



## **“Giving”**

*The Producers*  
*II Corinthians 9:6-15*

### ***Biblical giving requires a:***

#### **I. Strategy** – “not grudgingly or of necessity” (vs. 6-7)

*Our strategy includes:*

- A. Principle** – “he which sows bountifully shall reap bountifully”
- B. Priorities** – “every man as he purposes in his heart”
- C. Predisposition** – “God loves a cheerful giver”

#### **II. Source** - “to prove” (vs. 8-10)

*Our source comes from :*

- A. Who** – “God is able to make all grace abound toward you”
- B. What** – “you, having all sufficiency in all things, may abound”

#### **III. Success** – “subjection unto the gospel of Christ” (vs. 11-15)

*Our success is when there is:*

- A. Enrichment** - “enriched in every thing to all bountifulness”
- B. Edification** – “this service...supplies the want of the saints”
- C. Exaltation** - “They glorify God for your professed subjection”

## Sentence Sermon

**“Giving is the privilege of sowing what God has given us stewardship over.”**

## Additional Verses

- **Galatians 6:10**
- **Psalms 112:9**
- **Acts 20:35**
- **Proverbs 11:24-26**
- **I Kings 17:9-16**
- **Romans 15:26**
- **Hebrews 10:24**
- **I Corinthians 16:1-4**
- **I Peter 2:5**
- **Galatians 6:7-8**
- **Hebrews 13:16**
- **Acts 11:29**

## Questions to Ponder

1. What are the key words or phrases in this passage?
2. Who are the central characters of the passage?
3. How would you describe someone who sows sparingly? Sows bountifully?
4. What does “purposing in your heart” entail?
5. How would you say verse 8 in your own words?
6. What is righteous behavior according to verse 9?
7. Why are we called sowers and the what is the seed we are given?
8. What phrase is found in vs. 11, 12, 15? What is the significance?
9. Why is the gospel mentioned in verse 13? What does it mean to giving?
10. What effects does giving have on individuals, churches, and the world?
11. What are your favorite gifts that God gives believers?
12. What has stood out to you during the last two chapters on giving?