



LORDSHIP GENEROSITY

LEARNER GUIDE | SESSION 6

Stewarding a Legacy



SESSION IN A SENTENCE We can steward the resources that God has provided in such a manner that we can leave a legacy beyond our lifetime.

BIBLE BACKGROUND This is the second letter from the Apostle Paul to the church at Corinth. 2 Cor. 1:7 informs us that the church was undergoing persecution and suffering. This circumstance, however, did not hinder the church from striving to faithfully fulfill the calling that God had placed upon them.

THE BIBLE SPEAKS TODAY As a follower of Jesus we have the opportunity to steward the resources God has given us in such a way that we can contribute to Kingdom advancement until the return of Christ. The amount that we have been entrusted with is not the issue. Instead, it is the attitude of our heart towards generously giving that matters. If we chose to steward a legacy, we will personally know of God's faithfulness to provide for our needs and can trust that others will glorify Him through our actions.

2 Corinthians 9:6-15

⁶ The point is this: The person who sows sparingly will also reap sparingly, and the person who sows generously will also reap generously. ⁷ Each person should do as he has decided in his heart—not reluctantly or out of compulsion, since God loves a cheerful giver. ⁸ And God is able to make every grace overflow to you, so that in every way, always having everything you need, you may excel in every good work. ⁹ As it is written:

**He distributed freely;
he gave to the poor;
his righteousness endures forever.**

¹⁰ Now the one who provides seed for the sower and bread for food will also provide and multiply your seed and increase the harvest of your righteousness. ¹¹ You will be enriched in every way for all generosity, which produces thanksgiving to God through us. ¹² For the ministry of this service is not only supplying the needs of the saints but is also overflowing in many expressions of thanks to God.

¹³ Because of the proof provided by this ministry, they will glorify God for your obedient confession of the gospel of Christ, and for your generosity in sharing with them and with everyone. ¹⁴ And as they pray on your behalf, they will have deep affection for you because of the surpassing grace of God in you.

¹⁵ Thanks be to God for his indescribable gift!

POINT 1: WE CHOOSE TO LEAVE A

(vv. 6-7)

POINT 3: GOD IS GLORIFIED THROUGH

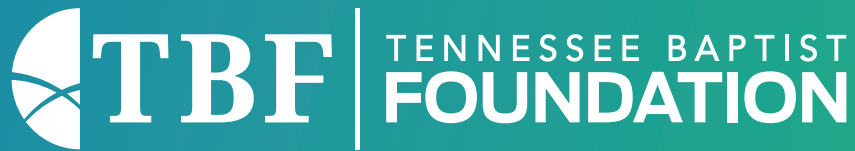
STEWARDSHIP

(vv. 12-15)

POINT 2: GOD PROVIDES FOR

STEWARDSHIP

(vv. 8-11)



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