

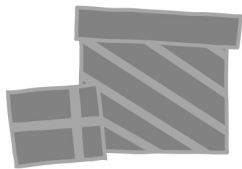
DAY 4

WHAT do you have to give?

Hopefully, yesterday got you thinking about what YOU can give. Remember, generosity is a way of life. It's not just about giving at a time of year when everyone's thinking about giving; it means looking for ways to be generous ALL the time!

- You can give **money**. Maybe you know some family members who give money to your church, or to other great organizations that help people in need.
- You can give your **time**. You could choose to help your little brother with his homework, or to throw the football with him in the backyard.
- You can be generous with your **talent**. Maybe there's something you do really well like drawing, or cooking, or singing. Share that gift with someone you love!

Generosity is about what we do with what we've been given. So follow God's example: make the first move. Don't wait for someone to ask you to give, but look for ways that you can be generous and share.



LIVE
FOR GOD



DAY 1

PROVE IT.

Have you ever said that to somebody? Did they tell you something that sounded too crazy to be true? Did it seem . . . unbelievable?

If you think about it, God's love can seem almost unbelievable. The God who makes the sun rise every morning—the one who set the whole universe in motion—He knows your name, knows everything about you and He LOVES you.

But we never have to ask God to "prove it." We never have to doubt how much He loves us, because HE made the first move, that very first Christmas. He sent Jesus to us because He knew we needed a rescuer.

That's who God is. He's a generous God. He decided to send Jesus in order to show His love—once and for all. He **gave big** to us and that leaves us with a choice to make. Are we going to follow His lead and **give big** to others?

HEAR
FROM GOD



DAY 2

God wants us to **give** as a response to His generosity. He's given us so much—it's only natural that we'd want to pass that generosity on to others!

Take a minute to think about all the ways God has been generous to you. Write down five of them here.

GOD HAS GIVEN ME . . .

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 - 2.
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When you talk to God, thank Him for His amazing generosity. Ask Him to help you live each day in a generous way.



PRAY
TO GOD



DAY 3

GENEROSITY IS MAKING SOMEONE'S DAY BY GIVING SOMETHING AWAY.

It means thinking of others instead of thinking of ourselves. It means being willing to share something of yours that will mean a lot to them.

Write down the names of three friends who are really important to you. What's something you could give that you know would make their day?

That doesn't have to mean giving them some THING. It could be giving them a compliment, giving them your time and attention or giving them a second chance if they've hurt your feelings. Talk to your mom or dad or small group leader if you need help coming up with some creative ideas.

Go ahead . . . make their day!



TALK
ABOUT GOD