

Topic:

THE SECRET OF WEALTH TRANSFER IS IN SACRIFICE MAKING

Text:

GENESIS 15:1-11

Message Outline:

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What is Sacrifice?

- Sacrifice is an act of giving up something important or valuable in order to get a reward greater than what you give out. Proverbs 11:24

What is Sacrifice?

- Sacrifice is agonizing but reward-able. It is like someone who is fetching honey from the rock. Deut. 32:13

The Best Time to make Sacrifice :

1. Whenever you desire a certain blessing from God either material or immaterial.

e.g. Financial breakthrough, contracts, sales and patronage, employment, fruit of the womb, cars, houses e.t.c. Genesis 15:1-21, Gen. 18:1-14, 2Kings 4:1-7, 2Kings 4:8-17

The Best Time to make Sacrifice :

2. Whenever you are under financial scarcity or you are down monetarily. 1Kings 17:8-16

The Best Time to make Sacrifice :

3. You can make sacrifice when you begin to see the hand of God for good in your life and business. Job 1:4-5

Some biblical Characters who made sacrifice and got a material Blessing

1. Abraham sowed a cow, he got a child. Gen. 18: 8, Gen.21:1-2

2. The shunammite woman sacrificed a house, and she got a son. 2Kings 4:8-17

3. Abraham accepted to sacrifice his only son and God gave him a nation. Gen. 22:1-17

4. The Zarephath woman sacrificed her last meal, and she got abundant meal and longevity. 1Kings 17

5. God almighty gave out His only son as a sacrifice to the world, and He got a lot of souls saved into His kingdom. John 3:16

6. Deaconess Dorcas usually give out to the poor, and she reaped their prayers which led to her resurrection from untimely death. Acts 9:36-40

The Laws of a fertile Ground

1. A fertile ground is where a seed can be sowed with full confidence of reaping.

The Laws of a fertile Ground

2. A fertile ground is the best ground where a reward-able sacrifice can be made.

The Laws of a fertile Ground

3. Avoid making a sacrifice or sowing a seed into a wrong ground anymore.

Which grounds are fertile?

- Sacrifice made to support gospel ministry

- Sacrifice made to encourage gospel ministers

- Sacrifice made to assist the poor/needly that are members of the body of Christ.

Which grounds are not fertile?

- Sacrifice made to please worldly friends.

- Sacrifice made to pay for adultery.

Which grounds are not fertile?

- Sacrifice made to appease the devil or demon. E.g. Idols, spirit husband. e.t.c.

Which grounds are not fertile?

- Sacrifice made to cover up sin.
- Sacrifice made to cover stealing.
  
- Sacrifice made to bribe.
- The sacrifice of the wicked.

Why do christian need to give or make a regular sacrifice?

- It is commanded by God. Deut. 15:10-11
  
- It is one of the major ways which God is using to transfer the wealth of the nation into the lives of His people. Isaiah 61:6

Why do christian need to give or make a regular sacrifice?

- The poor or needy are reached through giving.
  
- Some motivational quotes about giving

1. We make a living by what we get, but we make a life by what we give. Winston Churchill

"No one has never ever become poor by giving" - Anne Frank

"For it is in giving that that we receive." - St. Francis of Assisi

" He who obtains or secures opportunity has little. He who scatters has much." - Lao-Tzu

"Generosity is not financial imprudence, because generosity is an investment." - Pastor Oke M.A.

The Undeniable Rewards of regular Sacrifice making:

1. It earns uninterrupted favor in the sight of God and man.

The Secret about favor:

a. Favor can take you to a greater length in life.

b. Through favor a king can stand up and cause you to sit on his throne.

The Secret about favor:

c. Through favor an appointment initially meant for someone can be diverted to you.

The Undeniable Rewards of regular Sacrifice making:

2. It can connect you with men of substance whose influence can quickly make you wealthy.

The Undeniable Rewards of regular Sacrifice making:

3. It can move God to command financial angels to direct riches, wealth and honor to you.

The Undeniable Rewards of regular Sacrifice making:

4. Regular sacrifice making or giving can silence the mouth of your accusers and avert evil plan portioned against you.

Acts 10:4

Action Point: A prayerful life without sacrifice making is like a man under heavy downpour without a container.