You Can't Out-Give God Discussion Questions

Read Luke 6:38

What is the first word in this verse?

Why is giving required before it is given back to you?

Principle 1: We receive according to what we give.

Read Luke 6:37

How does the way we judge others determine how we are judged?

When we condemn others, what can we expect?

What happens when we forgive others?

How can we really forgive someone, and not just say the words of forgiveness?

Read Matthew 6:14-15

Can we expect God to forgive us when we haven't forgiven others?

If there is someone you haven't forgiven, what is your next step?

Read Acts 20:35

Remembering the words of Jesus, why would He say it is more blessed to give than receive?

Read Proverbs 11:24-25

What does the world say about giving?

How is God's way of giving different from the world?

Principle 2: We receive more than we give.

Read Luke 6:38 again.

In God's economy, how much more can we expect to receive than what we gave?

Principle 3: We determine how much we receive.

Read 2 Corinthians 9:6-10

What part do we have in how much we receive?

Read Malachi 3:10

What should we expect when we tithe? Why should we not be afraid of tithing?

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