

Key Scripture:

Luke 6:37 NLT

Give, and you will receive. Your gift will return to you in full—pressed down, shaken together to <u>make room</u> for more, running over, and poured into your lap.

The amount you give will determine the amount you get back.

Do you want to believe?

Mark 6:51-52 TLB

51 They just sat there, unable to take it in! 52 For <u>they still didn't realize who He was</u>, <u>even after the miracle the evening before! For they didn't want to believe!</u>

Making Room for the wrong things...

✓ Procrastination.

Matthew 14:13 NKJV

When it was evening, His disciples came to Him, saying,

"This is a deserted place, and the hour is already late.

✓ Selfishness.

Mark 6:35 TLB

"Tell the people to go away..."

✓ <u>Worry</u> and stress.

Mark 6:37 NIV

"That would take eight months of a man's wages!

Are we to go and spend that much on bread and give it to them to eat?"

Jesus did many miracles!

John 21:25 NIV

Jesus did many other things as well. If every one of them were written down, I suppose that even *the whole world would not have room* for the books that would be written.

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Make Room

For Miracles

Make Room for Miracles

1. Recognize the need.

Matthew 14:15-16 NKJV

15 When it was evening, His disciples came to Him, saying,

"This is a deserted place, and the hour is already late.

Send the multitudes away, that they may go into the villages and buy themselves food."

16 But Jesus said to them, "They do not need to go away..."

2. Take personal responsibility.

Mark 6:37 NIV

But He answered, "You give them something to eat."

✓ <mark>Take</mark> Inventory -

Mark 6:38 Message

"How many loaves of bread do you have? **Take an inventory.**"

- ✓ Make a system Mark 6:40 So they sat down in groups of hundreds and fifties.
- **/ Faith** that God has a plan.

John 6:5-6 Message

5 When Jesus looked out and saw that a large crowd had arrived, He said to Philip,
"Where can we buy bread to feed these people?"

6 <u>He said this to stretch Philip's faith. He already knew what He was going to do.</u>

3. Give God what you have.

Matthew 14:17 CEV

"We have only five small loaves of bread and two fish."

Matthew 14:19 NIV

Then <u>He gave them to the disciples, and the disciples gave them to the people.</u>

4. **Believe** Jesus for more and live in the overflow!

Matthew 14:20-21 CEV

20 <u>After everyone had eaten all they wanted</u>, <u>Jesus' disciples picked up twelve</u> <u>large baskets of leftovers.</u> 21 There were about five thousand men who ate, not counting the women and children.

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