

Orange County Contentment Philippians 4:10-13

10 I rejoiced in the Lord greatly that now at length you have revived your concern for me. You were indeed concerned for me, but you had no opportunity. **11** Not that I am speaking of being in need, for I have learned in whatever situation I am to be content. 12 | know how to be brought low, and l know how to abound. In any and every circumstance, I have learned the secret of facing plenty and hunger, abundance and need. **13** I can do all things through him who strengthens me.(ESV)

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#1. Make a list of the many things God has graciously given to you:

#2. Are you content with these things or do you have a desire to be rich?

#3. Read 1 Timothy 6:6-10 & 6:17-19. Is there anything in these verses that changes the way you think about money?

#4. **Read 2 Corinthians 9:1-8**. Do you trust God's sufficiency or are you tempted to doubt the goodness of God when it comes to financial provision?

Do you respond to God's sufficiency with generosity?

Scripture of the Day:

For the rest of October we are reading through the Gospel of Matthew. Starting in November we are reading through the Law of Moses. As you are reading Matthew, make sure you look up all the references to the Law, Prophets & Writings.

Monday ~ Matthew 16 & 17

~In Matthew 16:4 what did Jesus mean by the sign of Jonah? ~In Matthew 16:16 Jesus is referred to as Christ? Where is the Messiah mentioned in the Law and Prophets?

Tuesday ~ Matthew 18 & 19

~In Matthew 19:6 what verse is Jesus quoting? ~Where did Moses write about divorce in the Law?

Wednesday ~Matthew 20

~In verses 18 and 28 Jesus refers to himself as the Son of Man. What previous Scripture is he referring to?

Thursday ~Matthew 21

- ~What prophecy is Matthew referring to in verse 4?
- ~What verse is Jesus referring to in verse 13?
- ~What verse does Jesus quote in verse 16?

Friday ~Matthew 22

- ~What are the Sadducees referring to in verse 24?
- ~What Scripture does Jesus refer them to in verse 32?
- ~Where do we find the 1st and 2nd greatest commandments in the Law?