

Showers of Blessing, A Harvest of Souls

Psalm 67:1-2, 1 Chronicles 29

*May God be gracious to us and bless us and make his face to shine upon us, that your way may be known on earth, your saving power among **all** nations.*

Psalm 67:1-2 ESV

Prosperity was never meant to be an end in itself,
but a means for others to experience His
saving power.

God uses our wealth to reveal our level of trust in Him, our willingness to obey Him and to worship Him in our giving.

1 Chronicles 29:1-2

“My son Solomon—God has chosen him alone—is young and inexperienced. The task is great because the temple will not be for man but for the Lord God. So to the best of my ability I’ve made provision for the house of my God...”

Investing in the kingdom of God is investing in future generations who will carry on and fulfill God's purposes.

1 Chronicles 29:3

*Moreover, because of my delight in the house of my God,
I now give my personal treasures of gold and silver for the
house of my God over and above all that I've provided for
the holy house...*

Delighting in God's presence, the place where His glory dwells, stirs up a desire to be generous toward God.

1Chronicles 29:5-6

“Now who will volunteer to consecrate himself to the Lord today?” Then the leaders of the households, the leaders of the tribes of Israel, the commanders of thousands and of hundreds, and the officials in charge of the king’s work gave willingly.

Giving wholeheartedly to God is an act of worship
that sets us apart for His purpose.

1 Chronicles 29:8

...Then the people rejoiced because of their leaders' willingness to give, for they had given to the Lord with a whole heart. King David also rejoiced greatly.

1 Chronicles 29:14

“But who am I, and who are my people, that we should be able to give as generously as this? For everything comes from You, and we have given You only what comes from Your own hand.”