Hebrews 5:1

For every high priest taken from among men is ordained for men in things *pertaining* to God, that he may offer both gifts and sacrifices for sins:

1. High priest represents your interest in gifts and sacrifices for sins

2. There is not a sacrifice for sins but we still bring gifts

Jesus Christ died on the cross for our sins. He was the great sacrifice.

3. Tithing was before the law under Melchizedek

There was a high priest long before the levitical priesthood

4. Jesus Christ is a High Priest after the order of Melchizedek

Hebrews 7:8

And here men that die receive tithes; but there he receiveth them, of whom it is witnessed that he liveth.

Butthere

5. Communion, the bread and the wine is to proclaim His DEATH till He comes.

Tithing is to proclaim the LORD lives!

6. We also learned that the 10th or the tenth is the feminine

7. When we tithe we present a womb

8. God always has His portion

9. The Earth is living under a curse from the fall of Adam

10. Tithing the 10th off our income breaks the curse of the remaining 90%

4 Types of Giving

- Its mentioned 13* in scripture.
- Motivation: Sympathy
- Where is it given? Wherever there is a need.
- The return: 1 to 1 exchange. God will recompense you, repay, reimburse & REWARD you.

Luke 14:14

And thou shalt be blessed; for they cannot recompense thee: for thou shalt be recompensed at the resurrection of the just.

Matthew 6:4

That thine alms may be in secret: and thy Father which seeth in secret himself shall reward thee openly.

Seed Offering

- Its mentioned 284 times in scripture
- Motivation: Hearing the Word of the God, planting in good ground.
- Where is it given? Wherever the Word is preached.
- The return: 30, 60, 100 fold return.

Matthew 13:23

But he that received seed into the good ground is he that heareth the word, and understandeth *it*; which also beareth fruit, and bringeth forth, some an hundredfold, some sixty, some thirty.

First Fruits Offerings

- Its mentioned 990* times in scripture
- Motivation: Sacrifice. It's not the value of the offering but the sacrifice of the offering.
- The return: God's value to your value and it's at least a 2 to 1 return.

Luke 6:35-38

Love your enemies! Do good to them. Lend to them without expecting to be repaid. Then your reward from heaven will be very great, and you will truly be acting as children of the Most High, for he is kind to those who are unthankful and wicked.

You must be compassionate, just as your Father is compassionate.

Do not judge others, and you will not be judged. Do not condemn others, or it will all come back against you. Forgive others, and you will be forgiven.

Give, and you will receive. Your gift will return to you in full—pressed down, shaken together to make room for more, running over, and poured into your lap. The amount you give will determine the amount you get back.

- Its mentioned 38* times in Old Testament
- Motivation: Obedience
- Where is it given? The Storehouse, the Local Church.
- The return: Rebuke the devourer, Breaks the Curse off your land (money) and pour out blessings you cannot contain.
- Tithe is mentioned 7 times in New Testament.

Malachi 3:9-12

Ye are cursed with a curse: for ye have robbed me, even this whole nation.

Bring ye all the tithes into the storehouse, that there may be meat in mine house, and prove me now herewith, saith the LORD of hosts, if I will not open you the windows of heaven, and pour you out a blessing, that *there shall* not *be room* enough *to receive it*.

And I will rebuke the devourer for your sakes, and he shall not destroy the fruits of your ground; neither shall your vine cast her fruit before the time in the field, saith the LORD of hosts.

And all nations shall call you blessed: for ye shall be a delightsome land, saith the LORD of hosts.

Deuteronomy 28:1-4

And it shall come to pass, if thou shalt hearken diligently unto the voice of the LORD thy God, to observe and to do all his commandments which I command thee this day, that the LORD thy God will set thee on high above all nations of the earth:

And all these blessings shall come on thee, and overtake thee, if thou shalt hearken unto the voice of the LORD thy God.

Blessed *shalt* thou *be* in the city, and blessed *shalt* thou *be* in the field.

Blessed *shall be* the fruit of thy body, and the fruit of thy ground, and the fruit of thy cattle, the increase of thy kine, and the flocks of thy sheep.

Deuteronomy 28:5-8

Blessed shall be thy basket and thy store.

Blessed shalt thou be when thou comest in, and blessed shalt thou be when thou goest out.

The LORD shall cause thine enemies that rise up against thee to be smitten before thy face: they shall come out against thee one way, and flee before thee seven ways.

The LORD shall command the blessing upon thee in thy storehouses, and in all that thou settest thine hand unto; and he shall bless thee in the land which the LORD thy God giveth thee.

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