

Freedom is Here: Freedom in Giving

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- I. Introduction (***Matthew 6:19-21, 27-33***)
 - A. Giving is a matter of the heart.
 - B. We rely upon money, but much more, we rely upon God.

- II. Fearful Living
 - A. Financial Stress is a major contributor to many problems.
 - B. There is more reason than ever to put God in our finances.

- III. Faithful Living (***1 Corinthians 4:2***)
 - A. ***Hebrews 11:6: Without faith it is IMPOSSIBLE please Him.***
 - B. Living by FAITH accepts that we are managers, not owners.
 - C. The Parable of the Talents (***Matthew 25:14-30***)
 - D. What are we doing with what God has given us?

- IV. Fruitful Living
 - A. When you give God what is in your hand, God gives you what is in His hand.
 - B. Freedom in giving is putting God as your resource.

- V. The Example of the Poor Widow (***Mark 12:41-44***)
 - A. Give with Christ-likeness
 - B. Give with Charity
 - C. Give with Confidence

- VI. Conclusion
 - A. What has God given us, that He wants us to share?
 - B. What is the bottleneck in your life? It starts with the heart.