

# MAN TO MAN

## Week 8: Steward Your Resources

### Thought

God has given each of us time, talents, and abilities to steward for His glory. He wants us to manage and utilize these three things, along with the additional resources they provide: our money and our possessions. Managing our resources wisely and using them to benefit others more than ourselves are great ways to show our gratitude to God for all He has given us. God will continue to give us more to manage as we are faithful with what He has already provided.

### Scripture

*When someone has been given much, much will be required in return; and when someone has been entrusted with much, even more will be required.*  
Luke 12:48b (NLT)

*God has given each of you a gift from His great variety of spiritual gifts. Use them well to serve one another.*  
1 Peter 4:10 (NLT)

*Now, a person who is put in charge as a manager must be faithful.*  
1 Corinthians 4:2 (NLT)

*"Well done, my good servant!" his master replied. "Because you have been trustworthy in a very small matter, take charge of ten cities."*  
Luke 19:17

### Discussion Questions

- Using a scale of 1 to 10, with 1 being the lowest, how would you rate yourself on managing your resources? Explain your answer.
- Do you give the first and the best of what you have to God? What do you think it looks like to steward your resources well?
- In what ways are you using your time, talents, and resources to serve God? Share a specific example for each of the three.

### Action Step

What is one change you need to make to better utilize the time, talents, and resources God has given you? Take a practical step toward that change this week!

