2Thess #95

The focus of obtaining wealth is not from GOD.

Happy Father’s Day!

We will open up today in 2Corinthians chapter nine RF.

This will probably put a close on the doctrine of money within the aspect of our lessons on satanic trickery concerning wealth or power.

Let me open with the reminder of what we closed with last lesson;

/Money is a legitimate part of God’s design for the temporal world. It’s accumulation is legitimate, its spending is legitimate, its giving is legitimate. Money is not sinful for the Believer to possess. Some form of monetary gain is required for daily life. Responsible Bels earn and spend money in appropriate fashion. No organization (church, government, community etc.) should infringe or put a demand upon your personal monetary habits and accounts.\

If you ever attend a church or ministry that tells you about tithing. I am giving you fair warning, that is not a principle for the plan of GOD for this current CA.

Tithing was a form of taxation for the Nation of Israel.

Every country, city or town, needs taxes to keep roads and bridges operating and first responders available.

That is common sense.

/Giving money to a church, ministry or charity to prove your spirituality is a deed of the flesh. Giving and generosity in any form is the result of your growth not the means of growth. The illegitimate uses of money of bribery, to buy power, to buy love, to corrupt character, are all forbidden and it is demonic influence not divine viewpoint. Salvation, spirituality and maturity cannot be bought.\

The mature Bel understands the support of the teaching of the WORD of God.

The mature Bel understands the purpose and reasons to give to others in need.

The mature Bel realizes, ultimately GOD is the giver of all blessings - material and spiritual…all blessings. Therefore, they have a naturally generous nature because they know GOD loves a cheerful giver.

In 2Corinthians chapter nine…

At this point when the Apostle Paul is writing this letter, Titus had been there getting the congregation in order and they had already gone through a rough patch the year before.

This was a point that the majority of Bels in Corinth had turned it around and they were now becoming a good example of a Christian church.

They had basically rebounded and were making commitments and following through on the application of the word.

/There are times we live in our OSN, arrogant and self-centered which leads us into greed, lust patterns and human viewpoint. Yet with the finished work of Christ, we always have the saving grace to comeback. Just as we had the saving grace to be remove from the slave market of sin at salvation. Turning to the Justice system of God is one of the simplest applications of BD and yet it is one of the most powerful as well! \

The more you get in tune with the application of rebound. The more momentum you gain in your spiritual walk.

This leads to the application of other doctrinal principles and problem-solving devices.

/2Cor 9:5 So I considered it necessary to urge the brothers that they go on ahead to you and arrange in advance **your previously promised generous gift,** that the same would be ready as a generous gift, and not as *one grudgingly given due to* greediness.

This was a generous gift to help support Bels in Jerusalem as well as the Apostle Paul’s ministry.\

The leaders that worked under the Apostle Paul would be responsible to carry the financial gift. Also to help disperse the funds for those who needed it, then to make sure the men of GOD got paid so they could survive.

This is why it is imperative to have good doctrinal men in roles of leadership.

The original Greek looks more like this in verse 5;

/2Cor 9:5 – *a bountiful gift and not affected by covetousness*.

The original context uses this term *pleonexia,* used for those who practice fraud and greed to get ahead.\

PLAY-NOX-SEE-AH, a deep form of greed or covetousness. This term points to a deceptive person who uses illusion or fraud to gain other people’s wealth.

/This is another part of the MONEY MAGICK, the practice of taking from others in very a deceptive fashion. Satan knows the lure of wealth is intoxicating which is the first avenue of his illusion. Also, the gathering of illicit wealth or power (authority) through fraud is another avenue used by demonic forces to garner greater stability over mankind and establish the beast system.\

Stealing any form of wealth or authority from others is detrimental to the plan of GOD. God’s plan and HIS power are seen within the integrity and character of Jesus Christ.

That is why government overreach and over taxation, voter fraud or theft in any form - erodes the client Nation unto God.

REPEAT

Unchecked criminality and weak leaders or broken laws, all deteriorate a nation.

/[2Co 9:6](https://www.blueletterbible.org/nasb20/2co/9/6/s_1087006) Now *I say* this: the one who sows sparingly will also reap sparingly, and **the one who sows generously will also reap generously**.

When the Bel or the Client nation unto God reflect the character and nature of Jesus Christ, they have protection and prosperity. \

You cannot regulate generosity nor can you force people to walk an honest path of life – anything that distorts the first divine institution of free will, is corrupt.

The blessing and power of GOD are seen in their glory when the application of God’s word is properly applied with the right motivation.

The right thing done in the right way.

**/**[2Co 9:7](https://www.blueletterbible.org/nasb20/2co/9/7/s_1087007) **Each one *must do* just as he has decided in his heart**, not reluctantly or **under compulsion**, for God loves a cheerful giver.

God looks at the heart, your motivation in giving and serving are what GOD recognizes. (1Sam 16:7) \

Any teaching of tithing within the Church Age dispensation is inaccurate.

/*Whenever you find a reference to tithing in the Gospels it illustrates the distortion of the law through legalism. The references there all have to do with the condemnation of legalism. The Talmud extension of the Mosaic law distorted the entire concept of tithing. The Pharisees at the time of our Lord extended it to the minutest details of life not required by the Mosaic law.*

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We do not live in the same dispensation and there are distinct differences.

/[2Co 9:8](https://www.blueletterbible.org/nasb20/2co/9/8/s_1087008) And **God is able to make all grace overflow to you**, so that, always having all sufficiency in everything, you may have an abundance for every good deed;

The call for the Believer is to reflect the character and nature of Christ, to work hard and allow GOD to bless them as HE sees fit! \

Remember God’s ways and man’s ways are two different ways…(Isa 55:8-9) God’s thoughts are not man’s thoughts.

To let go of human viewpoint and cosmic system dependency takes real faith!

