The Rival

Week 3: The Fight For Your Generosity

CCV Groups Discussion Guide

OPENING QUESTION:

What's the most radical act of generosity you have witnessed or heard of someone doing?

PLAY VIDEO: Intro From Mark

JOURNEY OF GENEROSITY WELCOME | 5 MINUTES

<u>Welcome</u> the group and <u>pray</u> for your experience together. Remind everyone of the <u>five</u> <u>guidelines</u>.

JOURNEY OF GENEROSITY GUIDELINES

We want this to be a safe place to learn and share, so here are a few guidelines to make this Journey of Generosity a positive experience for everyone.

- 1. Generosity is a journey, not a destination stay open to God's next invitation for you.
- 2. Refrain from giving unsolicited advice to others; it can feel like criticism.
- 3. Use "I" statements rather than "you" statements.
- 4. Sometimes someone might say something that is personal, and we want to make sure it stays within this group. Let's commit to confidentiality.
- 5. It's important to participate but not dominate. Leave room for others to share.

VIDEO #1 & DISCUSSION | 20 MINUTES

PLAY VIDEO: Clint & Jami Kaeb

DISCUSSION QUESTIONS:

- What stood out to you?
- Clint and Jami shared that their decisions have involved sacrifice at times. What could sacrificial generosity look like for you?

- Clint and Jami mentioned an income cap which allowed them to give three times more that they had given in the past. Have you ever heard of this idea? What are the benefits of a decision like this?
- If you have children, what do you think about involving them in your giving decisions?

VIDEO #2 & DISCUSSION | 15 MINUTES

PLAY VIDEO: John Mark Comer

DISCUSSION QUESTIONS:

- In the past or present, what have you wrestled with regarding what God says about money?
- What do you typically hear that your family or friends struggle with in the area of tithing/generosity?

CLOSING

To close the time, ask...

What has been your biggest takeaway from The Rival series?

- Fight for Your Heart
- Fight for Your First
- Fight for Your Generosity

What has challenged or encouraged you during this 3-week Journey of Generosity?

CLOSE IN PRAYER

COACH, please scan and provide feedback from your group's experience. It is very helpful, thank you!

