

TOMORROW MATTERS

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- Less Is More
- Stress Is Bad
- Giving Is Good
- Tomorrow Matters

[Ecclesiastes 4:6](#)

Better one handful with tranquility than two handfuls with toil and chasing after the wind.

Less of what doesn't matter so I can experience MORE of what does matter.

DEFINE WHAT DOES MATTER:

1. _____
2. _____
3. _____

3 Thoughts About Less Is More Living

- 1) We are going to CLEAR OUT.
- 2) We are going to CUT BACK.
- 3) We are going to PAY OFF.

Three Prayers For The Pursuit Of A Debt-Free Life

[Proverbs 22:7 NIV](#)

"...the borrower is slave to the lender."

- 1) "God, give me Self-Control."
- 2) "God, give me Understanding."
- 3) "God, give me a Plan."

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TODAY'S LESSON

Giving Is Good

[Acts 20:35](#)

"It is more blessed to give than to receive."

[2 Corinthians 9:11](#)

"You will be enriched in every way..."

Why don't we give more often?

- 1) We feel like we don't _____.
- 2) Because we've seen this message _____.
- 3) We live with a _____ mindset.

Powerful Truth

Whenever you give, you are always a _____ and you will always be _____.

[Proverbs 11:24](#) *The Message*

The world of the generous gets larger and larger.

The world of the stingy gets smaller and smaller.

Three Truths From Scripture That Will Help Us All Grow In Generosity

- 1) _____ God with the _____.

[Leviticus 27:30](#)

[Malachi 3:10](#)

[Matthew 23:23](#)

- 2) Learn to _____ your generosity.

[Isaiah 32:8](#) *NLT*

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3) Start _____!

Philemon 1:6 NLT

"...I am praying that you will put into action the generosity that comes from your faith as you understand and experience all the good things we have in Christ."

POWERFUL TRUTHS

- We are going to worship God with our _____ and _____ to take care of the rest.
- Every time we _____, we are a _____ to someone else and we are _____ by God.
- We are _____ in every way, so we can _____ on every occasion.

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Proverbs 22:7 NIV

The rich rules over the poor, And the borrower is servant to the lender.

Acts 20:35 NKJV

35 I have shown you in every way, by laboring like this, that you must support the weak. And remember the words of the Lord Jesus, that He said, 'It is more blessed to give than to receive.' "

2 Corinthians 9:11 NKJV

11 while you are enriched in everything for all liberality, which causes thanksgiving through us to God.

Proverbs 11:24 The Message

24 The world of the generous gets larger and larger;
the world of the stingy gets smaller and smaller.

Leviticus 27:30 NKJV

30 And all the tithe of the land, whether of the seed of the land or of the fruit of the tree, is the Lord's. It is holy to the Lord.

Malachi 3:10 NKJV

10 Bring all the tithes into the storehouse, that there may be food in My house, and try Me now in this," says the Lord of hosts, "If I will not open for you the windows of heaven and pour out for you such blessing that there will not be room enough to receive it.

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Restore



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Matthew 23:23 NKJV

23 "Woe to you, scribes and Pharisees, hypocrites! For you pay tithes of mint and anise and cummin, and have neglected the weightier matters of the law: justice and mercy and faith. These you ought to have done, without leaving the others undone.

Isaiah 32:8 NLT

But generous people plan to do what is generous, and they stand firm in their generosity.

Philemon 1:6 NLT

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