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ECONOMIC TRANSFORMATION

Luke 6: 38

Background:

- Jesus came and stood on a level place vs 17. It signifies the equality all believers have in him
- He attended to the sick and Demon possessed so they too could benefit from this teaching
- There was a great multitude of people from different backgrounds

Discuss where DO you fit in this picture

Teaching (modus operandi: how it is done in the kingdom)

- GIVE: (discuss what each one understands by Giving: tithes, Offerings, free will gifts etc)
- Giving seems the only means of unlocking God's non general blessings for an individual. Compare with Mal 3: 10-11, Gal 6:7
- It will be GIVEN back (discuss various ways God gives back)
- With the same measure that you use, the same is used against you. (what kind of measure would you want to be used to bless you? And what are you using...)

Examples of men that Prospered in Scripture

Gen 26: 1-3 and 12-14 (Isaac)

- There was famine in the land: what do you understand by this? Vs1.
- God warns him against "going back to Egypt". What does this symbolize in our present day lives? Vs 1-3
- He Planted seed in that year... discuss what you understand by this. What would have happened if he delayed to plant vs12.
- The Lord blessed him vs 13-14. Compare with Lk 6: 38b. Discuss the various ways God blesses modern day Christians

Memorize: vs 13: "The man began to prosper, and he continued prospering until he became very prosperous"

- Encourage a testimony from members who have experienced this blessing in their lives

CONCLUSION

- God wants His people to live economically blessed lives Jn 10:10; Eph 3:20
- Giving unlocks God's blessings
- The Blessings of the Lord are self-inflicted. What each person Receives is determined by what they Give. 1 Cor 16:1.2; 2 Cor 9:7-11