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HOME DISCUSSION GUIDE
for Elementary

SPRING A
Lesson 13

Giving an Example

Each man should give what he has decided in his heart to give, not reluctantly or under compulsion, for God loves a cheerful giver.

2 Corinthians 9:7

The Bible says a lot about money, our attitudes toward money, and giving to God and others. I want to teach my kids a generosity that weaves itself through every aspect of their lives. I make note of verses and stories in my own Bible reading that refer to giving. And when we have opportunity to give regularly or on special occasions, we might look at one of those references and then pray together, asking God to direct our giving. At mealtimes, we thank God for His generosity—not just for our food, but also for jobs and other specific ways He’s provided for us. **We give because God gives to us and we are His children. We want to show we’re part of His family!**

Try This:

When we talk about how God is the best Giver, we name various things and tell how we’ve benefited from His gifts of food, shelter, church, school, family, friends, Jesus, jobs and so on. Then we take time to imagine what some of the results might be! **How will God use the things we give to Him?** Our tithes and offerings, our abilities and time, all have an impact on the world. Imagining together what might happen with our gifts to God is a great way to focus our minds on His goodness!