



## SESSION 4 - GROWING IN GENEROSITY

### SERIES BIG IDEA

We are genetically wired to be generous.

### MESSAGE BIG IDEA

We grow as we stretch ourselves beyond our genetic generosity.

### SCRIPTURE: 2 CORINTHIANS 8:1-15

### ICEBREAKER AND OPENING THOUGHT

Use this time to open your group and break the ice. The second question is designed to help groups become more comfortable with the topic of the day and to engage each other.

### BIBLE DISCUSSION

Read the scripture out loud and allow your group time to think through the questions.

### LIFE APPLICATION

Walk your group through these questions slowly. Hopefully, each person will have a few stories to share about generosity and how it has impacted them. Give them time to think through what this generosity says about ourselves and our normal tendencies. Encourage your group to see how generosity could stretch us and grow us.

### CHALLENGE

Spend time as a group dreaming about how you'd like to become generous in the coming year. How could you stretch yourself concerning finances, relationships, and serving? Make a plan to give back and end your group praying for each other's goals.