

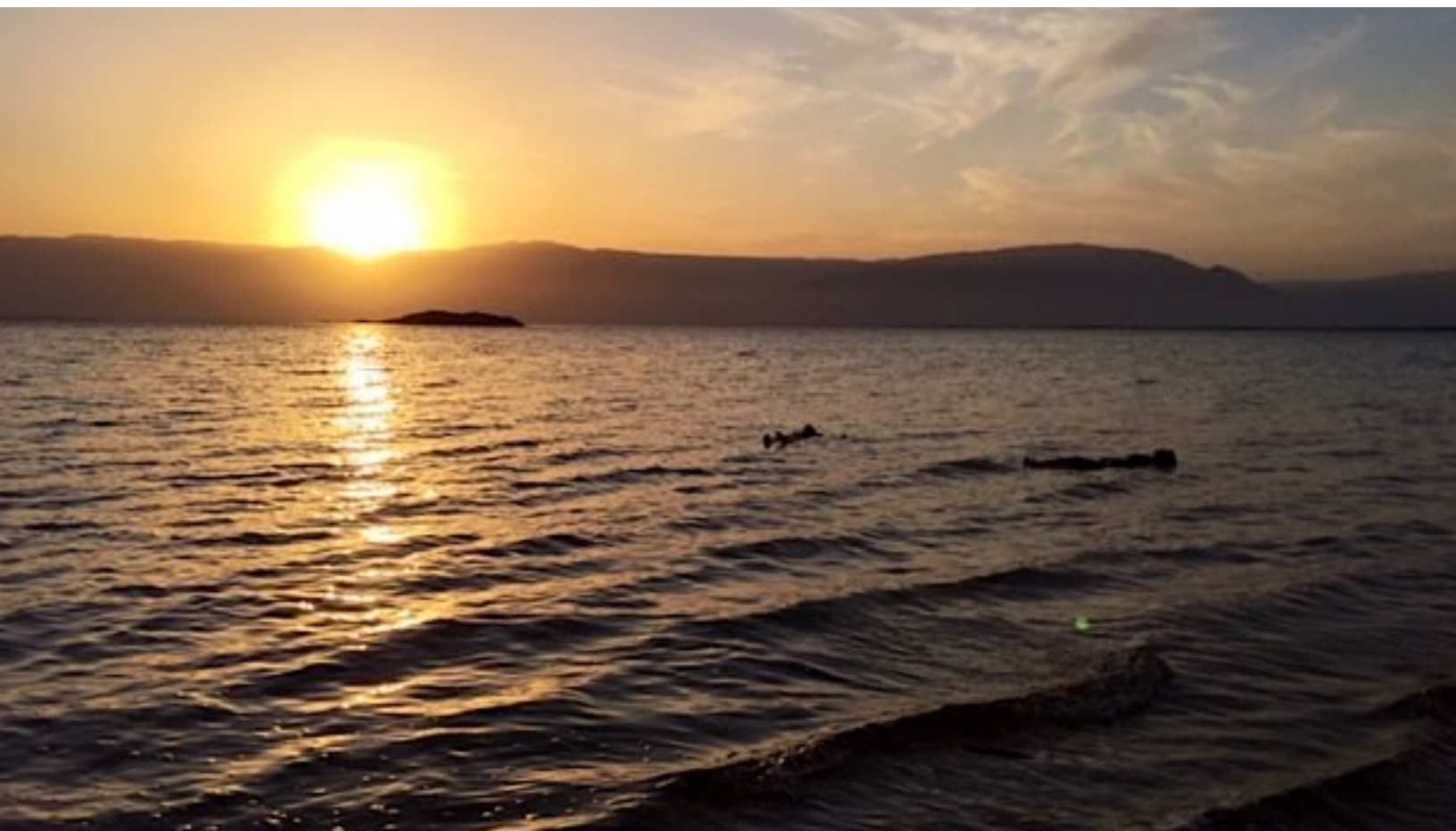


GIVE

UNLEASHING GOD TO BLESS YOU

PART 1

**The Heart of The Giver—
What God Wants Most**











IMMUTABLE LAW

— # 1 —

I have to give to live.

