

# Wants on Fire

## Week 3-I Can't Trust God with My Money & Have to Do Things Myself

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**Things were going our way, we trusted. Things got tricky, trust slipped away.**

"Where are you?" He answered, "I hear you In the garden, and I was afraid..." (*Genesis 3:9,10*)

"Teacher, do you not care that we are perishing?" And he awoke and rebuked the wind and said to the sea, "Peace! Be still!...He said to them, "Why are you so afraid? Have you still no faith?" (*Mark 4:38-40*)

### What's the difference between Tithe and Offering?

#### Tithe-

*Genesis 14:19-20*

"Every tenth of the land's produce, grain from the soil or fruit from the trees, belongs to the Lord; it is holy to the Lord." (*Leviticus 27:30*)

"Test me In this, says the Lord Almighty, "and see If I will not throw open the floodgates of heaven and pour out so much blessing that there will not be room enough to store It."

(*Malachi 3:10*)

#### Offering-

"Give, and it will be given to you; a good measure-pressed down, shaken together, and running over - will be poured into your lap." (*Luke 6:38*)

"If we have sown spiritual things for you, Is It too much If we reap material benefits from you?" (*1 Corinthians 9:11*)

#### First Fruits-

"Honor the Lord with your wealth and with the firstfruits of all your produce; then your barns will be filled with plenty, and your vats will be bursting with wine." (*Proverbs 3:9,10*)

#### Discussion Questions

1. In what areas do you need to start (or return to) trusting God more?
2. What Is the best way for you to be encouraged and/or encourage others to trust God when there seems to be so many reasons to distrust?
3. Where are your treasures and how are you sharing God's blessings?

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