

# WHY BE MORE GENEROUS?

## 5 Ways #BibleGenerosity Helps You

- 1 **IGNITES F.A.I.T.H. over FEAR**  
Fantastic Adventures In Trusting Him 1 Kings 17:13-16 Malachi 3:10-12
- 2 **INVITES God to be your Provider**  
Gen 28:20-22 Phil 4:19 1 Chr 29:14 Dt 8:17-18 1 Cor 16:2
- 3 **IMPROVES your finances & peace**  
Matthew 6:33 Haggai 1 Phillipians 4:6-7
- 4 **INSPIRES joy for others and you**  
2 Cor 8:1-5, 9:6-15 Acts 20:35 Hebrews 13:16
- 5 **INCREASES your treasure in Heaven**  
Luke 12:16-21 Luke 16:9 1 Tim 6:17-19 Matt 25:37-40



## HOW TO BE MORE GENEROUS?

**PLEDGE & PRAYER:** *With God's help, I will...*

- 1 **SUBMIT myself and all I have to God**  
Luke 12:16-21 Luke 16:9 1 Tim 6:17-19 Matt 25:37-40
- 2 **STUDY Bible verses on finances & generosity**  
Psalm 119:37, 105 2 Tim 2:15, 3:16 James 1:22 Deut 28
- 3 **SEE what God has given me**  
1 Cor 16:2 Dt 16:16-17 Ex 36:1-6 Lev 27:30,32 Pr 3:9a Rom 12:3-8 1 Cor 12
- 4 **SET ASIDE money, resources & time to give**  
2 Cor 16:2 Deut 14:22 Prov 3:9 Lev 27:30,32
- 5 **SYSTEMATICALLY GIVE FIRST to honor God**  
Genesis 28:20,22 Malachi 1:6-14, 3:6-12 Luke 16:9-13
- 6 **SPONTANEOUSLY GIVE as God prompts me**  
Exodus 35:17-22 John 6:9 Matt 25:40-45 Luke 10:30-37 Pr 19:17
- 7 **SACRIFICIALLY GIVE to show my love to God**  
Prov 3:9a John 12:3-5 1 Chr 29 Ex 35-36 Acts 4:36-37 1 Kgs 17

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**NEXT STEP:** Read the 40-Day Devotional APP in English (search in APP store for "givewithjoy") or download in other languages at [GenerosityPledge.org](http://GenerosityPledge.org)



## GOD'S GENEROSITY 10 Ways God Provides

- 1 **Main Income from Work**  
Ex 34:21 Deut 8:18 Prov 22:29
- 2 **Extra Income from Work, Spouse, Sales, or Services**  
Prov 10:4-5, 22 31:16-24 Luke 6:38
- 3 **Extra Cash, Gifts, and Financial Blessings**  
Matt 6:33 1 Cor 16:2 Prov 8:21
- 4 **God's Wisdom to Reduce Expenses**  
James 1:5 Pr 3:13-16 Phil 4:6-7
- 5 **People's Help & Hospitality**  
Heb 13:16 Luke 10:25-37 3 John 1:5-8
- 6 **God Provides Specific Items You Need**  
Phil 1:4:19 Deut 11:13-15 Ecc 2:26 1 Pet 5:7
- 7 **Sell, Give, or Discard Unneeded Items**  
Matt 6:19-21 Luke 12:15-21
- 8 **Savings, Property, Assets & Investments**  
Pr 15:6, 21:20 2 Cor 9:6 Isa 32:18 Ecc 11:2
- 9 **Donors, Govt, NGOs, Investors, Insurance**  
Neh 2:4-9 Ezra 7:11-26 Act 23:16-24
- 10 **God's Miracle Provisions**  
1 Kings 17 Isa 45:3 Ex 12:36 Pr 13:22

Get more teaching on these topics at [BibleGenerosity.org/GodsYourProvider](http://BibleGenerosity.org/GodsYourProvider)

## 12 Bible Keys to True FINANCIAL FREEDOM

*WITH GOD'S HELP, I WILL...*

- T H A N K S G I V I N G**
- TRANSFER** Ownership of my life back to God Ps 24:1 1 Chr 29:11-12 1 Cor 6:19-20 Gen 1:16-17 Deut 10:14
  - HUMBLY** adjust my life to live below my means Pr 21:20, 30:8 Dt 25:13-15 Ps 55:7 1 Tim 6:10 Ecc 5:10
  - AVOID** or eliminate growing indebtedness & surety Pr 22:7 Ps 37:21 Dt 28:15,44 2 Kgs 4:1 Rom 13:8
  - NAVIGATE** away from financial temptations 1 Tim 6:8-10 Ps 119:36 Mk 6:2-4 Titus 2:12 Rom 13:14
  - KNOW** my financial status & goals Ps 32:8, 37:4 Prov 3:5-6, 16:3 Prov 21:5, 24:5, 27:23-24, 12:15, 19:20
  - SHARE** with people in need from whatever I have James 1:7 Pr 19:7, 22:9, 29:7 2 Cor 8 & 9 Mt 25:30-45
  - GIVE** to God first as my highest financial priority Mal 3 1 Kgs 17:8-16 1 Cor 16:2 2 Cor 8:7 Pr 3:9-10
  - INVOLVE** myself in productive work & rest Col 3:23-24 Exodus 34:21 Pr 13:4, 14:23 Mt 6:33 2 Th 3:9-13 Ecc 9:10
  - VIEW** every need & desire as a chance to pray & trust God 1 Pet 5:7 Isa 45:3 Ecc 2:26 Pr 13:22 Job 27:16
  - INVEST** time, money, & effort in things that will grow a return 2 Cor 9:6 Mt 6:20, 25:14-30 Ecc 11:2
  - NEVER** be dishonest, lie, steal, or break promises Prov 10:9, 12:19, 13:11, 21:6 Ex 20:14-15 Lev 6:1-5 Ecc 5:5
  - GAIN & follow** Biblical wisdom Ps 119:11,67,71,105 Rom 12:2 2 Tim 3:16

