

## Reaping Your Harvest From Seed Sown

A good portion of Galatians chapter 6 is about sowing and reaping finances as we see in the following verses.

*Let him that is taught in the word communicate unto him that teacheth in all good things.*  
**(Galatians 6:6)**

*The one who is taught the word [of God] is to share all good things with his teacher [contributing to his spiritual and material support].* **(Galatians 6:6 AMPC)**

*The man under Christian instruction should be willing to **contribute towards the livelihood** of his teacher.* **(Galatians 6:6 PHILLIPS)**

*Those who are taught the Word of God should **help their teachers by paying them.***  
**(Galatians 6:6 TLB)**

Look at the next verse.

*Do not be deceived, God is not mocked; for **WHATEVER** a man sows, that he will also reap.*  
**(Galatians 6:7 NKJV)**

While we reap a harvest from **WHATEVER** we sow, **it is clear from Galatians 6:6 that verse 7 is specifically talking about financial seeds and financial harvests.**

But an **essential key to reaping** your harvest is found in **verse 9.**

*And let us not be **weary in WELL DOING:** for in due season we shall reap, **IF WE FAINT NOT.*** **(Galatians 6:9)**

Many translations say, *“**IF we do not give up.**”*

### **Do not give up on WHAT?**

1. We are not to give up on the law of seedtime and harvest (which means we keep sowing).
2. But also, we do not give up on the harvest from the seed we have already sown.

We are told not to get weary in “Well-Doing” and the well-doing is specifically talking about sowing financial seed. We don’t give up on sowing just because we haven’t reaped a harvest yet from past seed sown. Don’t ever get tired of giving or allow it to become a burden or a dread. Remember that God loves a “Cheerful Giver” this is because the excitement is evidence that we are giving in faith which is the only acceptable way to give. **(See 2 Corinthians 9:7, Hebrews 11:6)**

## Introduction to the Lord's Tithe

Please note that this is only an introduction to Tithing not a complete study.

*And ALL THE TITHE of the land, whether of the seed of the land, or of the fruit of the tree, IS THE LORD'S: it is HOLY unto the Lord. (Leviticus 27:30)*

**Tithe means "tenth".**

*You shall truly TITHE ALL THE INCREASE of your grain that the field produces year by year. (Deuteronomy 14:22 NKJV)*

*"Will a man rob God? Yet you have robbed Me! But you say, 'In what way have we robbed You?' In TITHES and offerings. (Malachi 3:8 NKJV)*

*Bring ye all the TITHES into the storehouse, that there may be meat in mine house, and prove me now herewith, saith the Lord of hosts, if I will not open you the windows of heaven, and pour you out a blessing, that there shall not be room enough to receive it. (Malachi 3:10)*

*...TEST ME now in this (Malachi 3:10 AMP)*

**...put me to the test, (Malachi 3:10 CJB)**

**Imagine the Lord God Almighty telling us to put Him to the test!**

Offerings were first mentioned with Cain and Abel in Genesis chapter 4.

Abraham brought a tithe to Melchizedek 430 years before the law.

*For this Melchizedek, king of Salem, priest of the Most High God, who met Abraham returning from the slaughter of the kings and blessed him, to whom also Abraham gave a tenth part of all, (Hebrews 7:1-2 NKJV) (Melchizedek blessed Abraham then Abraham tithed to him.)*

*And without all contradiction the less is blessed of the better. (Hebrews 7:7) (The spiritual blessing received by Abraham was greater than the material blessing (tithe) that was reciprocated.)*

Under the Law the eleven tribes of Israel tithed to the Levites (the twelfth tribe) (the priests).

*And indeed those who are of the sons of Levi, who receive the priesthood, have a commandment to receive tithes from the people according to the law, (Hebrews 7:5 NKJV)*

*And here men that die receive tithes; but there HE receiveth them, of whom it is witnessed that he liveth. (Hebrews 7:8)*

The rest of the 7<sup>th</sup> chapter of Hebrews makes clear that this refers to Jesus.

**As you bring tithes to men (here), Jesus receives those tithes (there).**

**How do you know that you REALLY believe these scriptures, principles, and promises?**

**You will be excited to hear more, learn more and DO MORE about Giving and Receiving (Sowing and Reaping) and Tithing,**

*But be DOERS of the word, and NOT HEARERS ONLY, deceiving yourselves. (James 1:22 NKJV)*