

THE GENEROUS LIFE**3 things to build your life on:**

- Integrity
- Humility
- generosity.
 - ✓ Believe is used 272 times.
 - ✓ Prayer is used 371 times.
 - ✓ Love is used 714 times.
 - ✓ Give is used over 2000 times.

⁷ But as you abound in everything—in faith, in speech, in knowledge, in all diligence, and in your love for us—see that you abound in this grace also.

2 Corinthians 8:7

WHAT THE GENEROUS LIFE DOES IN YOU AND FOR YOU.**1. Generosity honors God.**

- **Be generous.** 2 Corinthians 9:6
- **Your giving is between you and God.** 2 Corinthians 9:7
- **Have the right motive.**
- **Generous people are blessed.** 2 Corinthians 9:8

2. Generosity draws me closer to God. Matthew 6:21

3. Generosity makes me more like Jesus. Proverbs 21:26

4. Generosity is the cure for materialism. 1 Timothy 6:17

5. Generosity demonstrates my faith. Mal. 3:10; Prov. 11:25; Acts 20:35

6. Generosity reveals my character.

7. Generosity brings God's blessing. Prov. 22:9; Deut. 15:10 – 11

- Part of God's blessing upon us is His protection. Psalm 112:5 - 6

8. Generosity increases my joy!

9. Generosity expands my influence. Proverbs 11:24 – 26; Psalm 112:9

10. Generosity will be rewarded in heaven. 1 Timothy 6:18 - 19