

The Tribe Newsletter; November Edition





Excerpt from the Teaching on the GRACE TO GIVE

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In this month of November, we are looking at the Grace to Give. I will look at it from a different perspective, because I know that we in the body of Christ are already familiar with the normal teaching on giving in terms of sowing and reaping. I will look at the grace to give from a different dimension and in two parts.

In Matthew 6:31-33, let me define what seeking is form the original text;

- 1. Seeking by enquiring
- 2. To investigate
- 3. To reach a binding resolution
- 4. To search
- 5. To get to the bottom of the matter
- 6. To demand
- 7. To aim at something
- 8. To strive for more
- 9. To pursue

Often times, we've been taught to sow and reap but from the above scripture, we are told to seek the kingdom of God first and His righteousness and the rest of the things the gentiles seek, what to wear, eat, where to live, and all manner of things will come to us as an addition.

All the above definitions can be summed up to mean one thing, to give oneself first, totally and wholeheartedly to the Kingdom of God and His righteousness.

The only thing we are to seek after is the kingdom of God and his righteousness and nothing else before all other things will be added. This is the order of God and will never end.

We are looking at the grace to give not in the context we already know and is popular amongst preachers of the gospel. We are looking at the topic from the context of giving ourselves completely, wholeheartedly and totally to God.

The impact of this in our lives and the world we live in will be astronomical. You might question why it's important for you to give yourself to God's kingdom and seeking righteousness. It is important because it the order God has created in his kingdom and the process to get the things the gentiles are seeking is by first seeking the kingdom of God and His righteousness.

So, grace to give yourself totally to God's call, purpose, agenda, will and desires is the most important thing for a believer to do. To fulfill all these the reason why we are on earth in the first place. To show forth the praises of He who has called us out of darkness into the marvelous light of His dear Son, Jesus Christ.

Even while Christ was on earth, he only fulfilled the will of the Father. He also taught the disciples in the Lord's Prayer which says, "Thy kingdom come, thy will be done on earth as it is in heaven. There is something God has called every one of us to do. The most important thing is to find out what God has called us to do and then to give ourselves to it.

We need grace to give ourselves to the call and agenda of God because we believers are often swayed by the things of the gentiles just as they are longing for kingdom things. This is therein where the blessing of God lies.





We are looking at the grace to give ourselves and lives totally to God and his righteousness. This means whatever is right in God's eyes should also be right in our eyes. Anything outside that is unpleasing and unrighteous to him.

When the grace to give yourself totally to God is established in your life, you will notice fervency in your prayer life with the focal point on God's agenda. It won't be based on self-fish or personal interest. There won't be any need to pray for material things, because then all others things will be added to you. There is a difference when something is being added but our role and responsibility is to first seek the kingdom of God and His righteousness.

If we are seeking the kingdom of God and by His grace agree to His purpose, our cry will always be to takeover nations for God. You will be consumed with the things of the kingdom. For we are consumed by that which we give ourselves to. We ought to give ourselves to prayer, intercession, meditating on the God's word, holiness and consecration. All these righteous works produces great rewards in our lives.

Satan is a bastard. He always take your minds away from the truth in God's work, making us labour for things that are supposed to be an addition to us when we seek first God's kingdom and His righteousness.

When you seek first God's kingdom, He becomes your shepherd as seen in Psalm 23. As a shepherd, God protects and watches over you and you will lack nothing. Hence He said in Matthew 6:33 that all other things will be added unto you.

Verse 2 of Psalm 23 it says, "He makes me to lie down in [b]green pastures; He leads me beside the [c]still waters." God is that shepherd who looks for greenery for all His sheep to feed, and lie down for rest and relaxation. This further buttress the point of all other things being added when we first seek God's kingdom.

We also see the heart and love of a shepherd for his sheep from Psalm 23. A shepherd never led his sheep to a flowing water. This is to prevent the water current overpowering and pulling the sheep away but takes them to still and calm water. The minutes you give yourself to the things and purpose of the kingdom, God leads you in the path of righteousness for His name's sake so that you don't blaspheme his name.

As long as the sheep follows the shepherd, they enjoy a good live. In verse 4 where it says Yea, though I walk through the valley of the shadow of death, I will fear no evil; For You are with me;" means the shepherd is following the sheep to help and protect. How is this don? That is explained in the same verse 4 that says, "Your rod and Your staff, they comfort me." The rod of the shepherd is to help bring back a sheep that has gone astray to the wrong path into safety.

