

Holy Habits for Spiritual Health & Fitness: The Discipline of Giving

Text: **1 Timothy 4:7b-8; Selected Passages**

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Introduction

A. How is your 2009 physical fitness program coming along?

B. How is your 2009 spiritual fitness program coming along?

1 Tim. 4:7b-8
Matt. 26:41
Luke 16:11
Prov. 11:24-25

C. The discipline of giving is a biblical means for helping us grow spiritually and get our priorities in the right place because...

I. **The Discipline of Giving Helps Keep our _____ in the Right Place** **Matt. 6:19-21**
Mark 12:30

II. **The Discipline of Giving is _____** **Matt. 23:23**
Matt. 19:16-24

III. **The Discipline of Giving _____ Our Blessing** **Luke 6:37-38**
2 Cor. 9:6-8
2 Cor. 9:11
Matt. 10:42

IV. The Discipline of Giving Recognizes
It is More _____ to Give than to Receive

Acts 20:35
Mark 8:36-37

V. The Discipline of Giving Embraces

Mark 12:41-44

VI. The Discipline of Giving is an Act of _____,
A Statement of _____, and an Expression of _____

Mal. 3:10
Ex. 23:19
2 Cor. 8:7, 9
1 Kings 17:7-16
Matt. 6:33
Psalms 37:25-26
1 Cor. 16:1-2
Deut. 8:18
Heb. 11:4
Matt. 6:24
John 3:16