

## **“American Dream Rule of Life.”**

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“So let each one give as he purposes in his heart, not grudgingly or of necessity; for God loves a cheerful giver.” (2 Corinthians 9:7) This verse speaks to our motivation for giving.

Do we give grudgingly...out of compulsion?  
Do we give of necessity...out of obligation?  
Or do we give cheerfully...out of joy and hilarity?

Peter Scazzero has detailed the Rule of Life many American Christians live under.  
Does the life described here look more like compulsion and obligation...or joy and hilarity?

