



Living by Faith: Know Your ABC's  
 "Blessings: The Resources for those  
 who are Living by Faith"

1 Chronicles 29:10-20

Living by faith utilizes God-given gifts/abilities to manage  
God-given resources to accomplish God-ordained results.

**TRUTH: God has provided everything I need to fulfill  
 His plan for my life at this moment.**

**Our Giving God Is...**

**1. A God of \_\_\_\_\_—we can trust His \_\_\_\_\_  
 to give.** Verses 10-12

- 1) The biblical context of 1 Chronicles 29 is the assembly of the leaders of Israel by the king (first mentioned in chapter 23).
- 2) The historical context was King David's desire and plan to organize the Levites and inspire the nation to build God's temple in Jerusalem (see 1 Chron. 22: 6, 11, 19).

*Do you believe that God can and that He will?*

**2. A God of \_\_\_\_\_—we can trust His \_\_\_\_\_  
 to give.** Verses 12-14

NOTE: If God leads us to a \_\_\_\_\_, He has already provided the resources to \_\_\_\_\_ through it.

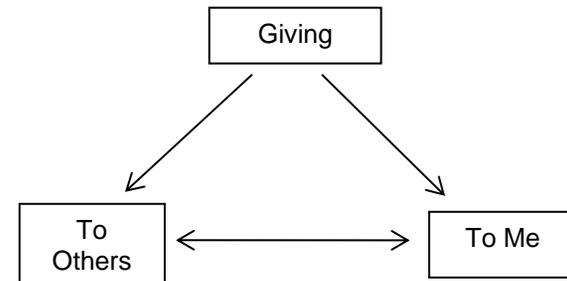
We have 2 problems:

- 1) We want resources \_\_\_\_\_ we don't need.
- 2) We want resources \_\_\_\_\_ we don't need them.

*If God has already given what we need, then what  
 we need most is His guidance and direction in  
 order to experience His provision.*

**3. A God of \_\_\_\_\_—we can trust His \_\_\_\_\_  
 to give.** Verses 15-20

**God's Partnership Pyramid**



**Observations about Blessings:**

- 1) We are \_\_\_\_\_ to God for what we do with His blessings.
- 2) Giving to others is giving to God when done according to His will.
- 3) Not giving to others who are needy is not giving to God if we are disobeying His will.
- 4) We are \_\_\_\_\_ without each other.

**An Action Plan worth enacting!**

1. Give to someone this week (no money please...be creative!).
2. Read the following every day for the next 7 days.

"No enterprise can exist for itself alone. It ministers to some great need, it performs some great service, not for itself, but for others; or failing therein it ceases to exist to be profitable and ceases to exist." (Calvin Coolidge)

**"God's Gift Of Giving"**

by Deborah Ann Belka

God's gift of giving, we all need to find,  
 so to make a difference to all of mankind.  
 For there are plenty who have not . . .  
 and we need to give some of what we've got.  
 God's gift of giving, we need to be open to  
 for there is so much for others we can do.  
 For there are so many, who need a new start  
 and we must be willing for God to do our part.  
 God's gift of giving is all in good measure . . .  
 when done with good cheer for someone else's pleasure!