

Cornerstones Of Faith

“Provision”

2 Corinthians 9:6-11

Jesus wants to be LORD & In Command of EVERY aspect of your life.

When we Allow God to PROVIDE for His work Through US, we will be making an investment with Eternal Dividends.

Today, we ask FOUR QUESTIONS about our 12th Cornerstone of Faith - PROVISION

- 1. WHY SHOULD I GIVE A PORTION OF MY MONEY? (2 Corinthians 9:6-11)**
 - **GOD** wants to PROVE HIS Faithful Provision through YOUR Regular Giving.
 - “God will Generously Provide all you need...with plenty Left Over to Share with others.”
 - “YOU will be Enriched in every way so YOU can always be Generous”
 - In Times of Uncertainty, Our Faithfulness in God’s Provision is Truly Tested...
- 2. HOW MUCH AM I TO GIVE? (Mark 12:41-44)**
 - Generosity is NOT Measured by the SIZE of the gift, but by its MOTIVE.
 - God doesn’t want your LEFTOVERS!
 - Our Attitude toward Giving should be like the Believers in Macedonia. (2 Cor. 8:3-4)
- 3. WHAT HAPPENS WHEN I GIVE?**
 - Our MOTIVES Are Perfected.
 - As We Give, God Will Give To US. (Luke 6:38)
 - OTHERS Are Helped From Our Financial Giving.
 - When you Give to the Lord’s work, that Money, which really HAD ZERO Spiritual Impact BEFORE, NOW is used to Touch the lives of people for the Glory of God.
- 4. HOW SHOULD I VIEW MATERIAL WEALTH? (Matthew 6:19-34)**
 - We Must Watch WHAT & HOW WE STORE. (Matthew 6:19)
 - We Must Keep Our VISION CLEAR. (Matthew 6:24)
 - We Should NOT WORRY About Material Things. (Matthew 6:27)
 - We Must Put GOD FIRST, Especially In Our GIVING. (Matthew 6:33)
- 5. AM I FREE TO ENJOY WEALTH? (1 Timothy 6:6-19)**
 - IF He does bless you with material things, He REQUIRES THREE THINGS of you:
 - 1.) Don’t Put Your HOPE In Your Wealth. (v.10)
 - 2.) ENJOY What God Has Given You. (v.17b)
 - 3.) Be GENEROUS, Do GOOD & SHARE Your Wealth With Others. (v.18)

- ***If God Provides you with wealth, He Fully Expects you to Invest what He's Given you, in His Work.***