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# Join the #40DayGenerosityChallenge

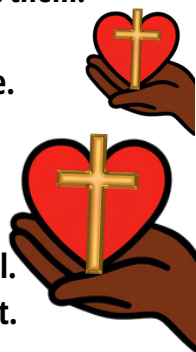
**STEP #1** Every day read through some verses on this sheet, or in the <https://kluth.org/luganda40day.pdf> Bible devotional, or the 40-Day G-Life APP (search for "givewithjoy" on a smartphone), or get the 40-Day online devotional at GenerosityPledge.org in many languages. Meet weekly with others to share, discuss, and pray about the Bible verses you're reading.

For children's curriculum and resources, go to: [generousgenerations.org](http://generousgenerations.org)

**STEP #2** Make preparations at the end of the 40 days for a special offering to help the most needy or for evangelistic outreaches. The offering can include money, food, clothing, and other items.

**STEP #3** During the 40 days, children, adults, families, and groups are encouraged to prayerfully do any of these acts of generosity to show and share God's love with others. Put a ✓ by any items you do.

- Share a prayer, Bible verse, smile, song, or a hug.
- Share clothing or something you no longer need.
- Intentionally and prayerfully forgive someone.
- Play with, read to, or take care of a child.
- Help a single mother or father or their children.
- Share the [Bornagaincard.org](http://Bornagaincard.org) Gospel card.
- Visit someone who is elderly, sick, or lonely.
- Write someone an encouraging note.
- Tell someone why you appreciate them.
- Give money to someone in need.
- Fetch wood or water for someone.
- Invite someone for a meal.
- Tell someone you love them.
- Share school supplies.
- Help clean at the church or school.
- Pick up trash and litter on a street.
- Paint walls covered in graffiti.
- Help fix someone's house.
- Share firewood, seeds, or water.



**40 DAY GENEROSITY CHALLENGE**

Note: The list of ideas can be modified to best fit your church and community.

# Born-Again Gospel & Growth Card

**BORN-AGAIN BIRTH CERTIFICATE GOSPEL CARD** - Date, sign, and keep the rest of your life.

**WHERE ARE YOU ON THIS CARD?**

**COME TO JESUS & BE BORN AGAIN!**

**JESUS GIVES YOU A NEW LIFE & ETERNAL LIFE!**

Jesus died for your sins & sins done to you.

Become part of a good church. Help Others.

Jesus said in the Bible: "No one can see the kingdom of God unless he is born again." John 3

Make copies to share: [bornagaincard.org](http://bornagaincard.org)

Date Born? \_\_\_\_\_ When Born-Again? \_\_\_\_\_ Signature: \_\_\_\_\_

**G.R.O.W.T.H. GOALS for Born-Again Believers**

**PLEDGE & PRAYER: WITH GOD'S HELP, I WILL...**

**G - GO** and tell others what Jesus has done for me.  
Mark 5:19,16:15 Luke 8:39 Matt 5:16, 28:19-20 Psalm 40:1-3

**R - READ** my Bible every day and spend time in prayer.  
Psalm 1:1-6, 119:9,11,67,72,105 Job 23:12 Rom 15 Col 3:16 Dan 6 2Tim 3:16 Josh 1:8-9

**O - ORGANIZE** my schedule to become part of a Bible-teaching church and a weekly group to grow and serve. Be baptized.  
Acts 2:42 Heb 10:23-25 1Jn 1:7-9 Ex 20:8-11 1Pet 4:8-10 Phil 4:8

**W - WALK** with God every day and ask Him to help guide me in my family, friendships, work, finances, and future.  
Prov 3:5,6,9,10 Eph 2:10 Ps 23 Jer 29:11 Gal 5:16 Ps 32:8 Rom 12:1-2 Matt 6:33

**T - TURN** away from people, places, and things that tempt me to do wrong.  
Psalm 1:1-6,119:37 1Pet 5:3-5 Acts 3:19 Proverbs 4:10-27, 5:7-14, 13:20, 28:13 Ex 23:2 Eph 2:1-10

**H - HELP** others to show them God's love.  
Matt 5:16, 23:11 Heb 6:10,13:16 Phil 2:3-4 1Pet 4:10-11 Gal 5:13-14, 6:9-10 Acts 2:45 Prov 19:17

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IMPORTANT: Meet together with others to read, discuss, pray about, and follow these GROWTH verses.  
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