

A top-down view of a breakfast table. In the upper left, a green bowl contains white milk and several golden-brown ring-shaped cereal pieces. To its right is a white cup filled with dark coffee, held by a hand. A black smartphone is partially visible on the left. In the lower right, a piece of toast is shaped into a cross. The background is a plain white surface with a few scattered cereal pieces and coffee stains.

Beyond SUNDAY

Following Jesus in the Regular Stuff of Life



It's All a Gift

26 “When you come into the land that the LORD your God is giving you for an inheritance and have taken possession of it and live in it” - Deut 26:1

“What do you have that you did not receive?” - I Cor 4:7

“9 For you know the grace of our Lord Jesus Christ, that though he was rich, yet for your sake he became poor, so that you by his poverty might become rich.”

- II Cor 8:9



Good News Giving

Declares our story

Declares our Love for God and Man



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12 For the ministry of this service is not only supplying the needs of the saints but is also overflowing in many thanksgivings to God -II Cor 9:12

They didn't just do what we had hoped; they gave themselves, first to the Lord, and then to us as God willed it. - II Cor 8:5



Trust Giving

Firstfruits

Spotless Lambs

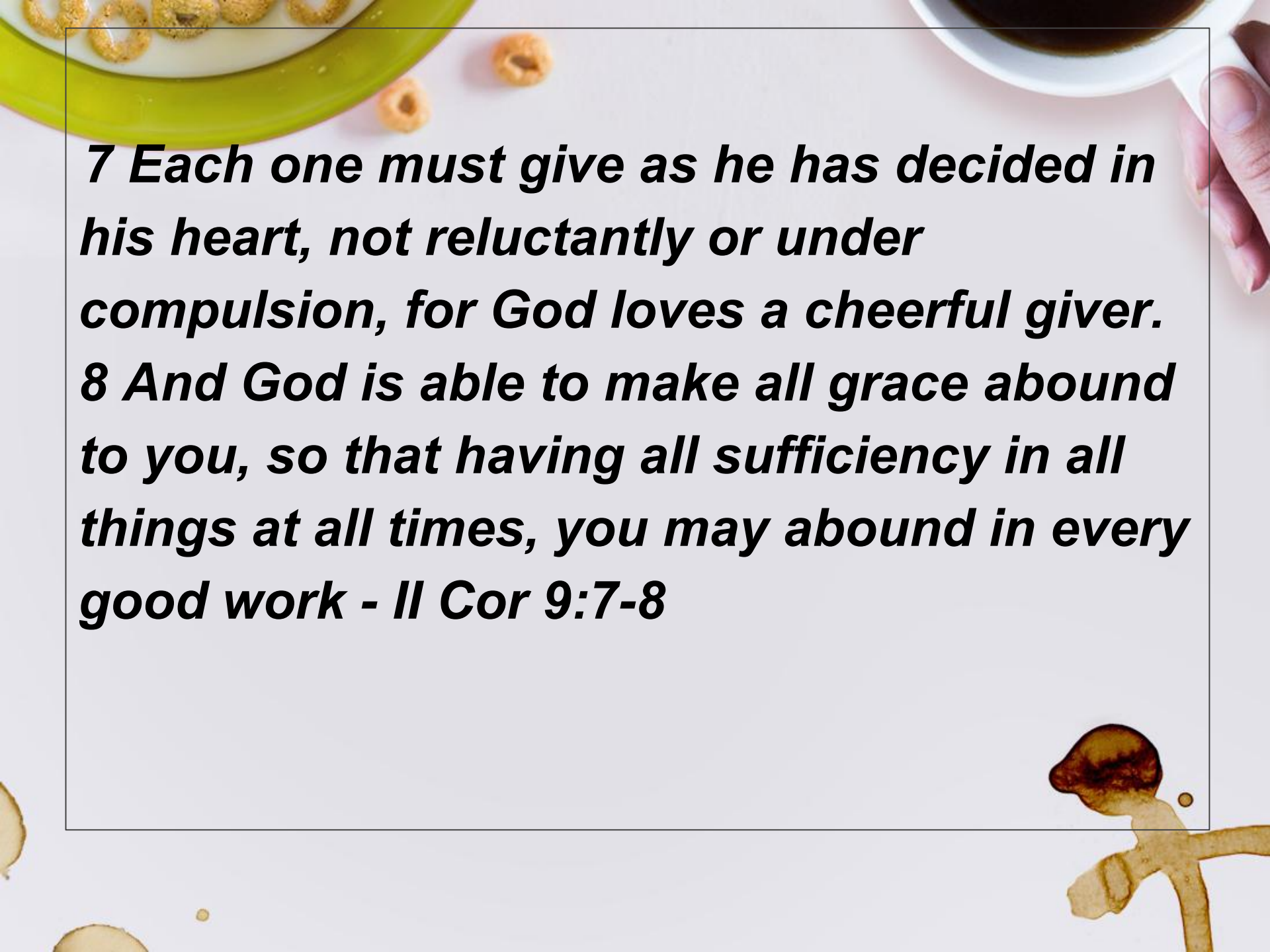
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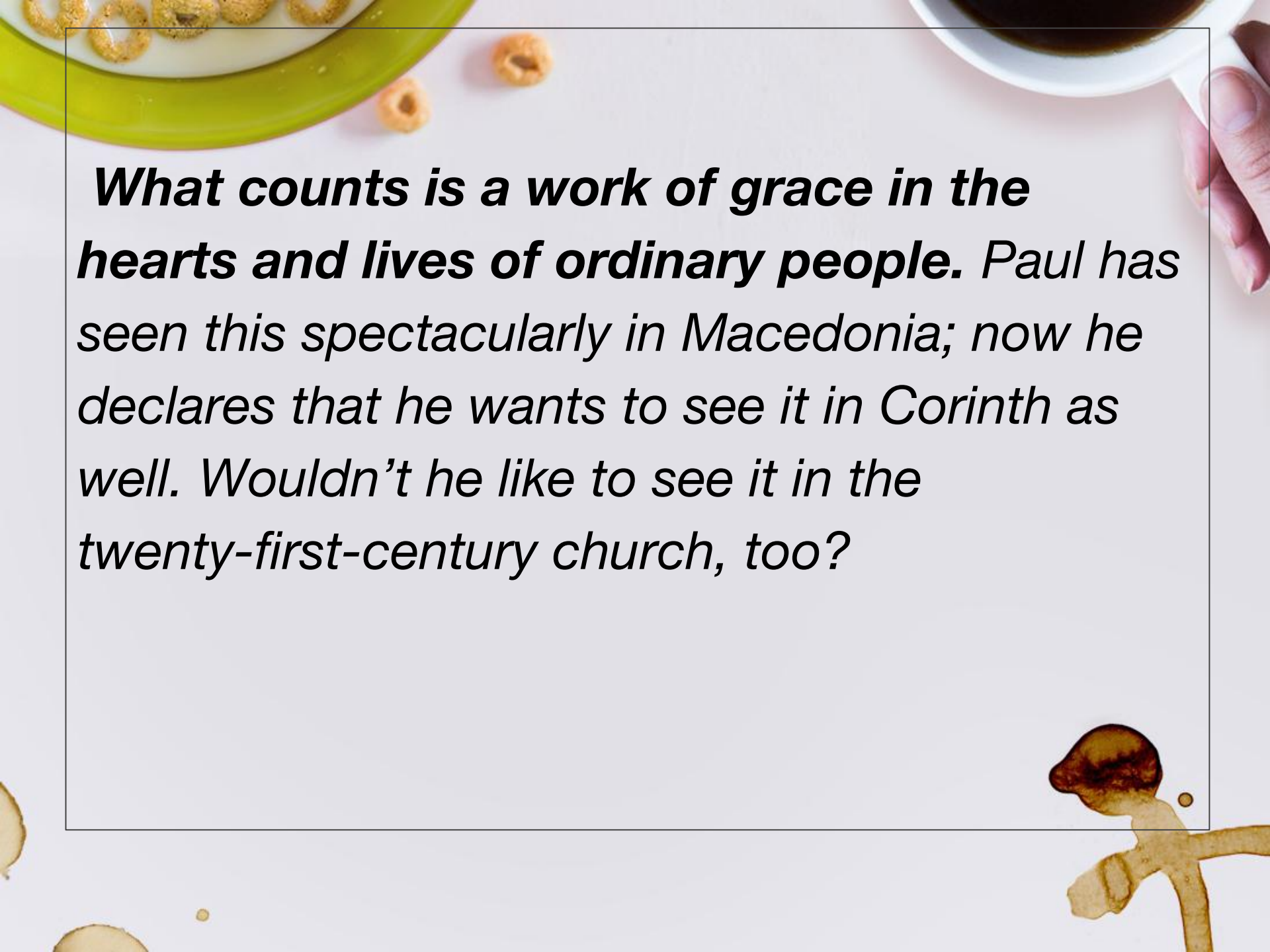
***Our Gift Giving Helps God's Mission in
the World***



We are the Next Story



***7 Each one must give as he has decided in his heart, not reluctantly or under compulsion, for God loves a cheerful giver.
8 And God is able to make all grace abound to you, so that having all sufficiency in all things at all times, you may abound in every good work - II Cor 9:7-8***



What counts is a work of grace in the hearts and lives of ordinary people. Paul has seen this spectacularly in Macedonia; now he declares that he wants to see it in Corinth as well. Wouldn't he like to see it in the twenty-first-century church, too?

