



“The Cheerful Giver”

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I. ***II Corinthians 9:6-9***

A. What does it mean to be a cheerful giver?

1. A person that delights and has his heart in giving.
2. ***Greek (Hilaros) – Merry, Prompt, and Willing***
3. ***Isaiah 1:19*** “If you are willing and obedient, you will eat the good of the land.”

B. ***Galatians 6:7-10***

1. The Law of Sowing and Reaping
 - It works for the just and the unjust....you plant a seed and it will grow.
 - For the believer, something greater takes place; it goes from an even reciprocation to multiplication...
2. The Law of the Tithe is the perfect example of why God wants you to give
 - ***Malachi 3:10-11*** (Exceeding Abundantly Above All You Can Ask or Think)
 - When we are willing...When we are obedient...God will make certain that you are BLESSED!

II. Living to Give

A. ***Luke 6:38*** (Amplified)

1. What standard of measurement do you use....
2. You can never out give God.

B. The Secret is in the Open Hand

1. God’s hands are open to freely give us all things (***Romans 8:32***)
2. Our hands should represent God’s hands
 - Remain open so there is a constant flow from God to you to others
 - Closed hands will create closed doors...Open hands will create opportunities beyond measure.

C. Be Careful When the Blessing Begins to Flow

1. Remember the Rich Young Ruler and the Love of Money
2. Always Keep a Giving Heart and hand.
3. Don’t ever forget the goodness of God!