There are many other great benefits when we receive the grace to give ourselves totally to seeking the kingdom of God but there are issues that everyone faces. No matter your position in Christ, the flesh will always take the least place of resistance. Because the flesh does not want the pressure that comes on it. It always wants the easy way out. So, we are cheating ourselves whatever we seek, pursue, chase aim after that is below the glory and power of God. Until we repent, have a renewed or reformed mind, we won't access the different dimensions of the glory and power of God. Hence the Bible says that God has bless us with every spiritual blessing in the heavenly

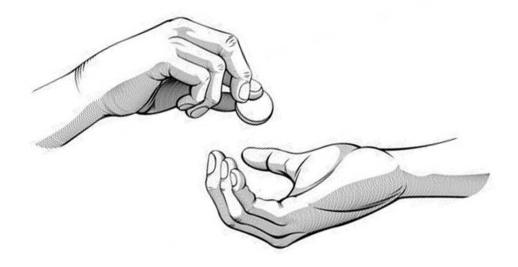
realm.

Everything in the world that makes us fall are grouped into three, the lust of the flesh, the lust of the eyes and the pride of life. The more you mature in Christ, the more the reality of this will be obvious to you. Everything is designed as a lust to draw you from God's kingdom into the world. That is why we see the frivolous display of wealth on the internet just to entice people into lust. But we must keep on seeking the kingdom of God. Yet, everything we see in life and desire, are going to pass way with life.

The same way the children of Israel in the wilderness looked at God's provision and called it manner, meaning 'What is this" so are we treating seeking the kingdom of God because we do not truly understand the value of what we possess in God's kingdom.

We see God's spoken word in Joshua 1:8 which says "This book of the law shall not depart out of thy mouth; but thou shalt meditate therein day and night, that thou may observe to do according to all that is written therein: for then thou shalt make thy way prosperous, and then thou shalt have good success."

From the above scripture, if it is looked at from a worldly mind, one would think to succeed in the world means to work morning and night, all day long. That is the system of the gentiles, the system of the world. But God is saying, after you have sown your physical seed, the next line of action is for you to water the seed with your words in other to see manifestation.



The word meditate means to dwell on it, to think more on it. When you meditate on the word of God, the power and capacity of the word to drive you into action begin to manifest. This way, you chat your way to prosperous and then, you will have good success.

The second dimension we will consider in the Grace to Give is to give according to His righteousness. A righteous act is the grace to give to others. This is what it means when the Bible says, "His righteousness". Also, the grace to give to others which is another stage of the expression of God's love.

Giving oneself to God's righteousness is the preferred way of giving, the way God wants us to give. When you give according to God's preferred way, it yields reward. It was the problem Cain, he didn't give the preferred way had but Abel gave the preferred way. Same as when David went to carry the Ark of covenant to the place he had built a tent for it, it wasn't carried the preferred way God wanted it done hence someone ended up dead.

The preferred way the gift of righteousness is acceptable by God

If a person with the grace of God gives in the preferred manner, God receives the heart while those the gift is given to receive the gift. God always sees the state of your heart which is the spiritual gift and it is the key thing.

A person with the grace to give is someone who has been endowed or empowered with the ability to give first, themselves and secondly, their gifts, talents, ideas, and resources for the furtherance of God's kingdom and to His glory. It's only when the grace to give is presence in your life that you will be filled with an abundance of joy in giving while going through a great trial of affliction.

Giving is how we express the love of God and why most believers don't is due to their lack to express the love of God. Except you see giving in this manner, you will not be able to operate in the grace to give. Giving most be through the joy and compassion that is flowing in ones heart to give and not for any selfish reason. Giving must also be done from the place of love.



Yemi Akins.Country Leader – Nigeria

Reintroducing; The Tribe of Marketplace Ministers

At The Tribe of Marketplace Ministers we believe God has graced each person with certain talents, passions and gifts. These talents and passions most often, become the basis for your marketplace ministry.

For some others who happen to be entrepreneurs, their business becomes the pulpit God has given them to reach lost souls and to live as examples for the world to see.

The Bible says in Ephesians 4:11 that "Christ Himself, gave some to be apostles, prophets, some evangelists, some pastors and teachers for the equipping of the saints for the work of ministry, for the edifying of the body of Christ, till we all come to the unity of the faith and of the knowledge of the Son of God, to a perfect man, to the measure of the stature of the fullness of Christ; that we should no longer be children, tossed to and fro, and carried about with every wind of doctrine.."

