grace also.

FOR FURTHER READING

The Treasure Principle by Randy Alcorn The Genius of Generosity by Chip Ingram True Riches by John Cortines Kingdom Stewardship by Tony Evans Enough by Adam Hamilton Big Hearted by Joel Morris

PRAYER REQUESTS

(List prayer requests here so you can pray for them all week long.)

SERMON NOTES