

## 18. Tithes and Offerings

### Tithes

The Melchizedek, king of Salem brought out bread and wine. He was priest of God Most High, and he blessed Abram [Abraham], saying “

“Blessed be Abram by God Most High,  
Creator of heaven and earth.

And blessed be God Most High,  
who delivered your enemies into your hand.”

Then Abram gave him a tenth of everything. (Genesis 14:18-20 NIV)

Bring the best of the firstfruits of your soil to the house of the Lord your God. (Exodus 23:19; 34:26 NIV)

Honor the Lord with thy substance and with the firstfruits of all thine increase: So that thy barns be filled with plenty, and thy presses shall burst out with new wine. (Proverbs 3:9-10 KJV)

Bring ye all the tithes into the storehouse, that there may be meat in mine house, and prove me now herewith, saith the Lord of hosts, if I will not open you the windows of heaven, and pour you out a blessing, that there shall not be room enough to receive it. (Malachi 3:10 KJV)

### Offerings

Remember this: Whosoever sows sparingly will also reap sparingly, and whosoever sows generously will also reap generously. Each man should give what he has decided in his heart to give, not reluctantly or under compulsion, for God loves a cheerful giver. (2 Cor. 9:6-7 NIV)



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ABRAM	GIVE	POUR-YOU-OUT
BEST	GIVER	PRIEST
BRING	HIGH	ROOM
CHEERFUL	HOUSE	SPARINGLY
ENEMIES	INCREASE	STOREHOUSE
EVERYTHING	KING	SUBSTANCE
FILLED	MELCHIZEDEK	TENTH
FIRST-FRUIT	MOST	TITHE
GENEROUSLY	PLENTY	WINDOW