

THE ESSENTIALS OF GIVING

WHAT IS GIVING?

- 1. Giving is a Grace from God – 2 Cor 8:1-7
- 2. Giving is Generosity toward others and toward God – 2 Cor 9:6-15

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- 3. Giving is service for God to others - 2 Cor 9:12-15
- 4. Giving is Obedience to God – 2 Cor 9:12-15

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5. Giving is an offering and sacrifice to God
Phil 4:14-19

6. Giving is never for our own benefit
Luke 21:1-2

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7. Giving comes from the heart – 2 Cor 9:7

8. Giving is a response of worship to God
Gen 14:17-20; Gen 28:20-22

HOW MUCH SHOULD I GIVE?

The concept of the Tithe - From Abraham to today
Gen 14:17-20
Deut 14:22-29
Num 18:19-21
Lk 11:42

WHY SHOULD WE GIVE TODAY?

The example of the Old Testament

To further the Kingdom of God

I Cor 9:7-14

I Tim 5:17-18
