Basic Disciplines for Believers – Discipline #4: Generous Giving

To become like Jesus, we must learn to give like Him.

1 John 2:6 He who says he abides in Him ought himself also to walk just as He walked.

#1 - Bible Immersion

#2 - Continual Prayer

#3 - Yielded Follwership

Matt 20:28 just as the Son of Man did not come to be served, but to serve, and to give His life a ransom for many."

John 3:16 For God so loved the world that He gave His only begotten Son, that whoever believes in Him should not perish but have everlasting life.

Gal 1:4 who gave Himself for our sins, that He might deliver us from this present evil age, according to the will of our God and Father,

1 Tim 2:6 who gave Himself a ransom for all, to be testified in due time,

Titus 2:14 who gave Himself for us, that He might redeem us from every lawless deed and purify for Himself His own special people, zealous for good works.

Matt 6:11 Give us this day our daily bread.

Matt 7:7 "Ask, and it will be given to you; seek, and you will find; knock, and it will be opened to you.

Matt 7:11 If you then, being evil, know how to give good gifts to your children, how much more will your Father who is in heaven give good things to those who ask Him!

Matt 10:1 And when He had called His twelve disciples to Him, He gave them power over unclean spirits, to cast them out, and to heal all kinds of sickness and all kinds of disease.

Matt 10:8 Heal the sick, cleanse the lepers, raise the dead, cast out demons. Freely you have received, freely give.

Matt 10:29 Are not two sparrows sold for a copper coin? And not one of them falls to the ground apart from your Father's will.

Matt 13:11 He answered and said to them, "Because it has been given to you to know the mysteries of the kingdom of heaven, but to them it has not been given.

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Matt 25:35 for I was hungry and you gave Me food; I was thirsty and you gave Me drink; I was a stranger and you took Me in;

Matt 28:18 And Jesus came and spoke to them, saying, "All authority has been given to Me in heaven and on earth.

John 1:12 But as many as received Him, to them He gave the right to become children of God, to those who believe in His name:

John 3:27 John answered and said, "A man can receive nothing unless it has been given to him from heaven.

John 4:10 Jesus answered and said to her, "If you knew the gift of God, and who it is who says to you, 'Give Me a drink,' you would have asked Him, and He would have given you living water."

John 4:14 but whoever drinks of the water that I shall give him will never thirst. But the water that I shall give him will become in him a fountain of water springing up into everlasting life."

John 6:27 Do not labor for the food which perishes, but for the food which endures to everlasting life, which the Son of Man will give you, because God the Father has set His seal on Him."

John 6:31 Our fathers ate the manna in the desert; as it is written, 'He gave them bread from heaven to eat.' "

John 6:33 For the bread of God is He who comes down from heaven and gives life to the world."

John 14:6 Jesus said to him, "I am the way, the truth, and the life. No one comes to the Father except through Me.

John 14:27 Peace I leave with you, My peace I give to you; not as the world gives do I give to you. Let not your heart be troubled, neither let it be afraid.

John 16:23 And in that day you will ask Me nothing. Most assuredly, I say to you, whatever you ask the Father in My name He will give you.

Acts 20:35 I have shown you in every way, by laboring like this, that you must support the weak. And remember the words of the Lord Jesus, that He said, 'It is more blessed to give than to receive.' "

Rom 5:5 Now hope does not disappoint, because the love of God has been poured out in our hearts by the Holy Spirit who was given to us.

Rom 12:3 For I say, through the grace given to me, to everyone who is among you, not to think of himself more highly than he ought to think, but to think soberly, as God has dealt to each one a measure of faith.

1 Cor 1:4 I thank my God always concerning you for the grace of God which was given to you by Christ Jesus,

- **1 Cor 11:15** But if a woman has long hair, it is a glory to her; for her hair is given to her for a covering.
- **1 Cor 12:7** But the manifestation of the Spirit is given to each one for the profit of all:
- **1 Cor 15:57** But thanks be to God, who gives us the victory through our Lord Jesus Christ.
- **2 Cor 1:22** who also has sealed us and given us the Spirit in our hearts as a quarantee.
- **2 Cor 5:5** Now He who has prepared us for this very thing is God, who also has given us the Spirit as a quarantee.
- **2 Cor 5:18** Now all things are of God, who has reconciled us to Himself through Jesus Christ, and has given us the ministry of reconciliation,
- **2** Cor 8:5 And not only as we had hoped, but they first gave themselves to the Lord, and then to us by the will of God.
- **2** Cor 12:7 And lest I should be exalted above measure by the abundance of the Revs, a thorn in the flesh was given to me, a messenger of Satan to buffet me, lest I be exalted above measure.
- **Gal 3:22** But the Scripture has confined all under sin, that the promise by faith in Jesus Christ might be given to those who believe.
- **Eph 3:16** that He would grant you, according to the riches of His glory, to be strengthened with might through His Spirit in the inner man,
- **Eph 4:7** But to each one of us grace was given according to the measure of Christ's gift.
- **Eph 4:11** And He Himself gave some to be apostles, some prophets, some evangelists, and some pastors and teachers,
- **1 Thes 4:8** Therefore he who rejects this does not reject man, but God, who has also given us His Holy Spirit.
- **2** Thes 2:16 Now may our Lord Jesus Christ Himself, and our God and Father, who has loved us and given us everlasting consolation and good hope by grace,
- **2 Thes 3:16** Now may the Lord of peace Himself give you peace always in every way. The Lord be with you all.
- **2 Tim 1:7** For God has not given us a spirit of fear, but of power and of love and of a sound mind.
- **2 Tim 1:9** who has saved us and called us with a holy calling, not according to our works, but according to His own purpose and grace which was given to us in Christ Jesus before time began,

- **2 Tim 2:7** Consider what I say, and may the Lord give you understanding in all things.
- **2 Tim 2:25** in humility correcting those who are in opposition, if God perhaps will grant them repentance, so that they may know the truth,
- **James 1:5** If any of you lacks wisdom, let him ask of God, who gives to all liberally and without reproach, and it will be given to him.
- **James 4:6** But He gives more grace. Therefore He says: "God resists the proud, But gives grace to the humble."
- **1 John 3:1** Behold what manner of love the Father has bestowed on us, that we should be called children of God! Therefore the world does not know us, because it did not know Him.
- **1 John 3:24** Now he who keeps His commandments abides in Him, and He in him. And by this we know that He abides in us, by the Spirit whom He has given us.
- **1 John 4:13** By this we know that we abide in Him, and He in us, because He has given us of His Spirit.
- **1 John 5:11** And this is the testimony: that God has given us eternal life, and this life is in His Son.
- **1 John 5:20** And we know that the Son of God has come and has given us an understanding, that we may know Him who is true; and we are in Him who is true, in His Son Jesus Christ. This is the true God and eternal life.
- **Rev 2:10** Do not fear any of those things which you are about to suffer. Indeed, the devil is about to throw some of you into prison, that you may be tested, and you will have tribulation ten days. Be faithful until death, and I will give you the crown of life.
- **Rev 19:8** And to her it was granted to be arrayed in fine linen, clean and bright, for the fine linen is the righteous acts of the saints.
- **Rev 21:6** And He said to me, "It is done! I am the Alpha and the Omega, the Beginning and the End. I will give of the fountain of the water of life freely to him who thirsts.