

# Fundraising vs. Biblical Stewardship

## Fundraising (Traditional Stewardship)

Method

Giving to (budgets, church, needs)

Man's view

Appeal for loyalty to missions

Raise money

Focus on what the church wants

Better church members

Allow Christians to bring excuses

Fair share, quotas, needs

Consider giving a burden

Legalistic, man-imposed devices

## Biblical Stewardship

Theology

Giving from what God gives

God's view

God's love in Christ

Raise men

Focus on what God wants

Stronger Christians

Teach Christians how to bear fruit

First fruits and proportionate giving

Christian giving is a joy

Let the Holy Spirit guide