



## Advent Conspiracy – Week 2: Give More & Love All

Main Text: John 1:1–14

Big Idea: God's greatest gift wasn't something He bought—it was Himself. This Christmas, we give more by giving more of ourselves—our time, our presence, and our love.

### 1. Opening Question

When you think back on past Christmases, what's one gift that was especially meaningful to you—and why?

Was it expensive, or was it personal? What made it memorable?

### Discussion Questions

- According to John 1, how did God give to us?
- What does it mean that “the Word became flesh and dwelt among us” in terms of relationship and presence?
- Why do you think it's easier to buy a gift than to give of yourself (time, energy, attention)?
- How does the world define “giving more,” and how does Jesus redefine it?
- Pastor Kevin suggested gifts that help us slow down and connect (like collecting letters or making ornaments together). What are some ways your family or group could give relational gifts this season?
- How can you be more present with the people around you this Christmas?
- What distractions usually keep you from slowing down and being present?
- Jesus' love reached beyond His closest friends to the world. How can we use this season to show God's love beyond our inner circle—especially to those in need?

### Application / Challenge

- Choose one intentional way this week to “Give More” by giving yourself—your time, encouragement, or presence—to someone else.
- Consider how your group might join together in giving toward the Dominican Republic church project.

Closing Prayer: Thank God for the gift of Jesus—His presence among us. Ask for help to slow down and give more of ourselves in love this Christmas. Pray for those who will be blessed through the church mission project.