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## Why Giving Precedes Getting

*(What will you be remembered for?)*  
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**“Give, and it will be given to you.** A good measure, pressed down, shaken together and running over, will be poured into your lap. **For with the measure you use,** it will be measured to you.” (Luke 6:38 NIV)

Today I will live in the flow of God’s **grace** and out of the overflow of His **goodness!**

Which are you?

I am a **taker/consumer.**

I am a **giver/creator.**

### 5 Generous Wins

The **“source/resource”** Win.

"The earth is the Lord's, and everything in it, the world, and all who live in it;" (Psa 24:1)

"Honor the LORD with your wealth, with the firstfruits of all your crops" (Prov 3:9)

The **“guilt-free giving”** Win.

"Each man should give what he has decided in his heart to give, not reluctantly or under compulsion, for God loves a cheerful giver." (2 Cor 9:7)

The **“give and grow”** Win.

"Bring the whole tithe into the storehouse, that there may be food in my house. 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 you will not have room enough for it." (Mal 3:10)

"On the first day of every week, each one of you should set aside a sum of money in keeping with his income, saving it up, so that when I come no collections will have to be made." (1 Cor 16:2)

The **“I’m a debtor”** Win.

"Then Jesus said to them, 'Give to Caesar what is Caesar's and to God what is God's.' And they were amazed at him." (Mark 12:17)

"Give everyone what you owe him: If you owe taxes, pay taxes; if revenue, then revenue; if respect, then respect; if honor, then honor. Let no debt remain outstanding, except the continuing debt to love one another, for he who loves his fellowman has fulfilled the law." (Romans 13:7-8 NIV)

The **“bring your own bucket”** Win.

"Then he touched their eyes and said, 'According to your faith will it be done to you.'" (Matthew 9:29 NIV)