

Memory Verse: *Let each one do just as he has purposed in his heart; not grudgingly or under compulsion; for God loves a cheerful giver.*

2 Corinthians 9:7

Study Questions: (Have an adult help you if needed.)

2 Corinthians 9:1-5

1. Matching.

<input type="checkbox"/> superfluous	a. passionate pursuit
<input type="checkbox"/> ministry	b. those living in a country north of Corinth.
<input type="checkbox"/> Macedonians	c. in this case, money collected for others
<input type="checkbox"/> zeal	d. believers
<input type="checkbox"/> brethren	e. way beyond what is needed

2. True or False.

<input type="checkbox"/> a.	Paul wanted to boast about the Corinthians.
<input type="checkbox"/> b.	The Corinthians wanted to give some money to the saints in Jerusalem.
<input type="checkbox"/> c.	Paul will be ashamed if they do not follow through on their promise to give to the saints.

2 Corinthians 9: 6-11

3. Explain what it means to “sow”.

4. Fill in the blank.

The person who sows sparingly will also _____.

The person who sows generously will also _____.

Each person should do as he has _____.

5a. Can you describe what it means to be a cheerful giver?

5b. Give an example of a cheerful giver.

2 Corinthians 9:12-15

6. When believers give money to meet a need of other believers what are the benefits of this? List three if you can.

7. Make a list of ways you could help believers through giving?

How about non-believers?

What other ways can you help (besides giving money)?

8. Verse 15 mentions an “indescribable gift.” What is this “gift”?