

# THE TREASURE PRINCIPLE



10.30.22

## GETTING STARTED ON THE STEWARDSHIP JOURNEY

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### 1) God's Starting Point for the Stewardship Journey

➔ "A \_\_\_\_\_ of everything... belongs to the Lord." (Leviticus 27:30)

### 2) Why the Tithe?

➔ The tithe was established to help us remember God is the \_\_\_\_\_ and we are His \_\_\_\_\_.

### 3) What did Jesus Say about Tithing?

➔ "You \_\_\_\_\_ tithe..." (Matthew 23:23)

### 4) God Owns All of Us (not just 10%)

➔ "You are not your own. You have been \_\_\_\_\_ at a price."  
(1 Cor 6:19-20)

### 5) What Motivated the Early Church's Radical Generosity?

➔ "God's \_\_\_\_\_ was powerfully at work in them." (Acts 4:33)

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## 6) Grace Church or Law Church?

➡ Grace! But grace was never intended to be a license to give \_\_\_\_\_ than what God (in the OT) and Jesus (in the NT) called the starting point for the stewardship journey.

## 7) God's Invitation

➡ "Bring the whole tithe... \_\_\_\_\_ me in this... and see if I will not throw open the floodgates of heaven and pour out so much blessing that there will not be room enough to store." (Malachi 3:10)

## Next Steps

- 1) Put your \_\_\_\_\_ in Jesus and receive His forgiveness and eternal life
- 2) Read The \_\_\_\_\_ Principle
- 3) Commit to start \_\_\_\_\_
- 4) Set up \_\_\_\_\_ giving
- 5) Give a special \_\_\_\_\_

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## YOUR NEXT STEP

- I AM PUTTING MY TRUST IN JESUS AS MY LORD AND SAVIOR
- I AM INTERESTED IN BEING BAPTIZED
- I AM INTERESTED IN SERVING ON A MINISTRY TEAM

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