



be a part of the *Story*

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Acts 4:33–35

- What is our treasure?
 - The resurrection of Jesus points past this life. I Corinthians 15:17–19

- Treasured grace brings giving hearts. Matthew 6:19–21
Here's the plan:
 - 1) Give 10% Malachi 3:10
 - 2) Save 10% Proverbs 21:20
 - 3) Pay bills and fear debt Proverbs 22:7
 - 4) Enjoy I Timothy 6:17

- What is Houston's greatest need? Jesus

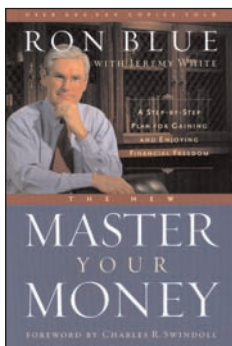
- Christ is our true Treasure! Luke 18:22
 - God is leading us forward:
Occasional Giver —————> Tither —————> over and above giver

 - How ya givin'? How ya livin'?

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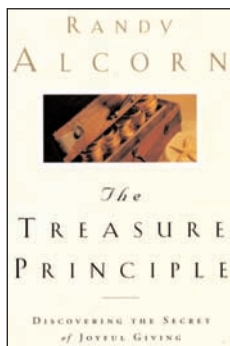


Pastor Gregg Recommends!

The New Master Your Money by Ron Blue with Jeremy White.

The Treasure Principle by Randy Alcorn.

Available in The Garden Bookstore and The Sloan Memorial Library



Ready To Get In The Game?

Visit HoustonsFirst.org and click on the button shown here. You'll be taken to a listing of nearly 100 opportunities to volunteer! Scan the whole list, or jump straight to a ministry that interests you.

Then, complete and submit a brief online form and a team leader will contact you soon!



While every team is taking volunteers, here are some of our particular needs right now. Look for these online or contact the team leader below for more information.

- 1. Event Team (Married Young Adults).** Volunteers will gather for the purpose of providing fun, romantic, and exciting opportunities for couples to fellowship and grow as a community for Christ. From Valentine's Day Dinners to Intramural Sports, the Event Team serves the families of HFBC through creating opportunities for deepening friendships and making new connections. (Eric Reed; eric.reed@hfbc.org; 713.957.7680)
- 2. First Fest (Recreation Ministry).** Come be a part of an annual HFBC tradition where our kids are given a safe alternative to Halloween. Volunteers will assist by overseeing the various games and booths. (Bill Wise; bill.wise@hfbc.org; 713.957.6700)
- 3. What An Event! (Special Events).** Volunteers will serve as assistants to the Event Manager for large conferences, concerts, weddings and dinners. These individuals will insure that all requests are met and that the church policy is followed. Duties will include overseeing set-up and take-down of large events and handling of last minute emergencies. (Jacque Killingsworth; jacque.killingsworth@hfbc.org; 713.957.5843)
- 4. Clothes Closet (Mission Training Center).** Volunteers will sort donations and assist the needy in choosing clothing. This is a great way to show Jesus' love. (Claudia Reyes; claudia.reyes@hfbc.org; 713.681.3521)
- 5. The "Lunch Bunch" (Culinary Services).** Volunteers will give the school kids a new definition for "Lunch Lady!" Bless our school age kids with quick and healthy food at FBA's Cafeteria. (Paul Sofka; paul.sofka@hfbc.org; 713.957.5840)