Money Truths:Part 2- The Law of Seedtime and Harvest

ICE BREAKER QUESTIONS

- 1. What are you working toward in your life?
- 2. What would you do if you received an extra pay check this month?

WORD

Genesis 8:22

While the earth remains, seedtime and harvest, cold and heat, summer and winter, day and night, shall not cease."

Is God interested in meeting our need/s? Does God care in meeting those need/s? YES! Fully committed! God is deeply concerned and interested with our needs. Matthew 6:8 – Do not be like them, for your Father knows what you need before you ask him. He said through Paul in Philippians 4:19 - And my God will supply every need of yours according to his riches in glory in Christ Jesus. Promise in Deuteronomy 28:11 - And the Lord will make you abound in prosperity, in the fruit of your womb and in the fruit of your livestock and in the fruit of your ground, within the land that the Lord swore to your fathers to give you.

And the WAY that God will meet our need/s is through SEED giving (becoming seed-minded not need-minded)

Giving - planting seed, being involved with others' need. You plant seed and God will meet your need/s! God Himself is seed-minded not need-minded. God is telling us that there are few things that will never change. As long as the earth remains there will be seedtime and harvest time, day and night, summer and winter. You and I cannot change it! So, might as well learn to live with it and make the necessary adjustments. Learn to use it for your advantage! the Bible says, 'As long as the earth is here, time for planting and time for harvesting will not stop'. What we are dealing with here is a law!

Law defines as is defined as a general principle to which ALL applicable cases must confirm. When there is something that never changes, then it is commonly referred to as a law!

DISCUSSION

Tell of a time when you felt forgotten by God, you keep on sowing but not harvesting?

WORD

Three Points...

A.Every Seed Reproduces Its Kind

•Galatians 6:7-8 (AMP)

⁷ Do not be deceived, God is not mocked [He will not allow Himself to be ridiculed, nor treated with contempt nor allow His precepts to be scornfully set aside]; for whatever a man sows, this and this only is what he will reap. ⁸ For the one who sows to his flesh [his sinful capacity, his worldliness, his disgraceful impulses] will reap from the flesh ruin and destruction, but the one who sows to the Spirit will from the Spirit reap eternal life.

B.We reap more than what we sow

•Matthew 13:8 - Other seeds fell on good soil and produced grain, some a hundredfold, some sixty, some thirty.

C.We reap in a different season than when we sow

•Ecclesiastes 3:1-2

¹ For everything there is a season, and a time for every matter under heaven:a time to be born, and a time to die; a time to plant, and a time to pluck up what is planted.

DISCUSSION

Share your overall thoughts on our series topic about the Law of Sowing and Harvest. Share what stood up. How can you apply this in your life?

LIFE APPLICATION

- 1. We are responsible to sow and God is responsible for the harvest.
 - ★ We will continue to reap the harvest throughout our lives, because the seed continues to multiply
- 2. We are laborers together with God. God does not produce failures!
 - **★**He is the Lord of the Harvest!
- 3. With these laws God has set things in order: We sow seed, God meets our needs, both now and for eternity!

VERSE TO MEDITATE ON

1 Corinthians 15:58 -

Therefore, my beloved brothers, be steadfast, immovable, always abounding in the work of the Lord, knowing that in the Lord your labor is not in vain.

PRAYER

Share your prayer request and answered prayer. Pray for one another and throughout this week.

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