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| **Subject: Reminder: Rick here's a couple of sample texts to ask for monthly gifts** **An all-inclusive plan must include a monthly or reoccurring donor strategy, there are just too many benefits...**

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| **Dear Rick,****This week we are going to review some pointers on monthly givers or monthly giving strategies.****But first, not that any of you really need it, here's some simple math:****The average median one-time or special gift is $150/year.****The average monthly gift is $30.****That's an annual difference of $210 or an increase of 240%.** **However, with a retention rate of 25% for one-time givers and 80% for monthly givers the difference is monumental.** **For example, if you have 10 donors give you a one-time gift & 10 more donors give you a monthly gift, the 5 year cumulative impact is an astonishing $10,109 or a 607% increase.****Here's 5 simple tips to strengthen your strategy for raising up more monthly partners:*** **Create a value statement-proposition that demonstrates your need for monthly giving.**
* **Make sure you have a dedicated webpage and/or giving page for monthly giving.**
* **Use social proofing statements and testimonials expressing the benefits of monthly giving both for the ministry and the partner.**
* **Make sure and develop well thought out monthly donation request "scripts" or text.** [**Here's a couple of examples.**](https://urldefense.proofpoint.com/v2/url?u=https-3A__r20.rs6.net_tn.jsp-3Ff-3D001kIfnLMZvOjhOrjgwCuFnad4ZtGFpK0LMJXgwX-2DJnwoNp6clYR-2DovPCZXwRf-2DeBung7uAe3BgpWRvbsvqdNNaUqgNBqYdYFqBqRQ7d6At4ep0Nr-5FCRbzV5Y9qwaFop8qhxngA45dydoRbP8dzIcFihWyRzE1-5FzhSgDHRcIITNIJn4JepWju-2DtB0-5FvJWAoBJDE-26c-3D-26ch-3D&d=DwMFaQ&c=euGZstcaTDllvimEN8b7jXrwqOf-v5A_CdpgnVfiiMM&r=ie8Idtk0Mjzk7RsisUYiqeWap-wJhWhWwnghzD3iGZw&m=dkQQk42m7QqJSaD2s2SkZjDyefjimcYHrP5eMLFW2iE&s=Yn-UNw4-B0DtbQcv1-d6iY5fJ_xeZJojrSHnbRJDIKc&e=)
* **Determine on your calendar a season (or two) when you will implement a monthly donor acquisition strategy and make sure you tie it in with See the Story/Be the Story events.**

**Hope those help. Questions? Need more ideas? You know how to reach me.** |

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