## The Gift of Giving

Romans 12:6-8 specifically says there are different gifts. Some have the gift of prophecy (to edify, exhort or bring comfort), others the gift of serving, some the gift of teaching, others who encourage, some with the gift of giving, the gift of leading and other with the gift of showing mercy. Do you have the gift of giving? Many people have this gift from the Lord.

If you have the gift of giving and share a passion to wisely steward resources for God and His Kingdom, check out <u>Generous Giving</u>. Founded in 2000 by the Maclellan Foundation, Generous Giving's mission is to spread the Biblical message of generosity in order to grow generous givers among those entrusted with much. It was launched with the vision to stir a renewed, spirit-led commitment to generosity among followers of Christ through conversation. They provide a safe, solicitation-free environment where they never seek donations, permit solicitation or award grants.

Generous Giving has a 24-hour experience you can do in your church or group of friends, called a "Journey of Generosity" or JOG. Stories of generosity are shared and discussed around what each person hears from the Holy Spirit during the story. BTW, bring a box of Kleenex to the event!

Todd Harper, "To see the generosity of God displayed through the generosity of God's people", Generous Giving, Accessed September 10, 2020, https://generousgiving.org