

Series: Living Under God Covenant with Gladness
Generous People will Prosper

"The generous will prosper; those who refresh others will themselves be refreshed."-Proverbs 11:25

God continues to prosper me spiritually and my family members will continue to struggle. Turn to the person next to you and say live prosperous to God, not the living prosperous to the world to be all about greed. They are not cheerful givers even when I was dealing with homelessness in 2011. My mother and family members do not support my congregation and have seen me preach in the pulpit when I do preach in the pulpit during a service. God prospered when I lived out of homeless shelters in the past and God still comes through for me. I ignored comments from my stepfather a long time ago because he is a taker and 100% sinner. He is 100% ungodly. He is not a cheerful giver and helps the poor and homelessness. I have mercy for the poor and homelessness as a man of God and the Holy Spirit.

1. I am not envious or not envious towards others.
2. I am not tempted to the world
3. I let God guide me by being obedient to God.
4. I continue to speak against lusts and sin in the world.
5. My good desires to help the homeless in Detroit and I will restart my volunteer work at Detroit Rescue Mission Ministries this week to help the homeless in 48238 and Highland Park area.
6. My good desires to help the homeless in Detroit since 2018 based on volunteer experience.
7. Motivated people serve God with my spiritual gifts in shepherding, knowledge, wisdom, teaching and exhortation.

I will remain distant from family members by praying for them as a man of God and Bishop of this congregation. It is time we be around people that are generous to the poor and God in your friends and family. I believe I got my generous heart from my biological father's side of the family from my grandmother. She was always generous to me as a child. It let me know her generous and Godly heart that she does not care for herself and cares for others as a christian and disciple. I obtain my spiritual genes from her that have today from my spiritual gifts in shepherding, wisdom, knowledge, prophecy and exhortation. God prospered me spiritually without family because family let other members of the family struggle. God continues to lift me up daily. I will be visiting Flint on November 27 to meet and greet homeless men and women as man of God. When I share my testimonies and blessings from God, I continue my service and heart to serve God while on earth. If you are generous to people and help the poor, God will not prosper in your life. Today, It is the official day that as a man of God and Bishop that I will move on and remain in Detroit and the State of Michigan. I will move on and I will worry about my life in Detroit and will not be back to Salem Baptist Church of Chicago. Members at Salem Baptist Church of Chicago will not hear from me and see me ever again. I will unsubscribe from Salem Baptist Church of Chicago YouTube channel, stop receiving emails from staff at Salem Baptist Church of Chicago. I will only work and provide outreach to some churches in Flint and Southeast Michigan. Last time members and people will see me is on October 27, 2024. My gratitude and support goes out to members of Salem Church of Chicago going forward. After my church started the honesty and transparency initiative, more people have been coming to me and the church on social media and in

person. I will still have to think if I want to continue to do the live streaming for church services by communicating with my advisors and team.

I wasn't raised in a christian household and I cannot think of anything good that my mother and stepfather did spiritually while my sister and I grew up. My stepfather spoke with a lot of profanity while my sister and I grew up. I cannot think about anything good from my childhood except for having a roof over our head, clothes on our backs, and food on the table. When I think about 1 Thessalonians 5:21, I cannot think of anything good about what my mother and stepfather did in the household. They never read the bible and prevent us from going to church and bible study services.

Generous people will receive support:

1. When I am generous to others and help the poor and homeless people, it always comes back to me in support. I am grateful for that as a man of God and Bishop of the congregation.
2. Takers will not receive support from others and do not give to others. I am thinking about hoodlums and thuggish people asking people for money on the streets and not getting anything from others or other people not giving them nothing.
3. When I have money handy on me, I like to help people in need that are struggling like the homeless. I always make pledges to donate to the homeless ahead of time when I do not have money to hand to give and help them the next time I see them.
4. Good things happen to people that have high generosity and receive support from others.

Generous lifestyle and My generous lifestyle:

1. Compassionate to homeless and low-income individuals
2. Compassionate for street homeless people
3. Like to help in need in Detroit and Southeast Michigan

Generosity is part of my virtues as I have to complete a journal on my virtues at Star of Hope Mission in Houston with my case manager while in the Spiritual Recovery Program. I do not show love to my family members because they do not show love for me and put in the struggle to let me be homeless and live in poverty. First lady Jennifer's family provides more love towards me than my family members. Generosity needs to be reciprocal among family and friends to stop crime, violence and mental health. Generously need to be reciprocal in church because of strong love for others. There is so much violence in communities based on too many people with mental health problems. Families lack generosity towards others that is why people are homeless and living in poverty. I see and hear so many broken relationships in family and friends. It is the reason why families are so distant from each other with grudges. Families need to repair relationships with their family members and that why I support comments from former employee at Pacific Garden Mission named Mr. Freeman when he told homeless men in 2011 to talk and reunite with their families to get out of places like Pacific Garden Mission to be with families. Today, families do not have fruit of the spirit with families. I support more family reunions with families to unite families in this nation to end mental health, violence, depression and oppression. Families need to do this to repair their relationships, not government or public policy from the government.

Giving Time:

“Remember, the man who plants only a few seeds will not have much grain to gather. The man who plants many seeds will have much grain to gather. Each man should give as he has decided in his heart. He should not give, wishing he could keep it. Or he should not give if he feels he has to give. God loves a man who gives because he wants to give. God can give you all you need. He will give you more than enough. You will have everything you need for yourselves. And you will have enough left over to give when there is a need.”-2 Corinthians 9:6-8 (NLT)

Our church is dedicated to helping those in need through various community programs, such as Homelessness Financial Relief Program, Emergency Assistance Program, Free Credit Repair Program, Free Childcare Program. We're currently raising funds to expand our efforts and really could really use your support. Every donation, no matter how small, makes a big difference. We'll be transparent about how every dollar is used and share updates on the impact we are making together. Thank you for your generosity! Thank you so much for your interest in donating! You can contribute by visiting our church website or by attending our upcoming events we'll be accepting donations. We appreciate your support in helping us continue our community programs. Our website is ljccbc.yolasite.com