

Activating Heaven's Supply

2nd Corinthians 9:8-10

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¹⁰ Now he that ministereth seed to the sower both minister bread for *your* food, and multiply your seed sown, and increase the fruits of your righteousness;

The seed activates heaven's supply. Now, what kind of supply do you think heaven has? It's limitless. If you want to activate heaven's supply, you're going to have to sow the seed, and when you do, you'll open an account with divine interest.

Your savings account is no match for sowing. There is no institution that will pay interest like God. There are times when God is off the hook with His giving, and you can't keep up with it. So, if you're sowing, don't give up. Don't become discouraged about whether God wants you blessed.

HE ABSOLUTELY DOES!

You may have a lot of religious people and churchgoers pushing against you but keep pressing. Sometimes, you may even have to cry while sowing. Why? Because you're going to want to buy something and the seed is going to scream out, **I'm not for that! Sow me!**

You see, the seed is not prosperous if it's not planted.

Eccl. 11:6 says, "In the morning sow thy seed, and in the evening withhold not thine hand: for thou knowest not whether shall prosper, either this or that, or whether they both shall be alike good.

Over the years, I've learned that one seed is not going to get heaven's supply activated in your life. Four or ten seeds aren't going to get it either. You have to become a **systematic** Sower, as we see demonstrated in Ecclesiastes 11:6. Be consistent, not out of pressure but because God told you to do it. **Never allow a man to talk money out of your pocket.** As I've mentioned before, it's not about giving under pressure. Giving should be about faith and cooperation, not fear and force.

The language of a seed says, "**God is my source.**"

Therefore, I'm not teaching this series because I desire a gift. I desire that fruit may abound in your divine supply account.

Since I've started teaching this series on prosperity, I've been trying to help the Believers open their unlimited supply account and learn how to operate with a sowing consciousness.

What happens when the Holy Spirit ignites a sowing consciousness in you on purpose?

Psalm 126:1-6 tells us what happen:

Psalm 126:1-6 (KJV) says,

- ¹ When the LORD turned again the captivity of Zion, we were like them that dream.
- ² Then was our mouth filled with laughter, and our tongue with singing: then said they among the heathen, The LORD hath done great things for them.
- ³ The LORD hath done great things for us; *whereof* we are glad.
- ⁴ Turn again our captivity, O LORD, as the streams in the south.
- ⁵ **They that sow in tears shall reap in joy.**
- ⁶ **He that goeth forth and weepeth, bearing precious seed, shall doubtless come again with rejoicing, bringing his sheaves *with him*.**

This is what you're being brought into — **a life of prosperity with a sowing consciousness.** Functioning with a sowing consciousness means being able to see and stop anything in your soul (which includes anything in your mind, consciousness, imagination, will, reasoning, and emotions) that has been blocking you from sowing. Besides your own thinking, nothing and no one can stop you from coming into your wealthy place.

GOD WANTS US TO HAVE MONEY FOR A REASON, NOT JUST FOR PERSONAL GAIN

Sowing Grace

The truth is that you're not going to sow automatically. God can develop a sowing heart in you and give you strong hands to sow, but you will need a grace to do it.

You have to allow the Holy Spirit to grace you to sow. It is possible that you haven't fully stepped into that aspect of grace yet, and that's what has been holding back your finances. Maybe not being graced to give is why God hasn't trusted you with much more.

You must have a sowing grace on your life to walk in financial freedom.

Let's read how Paul gives the church of Corinth an example of the Macedonian churches' sowing grace.

2 Corinthians 8:1-2 says:

[1] Moreover, brethren, we do you to wit of the grace of God bestowed on the churches of Macedonia; (Notice the condition of the church in the next verse.

[2] How that in a great trial of affliction the abundance of their joy and their deep poverty abounded unto the riches of their liberality.

At the end of the second verse above, we can see the Macedonian churches became liberal when they were broke.

In 2 Corinthians verse 3, Paul goes on to say: For to their power, I bear record, yea, and beyond their power they were willing of themselves;

Beyond their power means beyond their ability. This is an example for us, too.

We should ask God to grace us to sow beyond our ability. Your ability brings your results, but God's ability brings godly results.

If you never step out beyond your own ability, you'll never see God's results in your life.

You have to align your soul ("your thinking, believing, imagining, feeling, consciousness") with **God's ability**, and that has to be done with a sowing grace.

Have you ever had money afflictions in your life? I'm sure that you have. I've had great trials, and some of my greatest trials were financial trials, and I sowed through it. So, yes, you'll need to maintain this sowing grace to consistently sow the same way, through the trials and all.

Paul had a revelation from the Holy Spirit in Second Corinthians 9. His point was that sowing has to be done on purpose.

In 2 Corinthians 9:6-7, it reads:

6 But this I say, He which soweth sparingly shall reap also sparingly; and he which soweth bountifully shall reap also bountifully.

7 Every man according as he purposeth in his heart, so let him give; not grudgingly, or of necessity: for God loveth a cheerful giver.

We have to sow willingly. We can't sow grudgingly or be forced to sow.

Sowing is not a fall; it's a flow.

You enter a flow of grace that enables you to trust God and sow by faith.

Let me repeat that: **You sow by faith.**

In order to sow willingly, your heart has to be stitched with a sowing grace. Then, you won't be afraid of how your condition looks or how the world's economy looks.

It'll no longer matter to you because you'll be operating from another perspective in your finances.

You'll be cheerful! But you can't be a cheerful giver without grace.

Let's read further into what Paul said in 2 Corinthians 9:8-10:

8 And God is able to make all grace abound toward you; that ye, always having all sufficiency in all things, may abound to every good work:

9 (As is written, He had dispersed abroad; he had given to the poor: his righteousness remaineth forever.

In the next verse, you'll see that you don't have to worry about where the seed is going to come from. You will only need a heart of grace to recognize the season.

10 Now, he that ministereth seed to the sower both minister bread for your food while you're sowing and multiply your seed sown and increase the fruit of your righteousness;

Say to the Lord, "Teach me how to maximize my sowing."

With that request, you are asking the Lord to maximize your harvest, to maximize your financial life, and to maximize you right out of the world's system.

The word "**maximize**" means to make something as large or as great as possible.

You don't have to depend on the world's system anymore.

LET'S MAKE THIS REQUEST TO OUR GOD

Lord, teach me how to maximize my sowing.

Teach me how to make my seeds as large or as great as possible.

Let me make the best use of my seed.

I want to maximize it.

Let me make the best of this privilege you have given me.

I am ready to sow myself off of the world's system.