

Exodus 35:20-21, 36:4-6 (NASB)

²⁰Then all the congregation of the sons of Israel departed from Moses' presence. ²¹Everyone whose heart stirred him and everyone whose spirit moved him came and brought the Lord's contribution for the work of the tent of meeting and for all its service and for the holy garments.

⁴And all the skillful men who were performing all the work of the sanctuary came, each from the work which he was performing, ⁵and they said to Moses, "The people are bringing much more than enough for the construction work which the Lord commanded us to perform." ⁶So Moses issued a command, and a proclamation was circulated throughout the camp, saying, "Let no man or woman any longer perform work for the contributions of the sanctuary." Thus the people were restrained from bringing any more.

SERMON NOTES

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Learning Generosity

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Their hearts stirred them

A new way to live (give) – listen TO your heart, IN your heart

Gethsemane

"Freely you have received, freely give." - Jesus (Matthew 10:8)

Generous with forgiveness and leadership

"What! Do you not have houses in which to eat and drink? Or do you despise the church of God and shame those who have nothing? What shall I say to you? Shall I praise you? In this I will not praise you."

1 Corinthians 11:22

"Were the whole realm of nature mine,
That were a present far too small;
Love so amazing, so divine
Demands my soul, my life, my all."

–Isaac Watts