

Generosity of Life

MARK 12:41-44

God uses His people
to accomplish His plans
for His purpose.

A generous life is a
fulfilled life.

MARK 12:38-40 NIV

As he taught, Jesus said, “Watch out for the teachers of the law. They like to walk around in flowing robes and be greeted with respect in the marketplaces,³⁹ and have the most important seats in the synagogues and the places of honor at banquets.⁴⁰ They devour widows’ houses and for a show make lengthy prayers. These men will be punished most severely.”

MARK 12:41-44 NIV

Jesus sat down opposite the place where the offerings were put and watched the crowd putting their money into the temple treasury. Many rich people threw in large amounts.⁴² But a poor widow came and put in two very small copper coins, worth only a few cents.⁴³ Calling his disciples to him, Jesus said, “Truly I tell you, this poor widow has put more into the treasury than all the others.⁴⁴ They all gave out of their wealth; but she, out of her poverty, put in everything—all she had to live on.”

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2 TIMOTHY 1:15 NIV

You know that everyone in the province of Asia has deserted me, including Phygelus and Hermogenes.

2 TIMOTHY 1:16-18 NIV

May the Lord show mercy to the household of Onesiphorus because he often refreshed me and was not ashamed of my chains. ¹⁷ On the contrary, when he was in Rome, he searched hard for me until he found me. ¹⁸ May the Lord grant that he will find mercy from the Lord on that day! You know very well in how many ways he helped me in Ephesus.

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Perhaps the greatest single weakness of the contemporary Christian Church is that millions of supposed members are not really involved at all and, what is worse, do not think it strange that they are not...

- E L T O N T R U E B L O O D

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...There is no real chance of victory in a campaign if ninety percent of the soldiers are untrained and uninvolved, but that is exactly where we stand now. Most alleged Christians do not understand that loyalty to Christ means sharing personally in His ministry, going or staying as the situation requires.

- E L T O N T R U E B L O O D

EPHESIANS 4:1 ESV

“...walk in a manner worthy of the calling to which you have been called...”

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1 TIMOTHY 6:17-19 NIV

Command those who are rich in this present world not to be arrogant nor to put their hope in wealth, which is so uncertain, but to put their hope in God, who richly provides us with everything for our enjoyment.¹⁸ Command them to do good, to be rich in good deeds, and to be generous and willing to share.¹⁹ In this way they will lay up treasure for themselves as a firm foundation for the coming age, so that they may take hold of the life that is truly life.

Who

What

Why

1 TIMOTHY 6:17 NIV

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present world...

Poverty and Riches

\$26,500

\$18 per day per person (Family of 4)
Top 2% of the world's income

\$50,000

Annual Income *Top 1% in the world*

\$42,101

Avg. household income in NWA 2021

\$5.50

3.4 billion people live on this per day

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When will we take hold of that abundant
life? Not after we die, but after we give!
In fact, after each time we give.

- R A N D Y A L C O R N

Giving Is the Good Life



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Sundays | June 6-July 18 | 9:30am

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Sacrifices of the Believer Priest

Body
Praise
Service
Stewardship

R O M A N S 1 2 : 1 N I V

Therefore, I urge you, brothers and sisters, in view of God's mercy, to offer your bodies as a living sacrifice, holy and pleasing to God—this is your true and proper worship.

Sacrifices of the Believer Priest

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HEBREWS 13:15-16 NIV84

Through Jesus, therefore, let us continually offer to God a sacrifice of praise—the fruit of lips that confess his name.¹⁶ And do not forget to do good and to share with others, for with such sacrifices God is pleased.



Bleachers

Content to watch



Bench

Waiting to get in the game



Showers

I'm done!



Playing Field

Where the action is

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