

# Generosity Makes a Difference

## Part 2

### 1. Generosity is \_\_\_\_\_

The word **believe** occurs 273 times

The word **pray** occurs 371 times

The word **love** occurs 714 times

The word **give** appears 2,172 times

*“learning to be a giver is rooted in clarifying who we perceive as our ultimate source in life – ourselves or God.”* Jack Hayford



### 2. Generosity creates an atmosphere of \_\_\_\_\_

*This service that you perform is not only supplying the needs of the Lord’s people but is also overflowing in many expressions of thanks to God.* 2 Cor. 9:12

*And in their prayers for you, their hearts will go out to you, because of the surpassing grace God has given you.* 2 Cor. 9:14

### 3. Generosity creates \_\_\_\_\_ for the one being generous

*Remember this: Whoever sows sparingly will also reap sparingly, and whoever sows generously will also reap generously. Each of you should give what you have decided in your heart to give, not reluctantly or under compulsion, for God loves a cheerful giver. And God is able to bless you abundantly* 2 Cor. 9:6-8

*“One gives freely, yet grows all the richer; another withholds what he should give, and only suffers want. Whoever brings blessing will be enriched, and one who waters will himself be watered.”* Prov. 11:24-25

### 4. Generosity \_\_\_\_\_ the lives of others

*Because of the giving by which you have proved yourselves, others will praise God.”* 2 Cor. 9:13



### 5. Generosity requires \_\_\_\_\_

*“I am praying that you will put into action the generosity that comes from your faith as you understand and experience all the good things you have in Christ.”* Philemon 1:6

