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Chapter 8 Discussion Guide

Extravagant Generosity (pg. 123-143)

**Part 3 of the Gospel Prayer**

**“As You have been to me, so I will be to others.”**

(1) Share a story of how God used someone else’s generosity to meet a need in your life?

(2) Read Matthew 6:25-30 and Psalm 4:7 together. The author stated that for obsessive savers “money is their primary source of security” and for frivolous spender’s money is their “primary source of beauty/satisfaction (pg. 137).” What hinders your giving the most? Why?

(3) Read 2 Corinthians 8:7-9 together (the “act of grace” mentioned here is taking part in generous giving to others). How does Jesus’ radical generosity toward us serve as a model and a motivation for our radical generosity towards others?

(4) Read Acts 4:34-35 together. Is there someone in your sphere of influence that has a physical need that God wants you to meet? What would it look like to meet that need today? Ask for the groups help in planning and praying for that opportunity now.

(5) What are some creative ways to fix your mind on how much Jesus has given to spiritually save you and physically supply for your needs?