



The Steward's Checklist:

7 AREAS TO EVALUATE BEFORE YOU GIVE



Use this checklist to prayerfully consider any organization and ensure your generosity makes an eternal impact.

- ☐ **1. MISSION CLARITY**
 - Does the charity have a clear, concise mission statement?
 - Do their programs and activities directly support that stated mission?
- ☐ **2. FINANCIAL ACCOUNTABILITY**
 - Is the organization a member in good standing of the **ECFA**?
 - Are their audited financial statements accessible, either on their website or upon request?
- ☐ **3. PROVEN IMPACT**
 - Do they share specific stories and results, not just general statistics?
 - Are updates on accomplishments and ministry impact shared throughout the year?
- ☐ **4. GOOD GOVERNANCE**
 - Is there a list of their board of directors available?
 - Does the leadership demonstrate a commitment to accountability?
- ☐ **5. STEWARDSHIP & USE OF FUNDS**
 - Does the charity clearly communicate how donations are used?
 - Do they demonstrate good stewardship of both financial gifts and other resources?



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