

5 MIN OFFERING – 2 CORINTHIANS 9:7

Message Outline

Main Verse – (2 Corinthians 9:7)

THE ATTITUDE OF GIVING

Plain truth: The main idea in this verse is, that the act of giving should be voluntary and cheerful. (In all areas of giving)

3 THOUGHTS

- A. Our giving should be influenced by the purposes of our heart. Note: it could be said that our giving reveals the purposes in our heart. This reflects our relationship with God.
- B. God does not want our giving to be in a grudging manner (reluctantly, unhappily giving with plenty of complaining) or of necessity (given because someone has forced us or manipulated us into giving).
- C. God wants us to give cheerfully. God wants us to give happily. Note: God willingly gives to us, He is an example of how to give.

PRACTICALITIES OF GIVING

- A. Before you come and bring your tithe/offering (pray and ask God what you should give).
- B. When you give. Thank Him for the ability. Thank Him for the finances to give. Do it with honor and worship in your heart.
- C. Give in faith with expectation.