



GREED: GETTING VS. GIVING

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Warnings about Greed:

Ecclesiastes 5:10 He who loves money will not be satisfied with money, nor he who loves wealth with his income; this also is vanity.

1 Timothy 6:10 For the love of money is a root of all kinds of evil. Some people, eager for money, have wandered from the faith and pierced themselves with many griefs.

Hebrews 13:5 Keep your lives free from the love of money and be content with what you have, because God has said, "Never will I leave you; never will I forsake you."

Parable of the Good Samaritan Luke 10:30-37

Story of Zacchaeus Luke 19:1-10

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1. My family and close friends can see that I believe that everything I have belongs to God.
2. I attempt to remain out of debt, so that I am not crippled by financial obligations.
3. I have a plan for getting out of debt, and goals for the savings and use of money.
4. I am making a difference in the world through my heavenly investments—returning my tithes and offerings back to God.

Celebrate giving! It's when you are most like God!

Teach your kids to celebrate giving to God!

Money is a tool and a test. Don't treat it like a treasure to store up. You can't take it with you, but you can send it on ahead by the way use it for kingdom purposes on earth.

"I have held many things in my hands, and I have lost them all. But whatever I have placed in God's hands, that I still possess."

--Martin Luther

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“a selfish and excessive desire for more of something (such as money) than is needed.”

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**Biblical examples
of God's giving nature:**

The Parable of the Good Samaritan

Luke 10:30-37

**Expectation for all true believers:
Tithe to the Lord**

Story of Zacchaeus

Luke 19:1-10

GIVE TO THE MISSION

“LSC exists to advance the gospel of Jesus Christ by making disciples to the ends of the earth.”

GIVE TO THE NEED

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