

# Victorious Giving

Genesis 14:17-20



## Our Confession

Jesus, though I have not seen you, I love you; and still without seeing you, I believe in you. And so I am already filled with a joy so glorious that it cannot be described; and I am sure that I am receiving the goal of my faith, the salvation of my soul.

## Kingdom Principles of Giving

**Proverbs 3:9** Honor the LORD with your wealth, with the firstfruits of all your crops; **10** then your barns will be filled to overflowing, and your vats will brim over with new wine.

**Proverbs 11:24** One man gives freely, yet gains even more; another withholds unduly, but comes to poverty.

**Luke 6:38** "Give, and it will be given to you. A good measure, pressed down, shaken together and running over, will be poured into your lap. For with the measure you use, it will be measured to you."

**2 Corinthians 9:6** Remember this: Whoever sows sparingly will also reap sparingly, and whoever sows generously will also reap generously. **7** Each man should give what he has decided in his heart to give, not reluctantly or under compulsion, for God loves a cheerful giver. **8** And God is able to make all grace abound to you, so that in all things at all times, having all that you need, you will abound in every good work.

## Abraham & Melchizedek

**Genesis 14:17** After Abram returned from defeating Kedorlaomer and the kings allied with him, the king of Sodom came out to meet him in the Valley of Shaveh (that is, the King's Valley).

**Genesis 14:18** Then Melchizedek king of Salem brought out bread and wine. He was priest of God Most High, **19** and he blessed Abram, saying, "Blessed be Abram by God Most High, Creator of heaven and earth. **20** And blessed be God Most High, who delivered your enemies into your hand." Then Abram gave him a tenth of everything.

## Our Victory In Christ

**Colossians 2:13** When you were dead in your sins and in the uncircumcision of your sinful nature, God made you alive with Christ. He forgave us all our sins, **14** having canceled the written code, with its regulations, that was against us and that stood opposed to us; he took it away, nailing it to the cross. **15** And having disarmed the powers and authorities, he made a public spectacle of them, triumphing over them by the cross.

**1Corinthians 15:55** "Where, O death, is your victory? Where, O death, is your sting?" **56** The sting of death is sin, and the power of sin is the law. **57** But thanks be to God! He gives us the victory through our Lord Jesus Christ.