

QUESTIONS ABOUT
**MY
MONEY**

Can I Give My Two Cents Worth?

Mark 12:41-44

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1. Jesus knows *how* we give (41).
 2. Jesus knows *what* we give (42, 43).
 3. Jesus praises the gifts of *true sacrifice* (44).
- She is an example of:
- Having *faith* in God (11, 12).
 - Rendering to God that which He *deserves* (12:17).
 - *loving* God (12:30).

taking it
home

{ notes for small group,
family & personal study
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keeping it real

- 1 What makes sacrifice so distasteful? If you are a parent, how did becoming a parent sign you up for sacrifice? What do you now know about sacrifice that you did not really understand prior to becoming as parent?

look at the book

- 2 Describe the various facets of sacrifice from the life of Jesus Christ as you examine the following verses.
 - a. Philippians 2:5-11
 - b. Hebrews 12:1-2
 - c. Mark 10:45
 - d. Luke 15:11-32
 - e. Luke 22:39-44
 - f. Matthew 16:21

- 3 We are called to live lives of sacrifice as followers of Jesus Christ (Matthew 16:24-25; Romans 12:1-2). What does this look like in real life? How would you struggle here?

the next step

- 4 2 Samuel 24:24 records powerful words from the mouth of King David that picture what it means to give sacrificially as an act of worship. Read the story leading up to these words. What (in terms finances, trust, habits, time, energy...) do you believe God has been asking you to sacrifice for Him?