

RIGHT ON THE MONEY Exploding the Myth



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1 CHRONICLES 29:1-12

Then King David said to the whole assembly: "My son Solomon, the one whom God has chosen, is young and inexperienced. The task is great, because palatial structure is not for man but for the Lord God. With all my resources I have provided for the temple of my God – gold for the gold work, silver for the silver, bronze for the bronze, iron for the iron and wood for the wood, as well as onyx for the settings, turquoise, stones of various colors, and all kinds of fine stone and marble – all of these in large quantities (vv. 1-2).

Besides, in my devotion to the temple of my God I now give my personal treasures of gold and silver for the temple of my God, over and above everything I have provided for this holy temple (v. 3).

Now, who is willing to consecrate themselves to the Lord today?" (v. 5b).

Then the leaders of the families, the officers of the tribes of Israel, the commanders of thousands and commanders of hundreds, and the officials in charge of the king's work gave willingly. They gave toward the work on the temple of God . . . Anyone who had precious stones gave them to the treasury of the temple of the Lord (vv. 6-8).

The people rejoiced because they had offered so willingly, for they made their offering to the Lord with a whole heart, and King David also rejoiced greatly (v. 9). NASB

•	Ownership:
•	Stewardship:

THREE TRUTHS THAT ARE RIGHT ON THE MONEY:

	1.	Everything	to God.	
		Yours, Lord, is the greatness are and the majesty and the splend and earth is Yours. Yours, Lord exalted as head over all (v. 11).	or, for everything in heaven , is the kingdom; you are	
	2.	Everything f	rom God.	
		Wealth and honor come from ye things (v. 12a).	ou; you are the ruler of all	
		You may say to yourself, "My po- hands have produced this weal Lord your God, for it is he who o produce wealth Deuteronon	th for me." But remember the gives you the ability to	
	3.	Everything is	by God.	
		In your hands are strength and power to exalt and give strength to all (v. 12b).		
	Your power is great, and your glory is seen everywhere in heaven and on earth. You are king of the entire world, ¹² and you rule with strength and power. You make people rich and			

powerful and famous (vv. 11-12). CEV