

## Matthew 6:1-4 **Commandments of Jesus regarding Alms – Charitable deeds**

<sup>1</sup> "Take heed that you do not do your charitable deeds before men, to be seen by them. Otherwise you have no reward from your Father in heaven. <sup>2</sup> Therefore, when you do a charitable deed, do not sound a trumpet before you as the hypocrites do in the synagogues and in the streets, that they may have glory from men. Assuredly, I say to you, they have their reward. <sup>3</sup> But when you do a charitable deed, do not let your left hand know what your right hand is doing, <sup>4</sup> that your charitable deed may be in secret; and your Father who sees in secret will Himself reward you openly. NKJV

### Facts Revealed:

- ✚ Take heed that you do not do your charitable deeds before men, to be seen by them.
- ✚ When you do a charitable deed, do not sound a trumpet before you.
- ✚ When you do a charitable deed, do not let your right hand know what your left hand is doing, that your charitable deed may be in secret.
  - ✧ If we want our reward to come from God we must keep our good deeds quiet and confidential.
  - ✧ If we receive recognition and acclaim from man, we have received all the reward we are due.
  - ✧ If we do it in secret, God will reward us openly.