



# Generosity Challenge

Be a generous family in action.















Use the prompts on the following page to practice being generous as a family.



Generous acts are easier than you think and can look like: sharing kind words, sharing your resources, providing donations, sharing your abilities, providing your time to serve, and more.





Your family can use the Generosity Challenge in a few ways:

#### Option #1

Go through the chart all month long and randomly pick a prompt.

Note: Don't feel pressured to do this challenge daily. You can choose a column or row, or go through the chart in whatever way fits your family's natural rhythm.

#### Option #2

Make a list of resources and abilities your family has to give to others.

#### Option #3

Put the list in a place your whole family can see (the fridge, a mirror, in the car, etc.).





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## Share Kind Words



### Share Your Time

# Share Your Resources

Share an encouraging and sincere word with everyone you see today.

Teach someone something new they want to learn.

Go through your closets and donate gently used items to a local shelter.

Celebrate a significant accomplishment of someone outside your family with handmade signs and balloons.

When you're running errands, choose to give up your spot in line to someone else.

Go through toy boxes and donate gently used items to a local shelter, used toy drive, or childcare center.

Decorate bookmarks using index cards with an encouraging message for teachers or school staff.

Make a meal for another family.

Leave an extra tip for your server the next time you go to a restaurant.

Make thank you cards and leave them on your porch for a delivery driver (snacks and bottled water, too!).

Plan a day and time when your family can serve at a local outreach or shelter.

Collect loose change around your house, car, and wallet. Take it to a local Salvation Army bell ringer.

Share kind words to someone who is rude to you or has inconvenienced you.

Invite another family over for a game night to share laughter and friendship.

Give a secret, anonymous gift to a friend, neighbor, or co-worker.

Decorate Christmas cards and deliver them to a local nursing home or Children's hospital. Offer to help an elderly neighbor or friend with a manual chore.

Ask your local church if there is someone in need your family can help with a donation.

Record a fun video of your family and send it to a friend or family member to remind them of how much you love them.

Research local food drives in your community and collect canned goods from friends and neighbors.

Ask a local school if you could pay off a child's lunch debt.

Send a letter to someone you want to thank for their effort, time, or relationship. Gather all the loose carts in the parking lot of a store you frequent. Return them to the cart stations.

Grab an ornament from a local giving tree and buy items for that child, teen, or adult.

Decorate place cards for your next family dinner with qualities about each person that you love.

Visit a local park and pick up trash together.

Pay for another family's groceries while at your local grocery store.



