



“First Things First”
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“Seek first His kingdom and His righteousness, and all these things will be given to you as well.” Matthew 6:33

“Remember this: Whoever sows sparingly will also reap sparingly, and whoever sows generously will also reap generously.” 2 Corinthians 9:6

The measure by which you **SOW** is the measure by which you will **REAP**.

WHEN you sow generously into God’s kingdom, THEN God invests in **YOU!**

God doesn’t hesitate to ask us for money, because it’s **ALL HIS** in the first place.

WHEN we invest in God’s kingdom, THEN God gladly invests in **OUR KINGDOM**.

- “Will a mere mortal rob God? Yet you rob me. But you ask, ‘How are we robbing you?’ In tithes and offerings. You are under a curse—your whole nation—because you are robbing me.” Malachi 3:8-9
- “Give to Caesar what belongs to Caesar, and give to God what belongs to God.” Matthew 22:21
- “Woe to you, teachers of the law and Pharisees, you hypocrites! You give a tenth of your spices—mint, dill and cumin. But you have neglected the more important matters of the law—justice, mercy and faithfulness. You should have practiced the latter, without neglecting the former.” Matthew 23:23
- “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

This is how God invests in our kingdom, when we invest in His:

- 1) Sometimes (but not always) the investment is **FINANCIAL**.
 - The fastest way to get out of debt is to get right with God **FINANCIALLY!**
- 2) Sometimes the blessing is **BUSINESS**.
- 3) Sometimes the blessing is **LONGEVITY**.
- 4) Sometimes the blessing is **PROTECTION**.
- 5) Sometimes the blessing is **CONTENTMENT**.
 - If scarcity is a cancer that eats away at our contentment, generosity is the cure!
- 6) Sometimes the greatest blessing is knowing we’re making an **ETERNAL IMPACT!**

How to apply this in our lives:

- If you already tithe 10% or more, continue to do so & realize how God is blessing you!
- If you are not tithing, take the “90 Day Tithe Challenge”.