

2 Corinthians 9

- 1) What benevolent act is still being discussed and referenced in this chapter? (*for help see 1 Cor. 16:3*)
- 2) What boast had Paul made to the Macedonians about Corinth?
- 3) What had the Corinthians not done that could have resulted in that boast having been in vain?
- 4) Why did Paul send messengers in advance to Corinth?
- 5) What rules and principles of giving are taught in 2 Cor. 9:6-11?
 - a) What principle of giving is taught in Luke 21:1-4?
 - b) What principle of giving is taught in 2 Samuel 24:24?
- 6) From verses 12 & 13, what benefits and results came from the benevolent work that was performed by the Macedonian and Corinthian churches?
- 7) Thought Question: Verse 13 is a favorite passage of institutionalists who claim that the phrase “them and all [men]” means “saints and non-saints.” How does the passage itself answer the argument? (*hint: what did people give in response to their gift?*)