MiniChurch Discussion Questions	Robbing God
	Malachi 3:7-12
Paraphrase or summarize main thought:	Pastor Zac Nazarian   Jul 3-4, 2021
	What are your expectations of God?
My commitment:	
	Has He met these expectations?
Analysis Questions:	
<ul> <li>What is the main idea of this passage?</li> </ul>	Does Christianity "work" for you? Why? / Why not?
<ul> <li>What does it teach me about God the Father, the Son, and the Holy Spirit?</li> </ul>	
<ul><li>Is there a truth that is timeless?</li></ul>	What were Israel's expectations of God? How would He meet their expectations?
<ul> <li>Is there a command for me to obey?</li> </ul>	
<ul> <li>Is there an example for me to follow?</li> </ul>	
<ul> <li>Is there a sin I should repent of?</li> </ul>	
<ul><li>Is there a promise I can trust? Is it conditional?</li></ul>	
<ul> <li>Is there a warning I should heed?</li> </ul>	According to Malachi, what were the people guilty of?

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What has been the message of all of Israel's prophets, including Malachi?	How does God challenge His people? You?
What part has repentance played in your life? Is there need of repentance now?	In this context, to "test" God would be an act of
	What would the people discover if they did what God said?
Should giving be a legalistic prescription or an act of and	The real issue here in <i>Malachi 3</i> is not
and	but
In the questions Israel asks, are they looking for information or are they and	
?	How does 2 Corinthians 9:6-13 differ from Malachi 3:7-12?
When have you complained or disputed with God? Over what issue?	
	Are you "Robbing God" in any way — time, resources,
	abilities/talents, relationships?
Why was the "tithe" so important?	