

## **One More**

### *Life is Connected*

Galatians 6:7 Do not be deceived: God cannot be mocked. A man reaps what he sows. (NIV)

Genesis 8:22 “As long as the earth endures, seedtime and harvest, cold and heat, summer and winter, day and night will never cease.” (NIV)

### **4 Laws of Sowing and Reaping**

#### **1. You reap what you sow**

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Genesis 1:11-12 Then God said, “Let the land produce vegetation: seed-bearing plants and trees on the land that bear fruit with seed in it, according to their various kinds.” And it was so. <sup>12</sup> The land produced vegetation: plants bearing seed according to their kinds and trees bearing fruit with seed in it according to their kinds. And God saw that it was good. (NIV)

Matthew 5:7 Blessed are the merciful, for they will be shown mercy. (NIV)

Matthew 6:14-15 For if you forgive men when they sin against you, your heavenly Father will also forgive you. <sup>15</sup> But if you do not forgive men their sins, your Father will not forgive your sins. (NIV)

Matthew 7:1-2 “Do not judge, or you too will be judged. <sup>2</sup> For in the same way you judge others, you will be judged, and with the measure you use, it will be measured to you.” (NIV)

#### **2. You reap more than you sow**

Matthew 13:8 Still other seed fell on good soil, where it produced a crop—a hundred, sixty or thirty times what was sown. (NIV)

#### **3. You reap after you sow**

#### **4. You reap in proportion to what you sow**

2 Corinthians 9:6 Remember this: Whoever sows sparingly will also reap sparingly, and whoever sows generously will also reap generously. (NIV)

Luke 6:38 “Give, and it will be given to you. A good measure, pressed down, shaken together and running over, will be poured into your lap. For with the measure you use, it will be measured to you.” (NIV)

## TIME

Galatians 6:7–8 Don't be misled—you cannot mock the justice of God. You will always harvest what you plant.<sup>8</sup> Those who live only to satisfy their own sinful nature will harvest decay and death from that sinful nature. But those who live to please the Spirit will harvest everlasting life from the Spirit. (NLT)

2 Corinthians 5:10 For we must all appear before the judgment seat of Christ, so that each of us may receive what is due us for the things done while in the body, whether good or bad. (NIV)

## TALENT

Proverbs 11:25 The generous will prosper; those who refresh others will themselves be refreshed. (NLT)

## TREASURE

Proverbs 3:9–10 Honor God with everything you own; give him the first and the best.<sup>10</sup> Your barns will burst, your wine vats will brim over. (The Message)

Proverbs 11:24 One man gives freely, yet gains even more; another withholds unduly, but comes to poverty. (NIV)

Matthew 6:19–21 “Don't store up treasures here on earth, where moths eat them and rust destroys them, and where thieves break in and steal.<sup>20</sup> Store your treasures in heaven, where moths and rust cannot destroy, and thieves do not break in and steal.<sup>21</sup> Wherever your treasure is, there the desires of your heart will also be.” (NLT)

Galatians 6:9 Let us not become weary in doing good, for at the proper time we will reap a harvest if we do not give up. (NIV)