The five-fold ministry expressions are given to equip the saints for the work of ministry – weather marketplace ministry or pulpit ministry. We believe that your God-given talents or passion can then be expressed as an apostolic mandate, a prophetic, evangelistic, pastoral or teaching mandate. For instance a person who has a natural passion over women being abused or disempowered, may have a prophetic mandate to help women find their God-given purpose. Someone else may have a talent and natural flare to work with children, that mandate may express itself as a Pastoral call.

We help you channel your natural talent/gifts and passions into what we call marketplace ministry. We are here to equip and empower you so you feel you are in your natural element to fulfill the great commission.

Once we identify this and pair it with your talents or passion, we'll be glad to hold you by the hands (through deep trainings and spiritual mentorship) so you can find your footing in active marketplace ministry. We believe this will help you fulfill purpose and meet the mark of destiny. And on that faithful day, you'll get the warm words of welcome from Jesus Christ, Welcome Thou Good & Faithful Servant!



Channels For Active Membership/Marketplace Ministry

Marketplace Ministers Fellowship (MMF) – on Mondays

At MMF, kingdom professionals and marketplace ministers learn about kingdom impact and how to pray concerning their affairs. MMF is that fellowship where burdens can be unladen and wisdom can be obtained.

Discipleship Class – on Wednesdays

The Discipleship Class is our means of equipping our members to be prepared for the marketplace. On Wednesdays we focus on brief prayers then take a deep delve into our discipleship manual which helps you understand your role and place as a Kingdom Professional in the society.

10 Hours Prayer Marathon – on Thursdays

Our Tribe is a platform whose foundation is built entirely on prayers and the word of God. The prayer marathon was opened only to our over 40 trained prayer leaders but it's now opened to all members of our Tribe. We gather on a weekly basis to keep the fire on our altar burning. That exercise holds as a 10 hour prayer marathon every Thursday.

Faith & Works Clinic – on Fridays

The Faith & Works Clinic is a business review session where a panel of seasoned professionals assess, critique & provide constructive feedback to business owners willing to scale their business for more impact and profitability.

Industry Based E-Groups – Twice a Month

The E-Groups comprise of several industry-specific networks of our members who meet twice a month to discuss the latest trends in their specific industry, share knowledge and experience as well as encourage each other by taking a deep dive into scriptures to find the best way to handle daily challenges unique to their line of business.











Fashion - Thursday 8pm WAT / 2pm EST / 7pm GMT / 10pm EAT / 9pm SA

Manufacturing - Saturday 3pm WAT / 9am EST / 2pm GMT / 5pm - EAT / 4pm SA

Real Estate - Saturday 2pm WAT / 8am -EST / 1pm GMT / 4pm EAT / 3pm SA

Digital Marketing/IT - Saturday 5pm WAT / 11am EST / 4pm GMT / 7pm EAT / 6pm SA

Health - Saturday 3pm WAT / 9am EST / 2pm GMT / 5pm EAT / 4pm SA

Education - Saturday 2pm WAT / 8am EST / 1pm GMT / 4pm EAT / 3pm SA

Retail - Saturday 4pm WAT / 10am EST / 3pm GMT / 6pm EAT / 5pm SA

Author/Publisher - Sunday 6pm WAT / 12pm EST / 5pm GMT / 8pm EAT / 7pm SA

Consultant Saturday - 4pm GMT / 5pm WAT / 6pm SA / 7pm EAT / 11pm EST

Food/Hospitality Sunday - 4pm GMT / 5pm WAT / 6pm SA / 7pm EAT / 11pm EST

Breakthrough Centers/Prayer Cells

This is an in-person, cell fellowships entirely focused on prayer. It is a 1-hour prayer meetings to tackle a members' needs. We have centers in various locations

NIGERIA

- Ikorodu Lagos, Nigeria (Kehinde +234 802 892 6130) Every Sunday by 5PM
- Obawole Lagos, Nigeria (Andy +234 803 609 0424) Biweekly on Sundays by 6PM
- Yaba Lagos, Nigeria (Mercy +234 809 062 2586) 1st & last Saturdays by 3PM
- Aguda Lagos, Nigeria (Aku-udo +234 818 862 6243) Biweekly on Saturdays by 12PM
- Magodo Phase 2 Lagos, Nigeria (Lola +254 705 013795) Starting soon
- Abeokuta, Nigeria; Technology Incubation Centre (Folasade +234 806 274 8424) 1st and last Wednesday of the month by 1PM
- Abeokuta Nigeria Ogun State Fire Service Station Headquarters, Onikoko (Emmanuel +234 802 855 5393) Biweekly on Sunday by 6PM
- Abuja Nigeria Karmo District, Near Nizamiye Hospital (Eromina +234 803 875 3402) 3rd Sundays of every month 5PM
- Elelenwo Port Harcourt, Nigeria (Rita +234 806 693 8345) Sundays 5PM

