



- What are the joys that God provides to those who give cheerfully and generously?

**First, your effectiveness as a believer**

\_\_\_\_\_. vs. 6-8

- Great giving invites \_\_\_\_\_ harvests.
- What is the harvest? The harvest is made up of \_\_\_\_\_ lives.

**Second, the \_\_\_\_\_ of God's people are met.  
vs. 9-10**

- When we give, resources are moved from one place to another, but for what purpose? To meet \_\_\_\_\_!

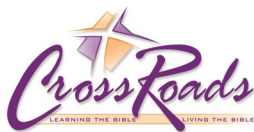
**Third, your spiritual maturity \_\_\_\_\_.  
vs. 11a**

- There is an overall spiritual enrichment that happens when we have a bountiful heart. The word "bountifulness" literally means "\_\_\_\_\_."

- The entire spiritual-growth process is built upon \_\_\_\_\_.
- *“I beseech you therefore, brethren, by the mercies of God, that you present your bodies a living sacrifice, holy, acceptable unto God, which is your reasonable service. And be not conformed to this world: but be you transformed by the renewing of your mind, that you may prove what is that good, and acceptable, and perfect, will of God.” Romans 12:1-2*

**Fourth, thanksgiving abounds to the \_\_\_\_\_ of God. vs. 11b-12**

- Greedy people aren't thankful and do not inspire others to be thankful.
- Generous givers are truly thankful to God. Those whose lives have been touched by their \_\_\_\_\_ will also lift up praise and thanksgiving to God.



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