2 Corinthians 9:1-15 "Cheerful Giving"

2 Corinthians 9:1-5

A Special Collection for Suffering Believers

- Responded but Procrastinated
- "A Heads Up" for the Corinthians
- Avoiding Embarrassment or Obligation
- Giving Because You Want To

2 Corinthians 9:6-9

God Rewards Generous Givers

- Farmers Not Bankers
- Involving God in Your Checkbook
- Prov 3:9, Phil 4:19

The More You Plant

• Prov 11:24-25, Luke 6:38

The Law of Giving

- You Reap What You Sow
- You Always Reap Later
- You Always Reap More

Give as You and the Lord Decide

• Treated Like A Family

What About Tithing?

• OT Requirement, NT Principle

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- Jesus, The Apostles and Church History
- Regular, Proportional, Sacrificial

2 Corinthians 9:8-11

God Loves a Cheerful Giver

- Hilarious not Delirious
- Give with Pleasure and Freedom

Givers Are Enriched

• Supply Your Need and A Few Miracles

2 Corinthians 9:12-15

The Benefits of Giving

- 1. Our Needs and Thanksgiving
- Rom 15:25-27 Answer to Prayer
- Bonding God's People Together
- 2. Causes People to Pray for You