

My Giving Is a Response to God's Generosity
1 Chronicles 29:1-20
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The God who deserves my best treasure.

- The heart of giving is that it is to be done freely and joyfully.
- God is the most generous being that exists and everything belongs to and comes from him.
- Giving is a response to God's goodness and faithful providing.

"How believers handle their money is inextricably related to the depth of their worship. Whether we put money in the offering plate or not, weekly worship should remind us of our continual stewardship of the possessions that Lord has entrusted to us. If we do not give properly we cannot worship properly."

— John Macarthur

Discussion Questions:

- a. What is the greatest earthly blessing (not heavenly) God has ever bestowed onto you?
- b. Can you recall the first time or a recent time when you gave or blessed somebody, and it was nothing but pure joy?
- c. If Jesus was at your house for Christmas (irony I know) and you had nothing wrapped for him, what earthly possession would you give him to showcase your love for him?
- d. Has there ever been a time where you received a recycled present? Do you remember what it was and do you remember how you felt after you opened it?
- e. Finish this sentence: it is a joyful thing to be able to give back to the God who did _____ for me.