

Jehovah Jireh: God is My Provider | Part 2 | Pastor Corey Green | 09.19.2021
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This morning Pastor Corey taught that the tithe was a part of the Mosaic covenant and that, as such, Christians are not “required” to tithe. He also taught that Jesus made giving a matter of the heart. That is not to suggest that the amount does not matter, but rather we learned that Jesus’ two criteria are SACRIFICE and GENEROSITY.

Read:

Acts 2:43-47

Acts 4:32-37

Acts 11:27-30

1 Corinthians 16:1-4

- What is a key theme in these passages?
- Is the kind of giving mentioned here prescriptive? That is, is it meant to be followed strictly? Or do Luke and Paul seem more concerned with generosity?

Read the Parable of the Good Samaritan (Luke 10:25-37) Pay particular attention to verses 34 and 35.

- How does this fit with Jesus’ teaching about sacrifice and generosity?

Read the Parable of the Rich Man and Lazarus (Luke 16:19-31)

- What is the sin(s) of the rich man?
- How does this relate to what Jesus teaches about the “litmus test” of SACRIFICE and GENEROSITY?
- How did Jesus model SACRIFICE and GENEROSITY most clearly to us?
- Who owns everything?
- Who gave you what you have?
- Who sent Jesus to model the ultimate sacrifice?
- What has God established as the way to demonstrate a proper posture of the heart?
- Does His sacrifice mean enough to you that you will respond in kind?
 - If you do not respond, then do you truly believe?
- What do you think are the primary reasons people don’t trust God with their finances?
 - What are some reasons you have not trusted God in this way?
- How would you evaluate your level of sacrifice?
- How would you evaluate your level of generosity?