[2Co 9:9](https://www.blueletterbible.org/nasb20/2co/9/9/s_1087009) as it is written: “HE SCATTEREDABROAD, HE GAVE TO THE POOR, HISRIGHTEOUSNESS ENDURES FOREVER.”

This is partially from Psalm 112:9 which references that Christ gave freely to everyone - poor or rich, anyone who would accept HIS grace gift.

[2Co 9:10](https://www.blueletterbible.org/nasb20/2co/9/10/s_1087010) Now He who supplies seed to the sower and bread for food will supply and multiply your seed for sowing and increase the harvest of your righteousness;

GOD supplies the seed -we simply sow what HE gives us.

[2Co 9:11](https://www.blueletterbible.org/nasb20/2co/9/11/s_1087011) you will be enriched in everything for all liberality, which through us is producing thanksgiving to God.

It is Satan’s agenda to have humanity pursuing the brass rings of wealth and prestige, it is not found in the plan of GOD.

/Prov 23:4 Do not weary yourself to gain wealth; Stop dwelling *on it.* 5 When you set your eyes on it, it is gone. For *wealth* certainly makes itself wings Like an eagle that flies *toward* the heavens.\

Satan achieves victory by fraud, trickery and counterfeits.

GOD promotes whom HE desires – you have no authority or wealth unless GOD approved it from eternity past.

/Psa 113:7 He raises the poor from the dust, He lifts the needy from the garbage heap, 8 To seat *them* with noblemen, With the noblemen of His people. (1Sam 2:7-8, Psa 75:6-7)\

Satan is the father of lies and legalism - never forget that!

Religious teaching on tithing is the same as government overreach of corruption, over taxation or mishandling the power given to them by the people….it is no different. REPEAT

/A tithe (Nation of Israel) was ten per cent of Jewish income tax where both the Unbeliever and the Believer paid. Abraham as a Believer became a citizen of Melchizedek’s kingdom and that’s why he paid ten per cent. Tithing was different than spiritual giving, tithing was a form of legal taxation to assist national progress and maintenance. \

There were several categories of tithing in the dispensation of Israel.

/Ten per cent tithe went for the maintenance and support of the Levitical priesthood (Num 18:20-24). This is often used today to teach tithing for the CA yet it is inaccurate. All the animal sacrifices and holy days & feasts fell upon the responsibility of the Levitical order. A tenth was to be used for the sacred feasts and sacrifices (Deu 12, Deu 14). This is no longer taught in the CA.\

Exactly what the Apostle Paul taught as we noted in 2Corinthians 9. That was the new standard of the day.

Also taught in 1Cor chapter 16.

/Every third year there was a third ten per cent taxation. This was for a charity tax for the poor of the land (Deu 14:28-29) many teachers today, promote a welfare state through tithing. Again, that does not hold true in this current dispensation. A welfare state insinuates that government forces people to support citizens. The original tithe system would only be a charity for those in dire need. (no family, physically ill or challenged beyond the normal circumstance).\

A woman who got pregnant outside of marriage would not qualify, nor would a healthy young man with a bad back or minor issues.

Jesus never taught about tithing. In fact, HE reprimanded the legalistic Pharisees for their nonsense and lies of over tithing and money manipulation.

(Mat 23:23, Luke 11:42)

/1Cor 16:1 Now concerning the **collection for the saints**, as I directed the churches of Galatia, so you are to do as well. 2 On the first day of every week, **each of you is to put aside and save as he may prosper**, so that no collections *need to* be made when I come.

Grace is the order of the day – freely it is given freely you shall give, goes both ways. For the teaching of the WORD and the giving of support.\

Satan’s ideology is always deception and counterfeiting God’s plan. In the realm of money and power Satan has had great success in distracting mankind. As well as manipulating, very powerful, demonic forces into positions of authority world -wide by the use of corrupt money practices. REPEAT

/Slavery comes in many forms; it can be forceful or subtle such as addiction. Slavery happens under authoritarian practices that systematically strip away freedom and wealth from people. Slavery happens in relationships of all kinds – government, marriage or labor, it is the dominance of one over another. No matter how subtle it is, it is satanic at its core!\

/It doesn’t matter if it is fear, fraud or manipulation on any scale, Satan is a master of making slaves out of God’s creation. Satan’s minions have a way of very cleverly asserting dominance over others through fraud, counterfeits and subtle illusions. The Federal Reserve is a prime example – it is neither Federal nor a reserve. It is a private operation run by a handful of wealthy families. It has successfully made debt slaves out of free Americans, outside the boundary of our own Constitution.\

God’s money was made of silver and gold.

The gold standard in America, was tossed aside in the 1970’s and we have progressively gotten worse since then.

We will have a few history lessons coming up to display the power of Satan across this world.

Let me close with some important historical facts & statements;

/*Permit me to issue and control the money of a nation, and I care not who makes its laws*.

*Mayer Amschel Rothschild 1744-1812*

The Rothschild dynasty is a key player since the dark ages and sits with authority at the table of the 13 Illuminati families of world power. \

They were instrumental in setting up the federal reserve world-wide, and also they were behind most of the world wars we have endured in history.

Satan has been busy and still is world-wide.

/On January 17, 1961, [Dwight D. Eisenhower](https://www.history.com/topics/us-presidents/dwight-d-eisenhower) ends his presidential term by warning the nation about the increasing power of the military-industrial complex. He stated – ‘There are dark forces at work in our government’.

JFK also spoke out against secret societies and wanted to investigate the CIA and the Federal Reserve. He was assassinated on Nov 22 1963. \

/Former President Truman, whose Administration was pressed into establishing the C.I.A. in 1947, later proclaimed it as a mistake. Stating – ‘Due to its dark shadow it was casting on our history’. (1961)\