



Cultivating Second Chair Leaders

Conversations about living out servant leadership in the second chair

Episode #13: Optimize Finances

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On this episode of Cultivating Second Chair Leaders we talk about pursuing behaviors which promote optimal use of God-given financial resources. With the help of guest Sarah Olson (@sarah_a_olson), we frame our conversation around defining generous giving and living and how each generation provides an important perspective that shapes how we serve God with our resources.

Quotes for Reflection

- “Jesus is approaching the end of his life, invests in relationships and invites us to serve. He shows first and invites second.”
- “We get to trust each other’s strengths and lean into our area of expertise in order for the whole to accomplish our goal.”
- “God continues to teach his people to leave a margin for those in need...to give out of the abundance of what we have.”

Scripture for Reflection

- John 13:1-17
- Matthew 6:19-24

Engagement Questions/Next Steps

- How do you manage the tensions of being a leader and team player in your setting? How do you help build unity?
- How does the understanding of generational perspective teach you about how to talk about financial giving in your organization and/or area of influence?
- Organizations can embrace transparency, communicate impact and teach about generosity. How is your organization doing when it comes to these processes?
- What about *[Insert org of your choice]* makes you want to give? To be generous? Pose this question to those in your organization and collect their responses.

We would love to hear insight from your discussion. You can send an email to emily@kindleservantleaders.org and we may share your story in the future!