



Abundance

The Joy of Generosity

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The Heart Behind Generosity

2 Corinthians 8:1-14

Why talk about money?

- Because Jesus talks a lot about money.
- Out of all the sins, greed may be one of the sneakiest.
- In the world we live in this side of heaven, money is important.

Biblical generosity is the joy-filled, grace-based, act of loving obedience in response to God's gospel generosity through Christ.

Other Scripture: Philippians 4:11-13; Philippians 2:6-8

Further Study

Read: 2 Corinthians 8:1-14 in your group or with at least one other person.

1. Have someone read it while everyone reads along.
2. Have someone else read it while everyone else listens.
3. Have someone recount the text from memory in their own words.

Discuss:

1. What does the passage reveal about God?
2. What does the passage reveal about humanity?

Act:

1. If this passage is from God, what should change about how you live?
2. Who needs to hear the truth of this Scripture that you can share it with this week?
Identify a time this week when you might have the opportunity to share with them.