



## **Family Devotional**

### **Lesson 5 - I Worship God When I Give!**

**Our Bible Verse this week is Psalm 37:21. This verse tells us that godly people should be generous.**

**In our Bible Story, the believers in the early church demonstrate the attitude we should have about our possessions. Read Acts 4:32-35.**

### **Give It Away Now**

**Have each family member choose something that they can give away to a friend or someone from work or school. They must choose something that is in brand-new condition and is something of value to them. Include with the gift a card that explains why they are receiving this gift and asking the recipient to do the same thing by choosing a gift to give to someone in their life. Make a commitment as a family to do this regularly. When we make a practice of giving away things to others, it reminds us of what the early church knew: that nothing we have belongs to us and we should willingly and joyfully share with those around us.**

### **Give Your Time**

**Find a charitable organization in your area where you can volunteer as a family. (In addition to volunteering at church!) You might help keep a roadside or a park clean. You might visit people in a nursing home or hospital in your community. You might help at a local clothes closet or food distribution center. You might spend time making and mailing care packages to missionaries or to soldiers overseas. The important thing is to find something that you can consistently and regularly do as a family to give your time. Remind your family that when we give to others we are worshiping God.**