5 CORE VALUES LEADER GUIDE - SESSION 4 BECAUSE HE GAVE

Opening Prayer: Begin the session with a prayer, asking God to open hearts and minds to understand His generosity and how to live it out.

Key Takeaways:

- 1. Generosity is not just about finances, but includes how we use our time, talents, and attitudes.
- 2. True generosity stems from understanding God's generosity towards us.
- 3. Living with an "open-handed" mentality honors God and leads to prosperity and refreshment.
- 4. God entrusts us with resources to be good stewards and bless others.
- 5. Giving God the first and best in all areas of life is an act of worship.

Discussion Questions:

- 1. Share a time when you experienced unexpected blessings after being generous. How did it impact your faith?
- 2. What areas of your life do you find it most challenging to be generous with? (e.g., time, money, talents)
- 3. How can we cultivate a heart of generosity in our daily lives?
- 4. Discuss the concept of "open-handed" living versus "closed-fisted" living. What does this look like practically?
- 5. How does understanding God's generosity towards us influence our ability to be generous to others?

Follow-up and Closing Prayer: Take a moment to reflect and share with the group: Identify one area this week where you can practice intentional generosity (e.g., serving your family, giving your time to help someone, or starting to tithe). Challenge yourself to give God the "first fruits" in an area you've been holding back. Close the session by thanking God for His generosity and asking for His help in cultivating generous hearts that reflect His character.

