Treasure Island Part 3

Treasure Hunt
Pastor Miles McPherson – January 20, 2008 Memory Verse - Luke 12:34





"Will a man rob God? Yet you have robbed Me! But you say, 'In what way have we robbed You?' In tithes and offerings. You are cursed with a curse, For you have robbed Me, Even this whole nation. Bring all the tithes into the storehouse, That there may be food in My house,

And try Me now in this," Says the Lord of hosts, "If I will not open for you the windows of heaven And pour out for you such blessing

That there will not be room enough to receive it.			
- Malachi 3:8-10			
1.	Your checkbook is a <u>theological</u> document.		
2.	Treasure Islanders are <u>managers</u> of God's gifts.	Matthew 25:14-30 1 Corinthians 4:1-2 1 Peter 4:10	
3.	Treasure Islanders should be willing and <u>cheerful</u> give	I Chronicles 29:9 2 Corinthians 9:7 Timothy 6:17-19	
4.	The generosity of Treasure Islanders is an indicator of their future <u>faithfulness</u> .	Luke 16:11	
5.	Faithful Treasure Islanders secure ministry <u>resources</u> in abundance.	Exodus 36:3 – 7 1 Chronicles 29:9	
6.	Faithfulness in tithing secure <u>overflow</u> blessing.	Malachi 3:10 Proverbs 3:9-10 Luke 6:38	

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Tithe: A	tenth part Genesis 14:18-20
Example	: If you have \$30K yearly income, your tithe is \$3k per year.
	A Prayer Model end an equal amount of time for each letter.)
A	Admire and Thank God. Psalm 8:9 Thank God for everything you can think of.
W	Wait Quietly Before God. Psalm 46:10 Sit quietly and listen to God speak to you an write it down.
C	Confess Your Sin. 1 John 1:9, Psalm 103:12 Confess your sins to God
I	Intercede for Others. 1 Chronicles 4:9 Pray for other people.
P	Petition for yourself. Psalm51:10-12, John 14:12-14 Ask for a pure heart. Ask for your house to sell.
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