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#### How to Be Generous

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(Philippians 4:4) Rejoice in the Lord always and again I say rejoice.

#### Today's Big Idea

I choose joy when I choose to be  
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(Philippians 4 :14-19) It was good of you to share in my troubles. Moreover, as you Philippians know, in the early days of your acquaintance with the gospel, when I set out from Macedonia, not one church shared with me in the matter of giving and receiving, except you only; for even when I was in Thessalonica, you sent me aid more than once when I was in need. Not that I desire your gifts; what I desire is that more be credited to your account. I have received full payment and have more than enough. I am amply supplied, now that I have received from Epaphroditus the gifts you sent. They are a fragrant offering, an acceptable sacrifice, pleasing to God. And my God will meet all your needs according to the riches of his glory in Christ Jesus.

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(Acts 20:35) Remember the words that Jesus himself said, 'There's more happiness in giving than in receiving!'

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