

# Tithing 101 (Different Series)

Luke 16:10-11 Whoever can be trusted with very little can also be trusted with much, and whoever is dishonest with very little will also be dishonest with much. 11 So if you have not been trustworthy in handling worldly wealth, who will trust you with true riches?

## **MONEY PROMISES WHAT ONLY GOD CAN PROVIDE**

- **SECURITY**
- **FREEDOM**
- **POWER**
- **SIGNIFICANCE**

Matthew 6:24 No one can serve two masters. Either he will hate the one and love the other, or he will be devoted to the one and despise the other. You cannot serve both God and Money.

- **I WILL GIVE GOD MY FIRST AND MY BEST SO HE CAN BLESS THE REST.**

## **THE BLESSINGS OF THE TITHE**

### **1) TITHING PROVIDES FOR GOD'S WORK THROUGH HIS CHURCH.**

Malachi 3:10a Bring the whole tithe into the storehouse, that there may be food in my house.

### **2) TITHING TEACHES ME TO PUT GOD FIRST.**

Proverbs 3:9-10 Honor the LORD with your wealth, with the first fruits of all your crops; then your barns will be filled to overflowing...

Romans 5:8 But God demonstrates his own love for us in this: While we were still sinners, Christ died for us.

Deuteronomy 14:23 TLB The purpose of tithing is to teach you always to put God first in your lives.

### **3) TITHING INCREASES MY FAITH IN GOD.**

Malachi 3:10b 'Test me in this,' says the Lord Almighty, 'and see if I will not throw open the floodgates of heaven and pour out so much blessing that you will not have room enough for it.'