"It is more blessed to give than to receive."

ACTS 20:35

BLESSED:

**organically joyful and incessantly
satisfied in the abundance of God.**

*"Our capacity to give is one of the best
indications of mental health. I have known very
few generous people who were mentally ill."*

KARL MENNINGER

IMMUTABLE LAW

— # 2 —

**Abundant living flows
from generous giving.**

*"I have come that you might have life,
and have it more abundantly."*

JOHN 10:10



“Don’t worry and don’t keep saying, ‘What shall we eat, what shall we drink, what shall we wear?’ That’s what unbelievers always ask. But the Heavenly Father knows you need them all. So set your heart on his kingdom and righteousness, and all these things will come to you as a matter of course.”

MATTHEW 6:31-33



*"He will give these things to you if you
give him first place in your life."*

MATTHEW 6:33, LB

IMMUTABLE LAW

— # 3 —

**Where I put God first,
there God will bless.**

PUTTING GOD F.I.R.S.T.

F **Finances!** I must put God first in my money.

"Honor the Lord by giving him the first part of all your income, then he'll fill your barns with grain and overflow your vats with the finest wines."

PROVERBS 3:9-10

PUTTING GOD F.I.R.S.T.

Interests! I must put God first in my activities.

*"You must do everything for God's glory,
even your eating and drinking."*

1 CORINTHIANS 10:31, LB

PUTTING GOD F.I.R.S.T.

R

Relationships! I must put
God with people.

"Love the Lord your God with all your heart, soul, and mind.' This is the first and greatest commandment. The second most important is similar: 'Love your neighbor as much as you love yourself.'"

MATTHEW 22:37-39, LB

PUTTING GOD F.I.R.S.T.

S

Schedule! I must put God first on my calendar.

