

# SHARING

*Ephesians 4: 25-32*

## FALL IN LOVE WITH GOD WEEK FOUR – SHARING

Tell them to use their money to do good. They should be rich in good works and generous to those in need, always being ready to share with others.

By doing this they will be storing up their treasure as a good foundation for the future so that they may experience true life.

1 Timothy 6:18-19 NLT

### **The Mathematician's Formula for Greatest Profit..!!** MoralStories26.com

Once in a town lived a very greedy rich man. The rich man ordered a big safe to be built and he wanted to fill it with gold and jewels. So one day he hired a Mathematician to find the best way for him to make the greatest profit in everything he did.

The Mathematician studied for months before he found the solution.

One night, the Mathematician had a big smile on his face. Next day, he went to the rich man's house and said, "I found it..! My calculations are perfect..!"

The rich man didn't have time to listen to him, as he had to leave for a long journey. So he said to the Mathematician, "I promise I will pay you double wages when I come back but only if you take charge of my business and put the new formula into practice." The Mathematician was very excited and he delightedly accepted the proposal.

Months later when the rich man returned, he found that all his possessions were gone. He was furious and went to the Mathematician to ask for an explanation. The Mathematician calmly told him that he had given away everything to people in need. The rich man couldn't believe it and was very angry.

The Mathematician explained his formula to the rich man, "I studied for months but every way I found was always limited as there's a limit to how much one man can do by himself. Then I understood the key was that many people could help us to achieve the aim. So the conclusion was that helping others was the best way to get more and more people to benefit us."

The rich man was disappointed and furious over the Mathematician's act and went out. While he was walking away, several neighbors came to him and were worried about him. All of them had been helped by the rich man's fortune. They were grateful to him and offered him to be a guest in their houses. Over the next few days, wherever he went, he was received with great honor and everyone was willing to help him in whatever way he or she could.

Now, the rich man could see the results of what the Mathematician had calculated. He realized that helping others had given him much, much more. In this way, he managed to quickly set up flourishing businesses, but this time he followed the brilliant Mathematician's advice. Now he no longer kept his money in his safe, instead he shared his fortune among people, whose hearts were grateful.

### **Moral: Helping and Sharing with Others give the Ultimate Happiness and Riches.**

When we share – that is the poetry in the prose of life.  
Sigmund Freud

Reach out to each other. Hands often speak, as voices can't. A warm embrace conveys volumes. A laugh together unites us. A moment of sharing refreshes our souls.

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