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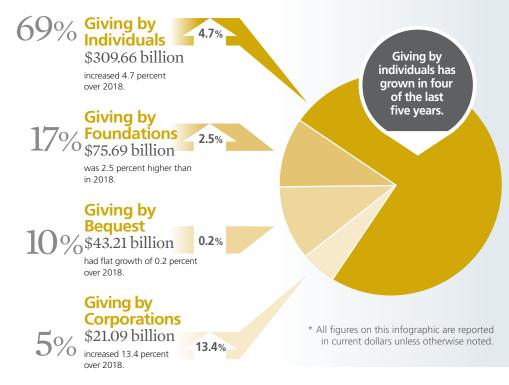
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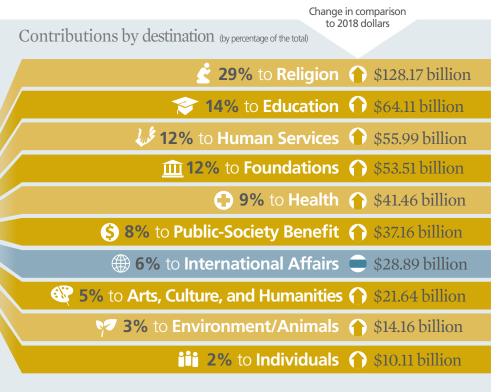
Where did the generosity come from?*

\$449.64 billion

Contributions by source (by percentage of the total)



Where did the charitable dollars go?



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