

FREESONGS Packet from WholeHearted Worship

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Song: Generous God, by Reese LeRoy

ABOUT THE SONG

Generous God, by Reese LeRoy, was written to celebrate the bounty of God's giving nature. The idea for the song came to Reese as he was on a "prayer run." As Reese was giving thanks for the simple ability to run, he realized that his tendency is to only see God's blessings in the "big stuff" and to ignore the daily blessings of life that are all around him... not the least of which is God's great gift of his Son, Jesus. What generosity!

Reese's desire for this song is not only that it would provide an expression of thanks to God for his great generosity, but that it would be a prayer for us to reflect God's generosity in our lives.

ABOUT THE RECORDING

Generous God is the title song from a recorded collection of worship songs by Reese, produced by his friend, Eric Darken, who is a percussionist and producer in Nashville, TN. In this song, Reese carries the lead vocals; background vocalists are Lisa Beville, Bonnie Keen, and Gary Pigg. Eric Darken provided the rhythm and percussion; Matt Pierson played bass, Gary Burnett, guitars and Tom Wanca, the B-3. You can order your own copy of this collection through WholeHearted Worship, by calling 1-800-950-7288. Ask for **Generous God**.

ABOUT THE AUTHOR

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Generous God

Reese LeRoy

Bm Bm

1. Gen-er-ous God, you showed your love
you give so much,

6 G D A Bm

you gave us Je-sus, your on-ly Son. Ev-en while we were your en-e-my
your great com-pas-sion, your heal-ing touch Strength to the weak, sight to the blind,

10 G D A Gmaj7 Bm

you paid our ran-som, you set us free (So) we come to thank you 'cause dai-ly you prove that
you give your bless-ing time af-ter time

15 Em A Gmaj7 Bm

you are a gen-er-ous God, We want to mir-ror you, in all that we do and

19 Em 1. A G A Em

hon-or you, gen-er-ous God, gen-er-ous God.

24 A 2. A D.S. 3. A G A Em

Gen-er-ous God We come to gen-er-ous God.

30 1. A optional vamp 2. A (no chord) Amaj7 C#m

We come to thank you 'cause dai-ly you prove that

34 F#m B Amaj7 C#m F#m

you are a gen-er-ous God, We want to mirror you, in all that we do and hon-or you, gen-er-ous God,

39 1. B 2. B A B F#m B optional vamp E

We come to gen-er-ous God.

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6/8 Intro: || **Bm** | **Bm** | **Bm** | **Bm**

vs. 1 || **Bm** | **G**
Generous God, you showed your love
| **D** | **A**
You gave us Jesus, your only Son
| **Bm** | **G**
Even while we were your enemy
| **D** | **A**
You paid our ransom, you set us free

chorus ||: **Gmaj7** | **Bm**
So we come to thank you cause daily you prove
| **Em** | **A**
That you are a generous God
| **Gmaj7** | **Bm**
And we want to mirror you in all that we do
| **Em** | **A** :||: **G** | **A** | **Em** | **A** :||
And honor you, generous God, generous God.

vs. 2 || **Bm** | **G**
Generous God, you give so much
| **D** | **A**
Your great compassion, your healing touch
| **Bm** | **G**
Strength to the weak, sight to the blind
| **D** | **A** (**to chorus**)
You give your blessing time after time

modulated chorus

||: **Amaj7** | **C#m** | **F#m** | **B** | **Amaj7** | **C#m** | **F#m** | **B** :||: **A** | **B** | **F#m** | **B** :|| etc.

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Generous God, you showed your love
You gave us Jesus, your only Son
Even while we were your enemy
You paid our ransom, you set us free

We come to thank you 'cause daily you prove
That you are a generous God
We want to mirror you in all that we do
And honor you, generous God, generous God.

Generous God, you give so much
Your great compassion, your healing touch
Strength to the weak, sight to the blind
You give your blessing time after time

We come to thank you 'cause daily you prove
That you are a generous God
We want to mirror you in all that we do
And honor you, generous God. (repeat)
Generous God.

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