

GOD SPEAKS

OVERVIEW:

Malachi confronts Israel with an essential factor of true worship: God's glory is tied to your giving. Consider four lessons Malachi teaches about worship through giving.

I. THE _____ OF WORSHIP THROUGH GIVING.

⁸ "Will a man rob God? Yet you have robbed Me! But you say, 'In what way have we robbed You?' In tithes and offerings. ⁹ You are cursed with a curse, For you have robbed Me, Even this whole nation. (Malachi 3:8-9)

- ▶ GOD _____ SPIRITUAL ROBBERY.
- ▶ GOD _____ SPIRITUAL ROBBERY.

II. THE _____ OF WORSHIP THROUGH GIVING

¹⁰ Bring all the tithes into the storehouse, That there may be food in My house, And try Me now in this," Says the Lord of hosts, "If I will not open for you the windows of heaven and pour out for you such blessing that there will not be room enough to receive it. (Malachi 3:10)

HOW SHOULD YOU GIVE TO GOD?

- ▶ GIVE TO GOD WITH A _____.
- ▶ GIVE TO GOD _____.
- ▶ GIVE TO GOD THE _____.
- ▶ GIVE TO GOD THROUGH THE _____.

III. THE _____ OF WORSHIP THROUGH GIVING

- ▶ WE GIVE TO _____ THE _____.
- ▶ WE GIVE TO _____ TO _____.
- ▶ WE GIVE TO _____ FOR THE _____.

IV. THE _____ OF WORSHIP THROUGH GIVING

- ▶ GOD PROMISES DIVINE _____.
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The purpose of tithing is to teach you always to put God first in your lives.

Deut 14:23^{11a}

GOD INVITES

HOW CAN I SAY THANKS FOR THE THINGS YOU HAVE DONE FOR ME THINGS SO UNDESERVED, YET YOU GIVE TO PROVE YOUR LOVE FOR ME? THE VOICES OF A MILLION ANGELS COULD NOT EXPRESS MY GRATITUDE ALL THAT I AM AND EVER HOPE TO BE, I OWE IT ALL TO THEE. TO GOD BE THE GLORY, TO GOD BE THE GLORY! TO GOD BE THE GLORY FOR THE THINGS HE HAS DONE! WITH HIS BLOOD HE HAS SAVED ME, WITH HIS POWER HE HAS RAISED ME TO GOD BE THE GLORY FOR THE THINGS HE HAS DONE.