Series: "OLD SCHOOL"
Part 3: "A DISLIKED DISCIPLINE"
Crossroads Community Church
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Key Concept to Understand….

- **The #1 competitor with God for our hearts is _____!**

  24 "No one can serve two masters. Either you will hate the one and love the other, or you will be devoted to the one and despise the other. You cannot serve both God and money. Matthew 6:24 (NIV)

Our Responsibility….

- **To practice _____ financial stewardship**

  2 Moreover it is required in stewards that one be found faithful. 1 Corinthians 4:2 (NKJV)

When you go 'old school' and practice financial faithfulness….

1. **You see God _____**

   a. **As _____ of all**

   9 I have no need of a bull from your stall or of goats from your pens, 10 for every animal of the forest is mine, and the cattle on a thousand hills. 11 I know every bird in the mountains, and the insects in the fields are mine. 12 If I were hungry I would not tell you, for the world is mine, and all that is in it. Psalm 50:9-12 (NIV)

   b. **As _____ of all**

   33 But seek first his kingdom and his righteousness, and all these things will be given to you as well. Matthew 6:33 (NIV)

2. **You give _____ rather than _____**

   9 Honor the LORD with your wealth, with the firstfruits of all your crops; Proverbs 3:9 (NIV)

   8 When you offer blind animals for sacrifice, is that not wrong? When you sacrifice lame or diseased animals, is that not wrong? Try offering them to your governor! Would he be pleased with you? Would he accept you?" says the LORD Almighty. Malachi 1:8 (NIV)

   30 "'A tithe of everything from the land, whether grain from the soil or fruit from the trees, belongs to the LORD; it is holy to the LORD. Leviticus 27:30 (NIV)

3. **You become strangely _____**

   17 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. 1 Timothy 6:17 (NIV)

4. **You become sacrificially _____**

   24 But the king replied to Araunah, "No, I insist on paying you for it. I will not sacrifice to the LORD my God burnt offerings that cost me nothing." So David bought the threshing floor and the oxen and paid fifty shekels of silver for them. 2 Samuel 24:24 (NIV)

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