

## Questions on 2 Corinthians chapter 8

1. What was the “grace” that was bestowed on the churches of Macedonia that Paul is making known to the church at Corinth? Where is Macedonia? Verse 1.
2. What was unique and noteworthy about the liberality of those in Macedonia? Verse 2.
3. Was their giving the result of a command from Paul? Verse 3.
4. To what does the term “fellowship” refer in this context? Verse 4.
5. How were the Macedonians able to give “beyond their power” and out of their deep poverty? Verse 5.
6. How does Paul appeal to the church at Corinth to assist in the contribution for the poor saints at Jerusalem? Verse 6.

7. Although Paul had taught the Corinthians and had bestowed spiritual gifts upon them, what was he urging them to abound in as well? Verse 7.

8. What does Paul use as an incentive to the Corinthians to show the sincerity of their love? Verse 8.

9. How was the Lord Jesus Christ rich and then became poor? Was it because Joseph and Mary were well-to-do and left Jesus a fortune? Verse 9.

10. The Corinthians had begun their collection a year earlier but want is expedient for them and what is Paul's judgment? Verse 10.

11. If you were putting Paul's admonition in your own words, what would it be? Verse 11.

12. What does Paul see as more important than the amount that someone can give? Verse 12.

13. Who would be the ones eased and the ones burden? Verse 13.

14. What kind of equality does Paul envision? Verse 14.

15. What bearing does Exodus 16:18-20 have upon Paul's view of equality? Verse 15.

16. For what quality in Titus was Paul thankful to God? Verse 16.

17. Paul urged Titus to go to Corinth, but what was it that caused Titus to accept the exhortation? Verse 17.

18. Although the one sent with Titus is not named, who is likely the one "whose praise is in the gospel throughout all the churches"? Verse 18.

19. What other honor was given to this unnamed brother? Verse 19.

20. Why is Paul so careful to see that others accompany him in taking the bounty to Jerusalem? Verse 20.

21. How is Paul an example in this matter of handling funds? Verse 21.

22. Who, besides the one already mentioned, went with Titus? Verse 22.

23. How does Paul define the work of Titus? What was the role of the other brethren who are described as messengers? Verse 23.

24. How does Paul expect the Corinthians to prove that his glorying in them to the messengers was warranted? Verse 24.