*"Teach us to make the most of our time,
so that we may grow in wisdom."*

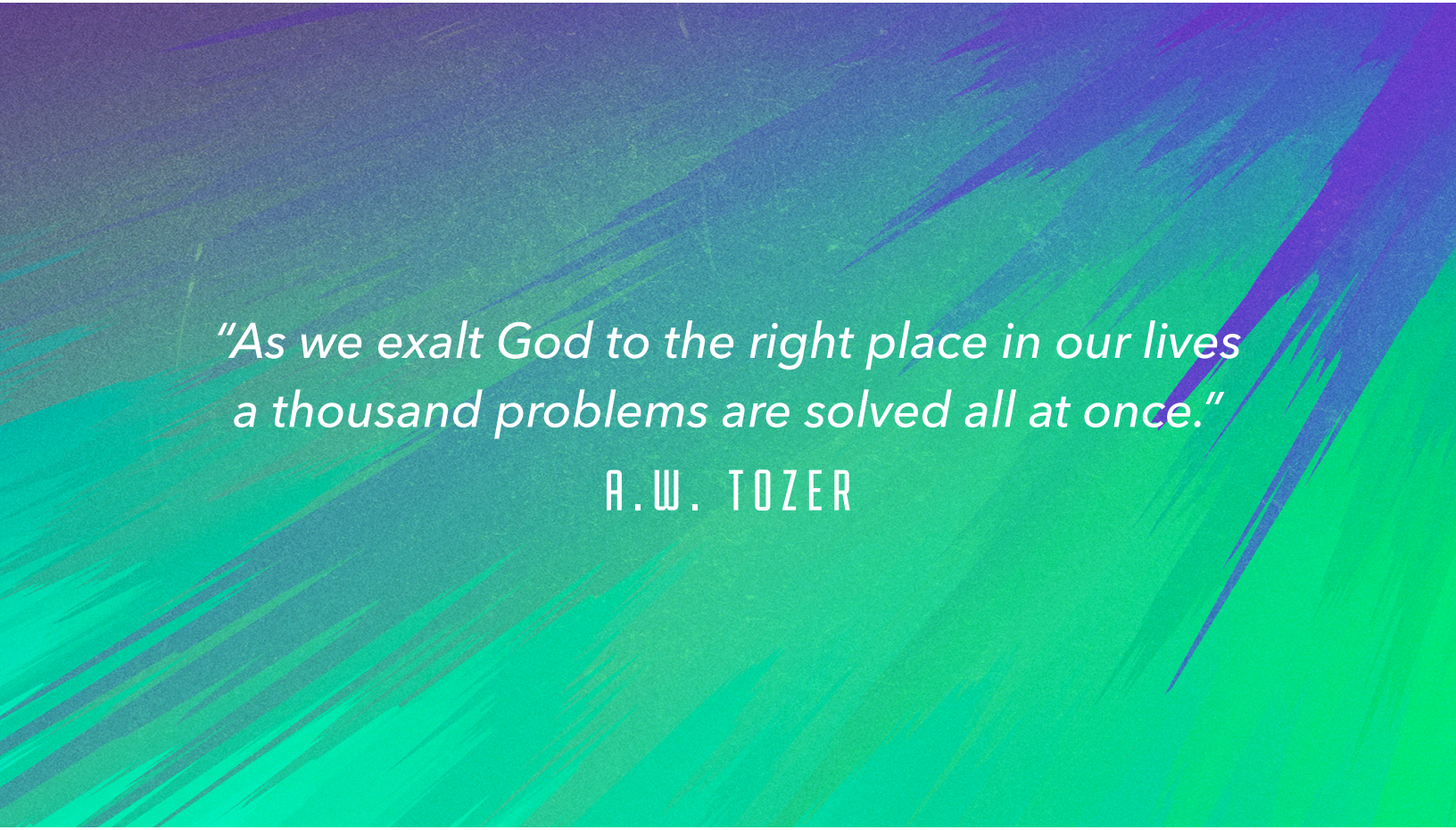
PSALM 90:12

PUTTING GOD F.I.R.S.T.

T **Troubles!** I must put God first in my problems.

*"I am happy to be weak and have troubles
so I can have Christ's power in me."*

2 CORINTHIANS 12:9-10, NIV



*"As we exalt God to the right place in our lives
a thousand problems are solved all at once."*

A.W. TOZER



"Jesus sat by the collection boxes in the Temple to watch people drop in their money. Some rich folk put in large amounts, but a poor widow put in two coins. He remarked to his disciples, 'She gave more than the others combined. They gave a little of their excess, while she gave up her last penny.'"

MARK 12:41-44

IMMUTABLE LAW
— # 4 —

My giving is private, but God knows.

He knows what is in my bank account,
and he knows what is in my heart.



"God hates what is forced; it is rather a tax than an offering. Cain served God grudgingly; he brought his sacrifice, not his heart."

THOMAS WATSON

IMMUTABLE LAW

— # 5 —

**By giving—to God, to others—I am,
in actuality, giving to myself!**

*“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.”*

LUKE 6:38

FIELD REPORT | MARCH '18

Launched in 2002

REGION	CHURCHES PLANTED	HEARD GOSPEL	NEW CONVERTS	BAPTISMS
ETHIOPIA - OROMIA	3,878	2,815,513	352,217	79,744

Launched in 2013

REGION	CHURCHES PLANTED	HEARD GOSPEL	NEW CONVERTS	BAPTISMS
SOUTH SUDAN	266	322,307	168,721	1,145

Launched in 2013

REGION	CHURCHES PLANTED	HEARD GOSPEL	NEW CONVERTS	BAPTISMS
UGANDA	83	213,450	49,605	7,067

4,227
CHURCHES PLANTED

3,351,270
HEARD GOSPEL

570,543
NEW CONVERTS

87,956
BAPTISMS



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