



**Sermon Discussion Questions - August 8 & 10, 2025**  
**The Generous Life - Week 1**  
**Matthew 25:14-30**

**Cornerstone Men**

Cornerstone Men equips men to follow Jesus, connect in community, and grow in their faith.

[cornerstonechurch.community/men](https://cornerstonechurch.community/men)

**Cornerstone Women**

Cornerstone Women's mission is to help women follow Jesus through growth in community at Cornerstone Church.

[cornerstonechurch.community/women](https://cornerstonechurch.community/women)

**RightNow Media**

Cornerstone provides access to RightNow Media, so if your group would like to use their resources for a study, check out the site!

[rightnowmedia.org/Account/Invite/cornerstonesi](https://rightnowmedia.org/Account/Invite/cornerstonesi)

**Meal for Care Night**

Each week, a small group provides dinner for attendees of Care Night, held on Wednesday nights. If your group is interested in serving in this way, email Gayle at [gdwight@cornerstone.team](mailto:gdwight@cornerstone.team).

**Ice Breaker:** *God invites us into a full and abundant life—a life shaped by Spirit-led generosity.*

- **Q1: Have you ever witnessed or experienced a powerful act of generosity—something that really stuck with you? What happened?**

*Read Matthew 25:14-30. This parable reminds us that God trusts us to wisely manage what He's given us.*

- **Q2: What are some ways fear or comparison can hold us back from being generous with what we've been given?**
- **Q3: How can you tell the difference between giving out of guilt or pressure vs. giving that's genuinely led by the Holy Spirit?**

*When we faithfully steward what God has entrusted to us, we're preparing to reign with Christ in His Kingdom!*

- **Q4: How does it challenge or encourage you to think that nothing we have truly belongs to us—that it's all God's?**

*In the parable, each servant receives a different amount, based on their ability. But the master gives the same praise to the two who used what they were given well.*

- **Q5: What stands out to you about the fact that both of those servants received the same praise and reward—even though one started with more?**

*This sermon challenged us to align our budgets with the things that God prioritizes.*

- **Q6: When it comes to budgeting, how does your family (or you personally) approach it? Do you feel like you have a good sense of where your money goes?**
- **Q7: How is it freeing to know that this isn't a "poverty gospel"—that God cares about both our generosity and our well-being/practical needs?**

*Jesus provides us with the ultimate example of stewardship in His perfect life and ministry.*

- **Q8: Is there an area in your life where you feel like the Spirit might be nudging you to be more generous or to reexamine how you're using your resources?**

*Take a few minutes to encourage each other and spend some time in prayer together!*