



Sermon Notes

Seepage

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Key Scriptures:

Matthew 6:19-21&24 2 Corinthians 8:1-11

Matthew 6:19-21 New International Version (NIV)

¹⁹“Do not store up for yourselves treasures on earth, where moths and vermin destroy, and where thieves break in and steal. ²⁰But store up for yourselves treasures in heaven, where moths and vermin do not destroy, and where thieves do not break in and steal. ²¹For where your treasure is, there your heart will be also.

Matthew 6:24 New International Version (NIV)

²⁴“No one can serve two masters. Either you will hate the one and love the other, or you will be devoted to the one and despise the other. You cannot serve both God and money.

Main Idea: Shift your mindset on money...

2 Corinthians 8:1-5 New International Version (NIV)

8 And now, brothers and sisters, we want you to know about the grace that God has given the Macedonian churches. ²**In the midst of a very severe trial, their overflowing joy and their extreme poverty welled up in rich generosity.** ³For I testify that they gave as much as they were able, and even beyond their ability. Entirely on their own,⁴**they urgently pleaded with us for the privilege of sharing in this service to the Lord’s people.** ⁵And they exceeded our expectations: ***They gave themselves first of all to the Lord, and then by the will of God also to us.***

A) Shift from the mindset of LACK to a mindset of ABUNDANCE...

2 Corinthians 8:2-3 New International Version (NIV)

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B) Shift from the mindset of HAVE TO, to a mindset of GET TO...

2 Corinthians 8:4 New International Version (NIV)

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2 Corinthians 8:5 New International Version (NIV)

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2 Corinthians 8:6-11 New International Version (NIV)

⁶ So we urged Titus, just as he had earlier made a beginning, to bring also to completion this act of grace on your part. ⁷ But since you excel in everything—in faith, in speech, in knowledge, in complete earnestness and in the love we have kindled in you^[a]—**see that you also excel in this grace of giving.**

⁸ I am not commanding you, but I want to test the sincerity of your love by comparing it with the earnestness of others. ⁹ **For you know the grace of our Lord Jesus Christ, that though he was rich, yet**

for your sake he became poor, so that you through his poverty might become rich.

¹⁰ And here is my judgment about what is best for you in this matter. Last year you were the first not only to give but also to have the desire to do so. ¹¹ Now finish the work, so that your eager willingness to do it may be matched by your completion of it, according to your means.

“Kingdom abundance isn’t about possession it’s about obedience, obedience gives us the ability to see what we have differently”

2 Corinthians 8:9 New International Version (NIV)

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C) Shift from the mindset of WORLDLY STORING, to a mindset of KINGDOM RELEASE