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Spirit-Directed Principles of Grace Giving

2 Corinthians 8 & 9

Principle #1: Outward circumstances and difficulties should not inhibit generosity in giving. [vv.1-4]

Principle #2: All financial giving should be preceded by self-giving. [vs.5]

Principle #3: Believers should seek to excel in the grace of giving. [vv. 6-7]

Principle #4: Worthy stewardship goals should be brought to completion. [vv. 6, 10, 11; 9:5]

Principle #5: Generous giving displays evidence of the sincerity of one's love. [vv. 8, 9, 24]

Principle #6: There is a direct link between "the grace of God" and "the grace of giving." [vv. 8-9]

Principle #7: A willingness to give is more important than the amount given. [vs. 12]

Principle #8: In the economy of God, the sufficiency of some ministers to the deficiency of others. [vv. 13-15]