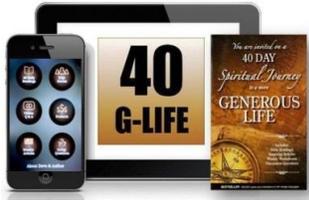


Welcome to the #40DaysofGenerosity Experience!

You are about to embark on a journey to a brave new world—a world of experiencing God in life-changing ways in your life and the lives of others!



Step 1 – GET THE FREE 40 DAY APP

Go to your APP store and search for “givewithjoy” (one word, no spaces). Or to receive this as a free daily eDevotional for 40 Days, go to www.GiveWithJoy.org.

Step 2 – WATCH THE VIDEO & GET #PayItForward CARDS

Go to www.GodsLoveForYou.com to see the video and download or order #PayItForward CARDS.



Step 3 – READ, PRAY, BLESS, GIVE.

For 40 days, READ the daily Scripture verses, stories, and cartoon (you can also listen to the short podcasts). PRAY for opportunities to show and share God’s love with others. When you BLESS someone, give them a CARD and invite them to use the card to #PayItforward and view the short video at www.GodsLoveForYou.com.

STEP 4 – SHARE

Share the FREE #40Day materials and stories with your family, friends, coworkers, church, class, or group. Post #40DayofGenerosity & #PayItForward stories/pics/videos on Facebook, Twitter, Instagram, or other social media.

INDIVIDUALS & FAMILIES

Here’s some possible ideas of what could be done during the #40DaysofGenerosity. See how many #PayItForward cards you can give out.

- Cook a meal for someone who is sick.
- Give a book you have enjoyed to a friend.
- When you buy snacks, buy two and share.
- Plan a service project for your group.
- If you buy a drink, give the cashier \$\$ to pay for the next person’s drink.
- Put \$ in an expired parking meter.
- Take donuts to the fire or police station.
- Send a thank you text, email, or note to someone who helped you in life.
- Pay for someone’s gas or groceries.
- Go and introduce yourself to neighbors.
- Put some “God money” in a special place in your wallet (\$5, \$10, \$20, \$50, or \$100) to give away when God prompts you to.
- Offer to care for someone’s pet, plants, or mail when they go on a trip.
- Establish a separate Giving Account/Fund.
- When cooking, make extra and share it.
- Make a “baby kit” for a new mother (diapers, formula, food, clothes, etc.).
- Give someone or several people a hug.
- Offer to pray with someone.
- Ask a single parent, retiree, or foreigner if there is any way you could help them.
- Call a friend you haven’t seen in awhile.
- Tip someone a large amount of \$\$\$.
- Give someone without a car a ride.
- Treat someone to a movie or event.
- Help someone who seems to be lost.
- Invite a neighbor for a meal or dessert.
- Give away items you no longer use.
- Have a garage sale with others to raise money for a cause or charity.
- Donate in honor or memory of someone.
- Give or send someone flowers.
- Visit an older person and bring a snack.
- Help a neighbor, single parent, elderly or disabled person with their house/yard/car.
- Babysit so a person or couple can go out.
- Loan a car to someone who needs it.
- Invite foreigners to your home for a meal.
- Other good ideas????

CHILDREN

Use these ideas in your family, classroom, club, team, or group. See how many items can be done and how many #PayItForward CARDS can be given out during the #40DaysofGenerosity.

- Look at this list and check at least 5 generous things you can do for others.
- Make 3 money envelopes or jars: Giving, Savings & Spending. When you get money, put some money in each envelope or jar.
- Draw a picture for someone.
- Make a dessert or snack to share.
- Take food to someone you know is sick.
- Go through your things and give away what you don’t need or use anymore.
- Make someone’s bed for them.
- Do chores without complaining.
- Tell a teacher what you like about them.
- Pick up any litter or trash you see.
- Do something kind to a shy/lonely person.
- Write a note to someone.
- Help wash someone’s car.
- Take flowers to someone.
- Help set the dinner table.
- Tell someone you are sorry.
- Let someone else win a game.
- Offer to pray for someone who is upset.
- Give a toy or book to someone.
- Clean the table and help wash the dishes.
- Spend time visiting an older person.
- Give money to a church, charity, or cause.
- Read a book to a younger child.
- Draw a picture for a neighbor.
- Give someone a big hug.
- Invite someone to your house to play.
- Offer to play with or walk someone’s dog.
- Do a service project with a group.
- Complement someone.
- Return stray shopping carts to the store.
- Sing, dance, or play an instrument to cheer someone up and make them smile.
- Help do yard work for an elderly neighbor.
- Forgive someone that hurt or upset you.
- Tell someone that you love them.
- Write 5 things you’re thankful for.
- Help carry someone’s bags or books.

This list adapted with permission from Stewardship.org.uk

GROUPS

Use these ideas to plan a group project for your church, group, class, business, team, club, nonprofit, organization, or group of employees. When possible, share #PayItForward cards.

- Paint over graffiti in your community.
- Pick up trash at a park, school, or road.
- Put on a special event for a nursing home.
- Help clean and paint at a school, nonprofit, or needy neighborhood.
- Have a drive to collect clothing, supplies, instruments, or gifts for needy kids.
- Fix up a run-down playground OR convert an empty lot into a playground.
- Organize an Appreciation event or meal for a group of professionals in your community (police, fireman, teachers, etc.).
- Organize an after school program (tutoring, sports, theater, or music).
- Organize a special event for foreigners, elderly, or needy families.
- Do yard or house projects for the needy.
- Trim trees/bushes on walking path.
- Offer a free car wash and/or dog wash.
- Collect unused make-up and clothing for a center for abused women.
- Organize free haircuts, eye exams, dental care, medical check-ups, etc.
- Paint fire hydrants or park benches.
- Provide career testing and resume help.
- Look at your community's events calendar and provide needed volunteers.
- Conduct a food, blood, or clothing drive.
- Have a group yard sale to raise money for a charity or cause.
- Help build or repair houses for the needy.
- Volunteer with a local nonprofit.
- Organize a free water, snack, or sun glasses give-away day at an event.
- Organize a flash mob singing event. .
- Give free oil changes and fluid checks for singles and the elderly.
- Offer bicycle safety checks.
- Organize a Volunteer Fair.
- Volunteers for a feeding program or event.
- Build wheel chair ramps for the disabled.
- Put safety equipment in homes of the elderly.

ABOUT

Pastor Brian Kluth is the author of the *40 Day Journey to a Generous Life* Bible devotional. This devotional has been used by thousands of churches and groups worldwide. God has used this material to help people of all ages, cultures, and income levels to become more faithful and joyful givers.



The 40Day devotional APP, #LoveInAction IDEAS, and #PayItForward CARDS are now being used by thousands of Christians and caring people to do #40DaysofGenerosity to show, share, and spread "God's love from above" with amazing results!

Go to www.GodsLoveForYou.com for FREE downloads or to purchase #40DaysofGenerosity and #PayItForward resources.

If you would like Brian's assistance to help bring #40DaysofGenerosity to your church, ministerial group, school, college, or community, contact Brian at bk@kluth.org – 719.930.4000.



Help spread EXPONENTIAL GENEROSITY across your community and beyond!

Share your #40DaysofGenerosity stories with family, friends, coworkers, and others. We also encourage you to share your stories/pics/videos on Facebook, Twitter, Instagram, or even your local news media. In your posts, use any of the following terms: **#40DaysofGenerosity & #PayItForward**
May God bless you and make you a blessing to any and many!

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IDEAS



"Let your light shine before others, so that they may see your good works and give glory to your Father who is in heaven."

Matthew 10:25