

Benefits of Giving

Luke 6:38 – “Give, and it will be given to you: good measure, pressed down, shaken together, and running over will be put into your bosom. For with the same measure that you use, it will be measured back to you.”

Benefits

- **Giving makes me more like God**
 - John 3:16 – “For God so loved the world that He gave His only begotten Son, that whoever believes in Him should not perish but have everlasting life.”
- **Giving draws me closer to God**
 - Matthew 6:21 – “For where your treasure is, there your heart will be also.”

Benefits

- Giving gives me victory over materialism
 - 1 Timothy 6:17-19 – “Command those who are rich in this present age not to be haughty, nor to trust in uncertain riches but in the living God, who gives us richly all things to enjoy. **18** *Let them* do good, that they be rich in good works, ready to give, willing to share, **19** storing up for themselves a good foundation for the time to come, that they may lay hold on eternal life.

Benefits

- Giving strengthens my faith

- Malachi 3:10 – “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.*”
- Proverbs 3:5-6 – “Trust in the Lord with all your heart, And lean not on your own understanding; In all your ways acknowledge Him, And He shall direct_[a] your paths. (9) Honor the Lord with your possessions, And with the firstfruits of all your increase;

Benefits

- **Giving is an investment for eternity**
 - 1 Timothy 6:18-19 – “*Let them* do good, that they be rich in good works, ready to give, willing to share, **19** storing up for themselves a good foundation for the time to come, that they may lay hold on eternal life.
- **Giving makes me happy**
 - Acts 20:35 – “And remember the words of the Lord Jesus, that He said, ‘It is more blessed to give than to receive.’”

Benefits

- Giving blesses me in return
 - Proverbs 22:9 – “He who has a generous eye will be blessed,’ For he gives of his bread to the poor.
 - Proverbs 11:25” – “The generous soul will be made rich, And he who waters will also be watered himself.