KENYA

- Makadara Jogoo Road, Nairobi Kenya (Sarah +254 723 156940) 1st and last Fridays by 6PM
- Season's Kasarani, Nairobi-Kenya (Moreen +254 790 504222) 1st & Last Saturdays by 4PM
- Madakara Estate Next to Strathmore University, Nairobi Kenya (Vincent +254 723 736053) Biweekly on Sundays by 5:30PM

GHANA

- Taifa-Baukina Blue KioskJunction-Accra Ghana (David +233 24 236 8915) Every Friday by
- Attah Ashia Avenue, Off Liberty Road East Legon, Accra Ghana (Binta +233 55 809 6521) 1st & Last Saturdays by 3PM
- La-Bawaleshi Road GM Plaza East Legon, Accra, Ghana (Alexi Amoa +233 55 845 9422) First and last Mondays of the month by 11AM
- Adolf Valley Estate GPS 233-6147 Accra Ghana (Michael 233 24 813 8596) Sunday 2PM

SOUTH AFRICA

- Milnerton, Western Cape South Africa (Tinotenda +27 67 796 0131) Every Tuesdays 6:30PM
- Mooikloof Ridge, Pretoria East (Lesego +27 60 539 6706) Last Saturdays by 2PM

UNITED STATES

- Flowery Branch, Georgia, USA (Sade +1 (404) 884-0068) Starting Soon
- Charlotte, North Carolina U.S.A (Damola +1 (770) 912-0520)
- Indian Land, SC. 29707 (Maame +1 (571) 723-1142) Last Fridays of every month by 6.30PM

NAMIBIA

- Okahandja District in Okandjira-Ovitoto - Namibia (Lourens +264 81 286 5758) Starting Soon

ANGOLA

- Luanda- Kilamba - Angola (Teresa +244 945 384 145) Starting soon

DAYS & TIME OF MEETINGS

MONDAYS

- 12PM EST/5PM GMT/6PM WAT/7PM SAT & CAT/8PM EAT

WEDNESDAYS

- 12PM EST/5PM GMT/6PM WAT/7PM SAT & CAT/8PM EAT

THURSDAYS

- 1AM to 11AM EST/6AM to 4PM GMT/7AM to 5PM WAT/8AM to 6PM SAT & CAT/9AM to 7PM EAT

FRIDAYS

- 12PM EST/5PM GMT/6PM WAT/7PM SAT & CAT/8PM EAT

Memory Verse

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.

Partner with us!

Have you been blessed by what we do? We have a passion to ignite and sustain the flames of marketplace ministry in Nigeria, Ghana, Kenya, United States, Tanzania, Uganda, Cameroon, Namibia, Zimbabbwe, Rwanda, Botswana, DR Congo, Zambia.

Ministry needs you can Partner with us in:

- Expansion of the Tribe of Marketplace Ministers (Country/Regional Launch)
- Kingdom Funding Projects
- Prayer ministry in-person meetings
- Outreach ministry projects
- Helps ministry projects

- Forerunners (Evangelical Ministry projects)

- Other Tribe's Projects

We Appreciate a one-off donation but a monthly partnership will truly make a difference

- \$10 Per Month
- \$50 Per Month
- \$100 Per Month
- \$250 Per Month
- \$500 Per Month

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BUSINESS HIGHLIGHTS

Business Creatives:



Business Logo:



Business Name: Fostering Geniuses
About the Business: an online platform where parents
can access different activities and information with
which they can use to activate the genius
abilities/potential in their children.

Business Address: Online (Abuja Nigeria) Business Contact: 2347012773723; www.fosteringgeniuses.com

Business Logo:



Business Name - Olympian House International (OHI)
About the Business: Olympian House International is a premier audio visual production company based in Yaounde Cameroon. We produce video/photo content for organizations, companies, and institution in line with their growth and market objectives. This includes documentary, corporate photography, corporate event coverage and more.
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Business Logo:



Business Name: Great Expectations Private School About the Business: Great Expectations private School has an inclusive approach to special education. Every child with a special need has a right to be included in every aspect of learning.

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