



Christian Hoarders?

A Quick Look Back:

Acts 1:1-4:31

The Passage:

Acts 4:32-37

This passage IS NOT saying...

- We're supposed to **SELL EVERYTHING** and live in a **COMMUNE**.
- Any DISPARITY in wealth or possessions is EVIL.

This passage IS saying...

• When God's grace is powerfully at work in us, we will **TAKE CARE OF ONE ANOTHER**.

A Closer Look At God's Plan For Meeting Needs

In a crisis **EVERYONE** needs to **CHIP IN**.

It's better to help **TOO MUCH** than to help **TOO LITTLE**.

Proverbs 28:27/ Proverbs 19:17 & Proverbs 21:13/ Proverbs 29:7

But there is a biblical priority for meeting needs.

1 Timothy 5:8 & Mark 7:9-12/ Galatians 6:10/ Luke 10:25-37

- Take care of your **FAMILY** first.
- Take care of your **SPIRITUAL FAMILY** second.
- Take care of those GOD PUTS IN YOUR PATH.

Don't put a PAN IN THE PANTS of those God is trying to discipline.

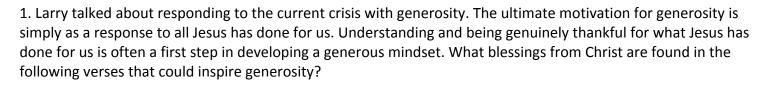
2 Thessalonians 3:10/ Proverbs 19:15

God rewards our **GENEROSITY** with more to be **GENEROUS** with.

2 Corinthians 9:10-11

Food for Thought for the week of March 29, 2020

(Questions and Scriptures for further study)



1 Timothy 1:16-17

1 Timothy 2:3-6

1 Peter 1:3-5

One of the keys to building generosity into your life is learning to be content with what you have. How can the principles in Matthew 6:25-27, 33-34 help you grow in your ability to be content with much or with little?

2. The Bible is quite clear that Christians are to help those in need, especially during a time of crisis. How could the following verses help you discern which needs you should seek to meet and which ones to let go?

Matthew 25:37-40

Jeremiah 22:15-16

2 Thessalonians 3:6-10

1 Timothy 5:8

In light of the current crisis and Larry's biblical priority list for meeting needs, are there any needs you want to consider meeting?