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Support the Truth

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As disciples of Jesus Christ we teach repentance to the children of Israel. To spread the Gospel (good news) unto our people requires money; read **Ecclesiastes 7:12**: "*For wisdom is a defense, and money is a defense...*" Money is a defense because it helps to pay for the cost of this web site, to broadcast the classes over the Internet, to have a school to teach the word of the Most High, print flyers, make audio and video packages, etc.

During the time of Moses; in the wilderness, the Most High commanded him to go to the children of Israel for an offering of gold, silver and brass etc., for the work and service of the Ark of the Covenant, the holy vessels and the tabernacle. **Exodus 25:1**: "*And the LORD spake unto Moses, saying,*" **Verse 2**: "*Speak unto the children of Israel, that they bring me an offering: of every man that giveth it willingly with his heart ye shall take my offering.*" **Verse 3**: "*And this is the offering which ye shall take of them; gold, and silver, and brass,*" **Verse 8**: "*And let them make me a sanctuary; that I may dwell among them.*" Also read **Exodus 36:3-7** [\[8\]](#).

When it came to the building of the temple, King David and the people willingly gave an offering for the construction of the house of the Lord. **1 Chronicles 29:3**: "*Moreover, because I have set my affection to the house of my God, I have of mine own proper good, of gold and silver, which I have given to the house of my God, over and above all that I have prepared for the holy house,*" **Verse 4**: "*Even three thousand talents of gold, of the gold of Ophir, and seven thousand talents of refined silver, to overlay the walls of the houses withal:*" **Verse 5**: "*The gold for things of gold, and the silver for things of silver, and for all manner of work to be made by the hands of artificers. And who then is willing to consecrate his service this day unto the LORD?*" **Verse 6**: "*Then the chief of the fathers and princes of the tribes of Israel, and the captains of thousands and of hundreds, with the rulers of the king's work, offered willingly,*"

At the commandment of the most High, Moses and David built unto him a sanctuary for our people to worship him. Like those men, today we are commanded to give willingly to build our nation. **1st Corinthians 3:9** "*For we are labourers together with God: ye are God's husbandry, ye are God's building.*" To reach our people we have able ministers chosen by the most High that are willing to give up their goods and sacrifice themselves for the work. We are faithful believers that the most High is our provider therefore what we have received (the truth) we freely give. **Matthews 10:6** "*But go rather to the lost sheep of the house of Israel.*" **Verse 7**: "*And as ye go, preach, saying,*



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*The kingdom of heaven is at hand.” Verse 8: “Heal the sick, cleanse the lepers, raise the dead, cast out devils: **freely ye have received, freely give.**” We are not greater than our Master, therefore we do not seek riches but we keep in mind that our Lord made himself poor for the people sake. **2nd Corinthians 8:9** “For ye know the grace of our Lord Jesus Christ, that, though he was rich, yet for your sakes he became poor, that ye through his poverty might be rich.”*

Hence we work that we may eat, but more importantly that we may be able to provide support for this truth. Nonetheless any true repenting Israelite with a willing heart / mind can help to support this Truth with offerings. For this commandment is not only for the teachers but also unto them that receive the good news.

2nd Chronicles 24:5 “And he [Joash king of Judah] gathered together the priests and the Levites, and said to them, Go out unto the cities of Judah, and **gather of all Israel money** to repair the house of your God from year to year, and see that ye hasten the matter. Howbeit the Levites hastened it not.” **Verse 6:** “And the king called for Jehoiada the chief, and said unto him, Why hast thou not required of the Levites to bring in out of Judah and out of Jerusalem **the collection, according to the commandment of Moses** the servant of the LORD, and of the congregation of Israel, for the tabernacle of witness?”

Galatians 6:6 “Let him that is taught in the word communicate [communicate means to give] unto him that teacheth in all good things.” **Verse 10:** “As we have therefore opportunity, let us do good unto all men, especially unto them who are of the household of faith.”

Philippians 4:11 “Not that I speak in respect of want: for I have learned, in whatsoever state I am, therewith to be content.” **Verse 12:** “I know both how to be abased [be brought low], and I know how to abound [have abundance]: every where and in all things I am instructed both to be full and to be hungry, both to abound and to suffer need.” **Verse 13:** “I can do all things through Christ which strengtheneth me.” **Verse 14:** “Notwithstanding ye have well done, that ye did **communicate with my affliction** [meaning they provided goods to help Paul in his affliction and the work].” **Verse 15:** “Now ye Philippians know also, that in the beginning of the gospel, when I departed from Macedonia, no church **communicated with me as concerning giving and receiving**, but ye only.”

2 Corinthians 9:5 “Therefore I thought it necessary to **exhort the brethren**, that they would go before unto you, and make up beforehand your bounty [a collection according to the generosity of the people], whereof ye had notice before, that the same might be ready, as a matter of bounty, and not as of covetousness [of want and lust].” **Verse 6:** “But this I say, He which soweth sparingly shall reap also sparingly; and he which



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soweth bountifully shall reap also bountifully." Verse 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."

Thus by the scriptures we have read we could see that we are commanded to give with a willing mind. We wrote this report to *exhort the brethren* to be mindful of the most High and his truth. The offerings that you send will only be used for the work and service of the most High. We do not teach for hire or for any person's covetousness/lust/want. Any money gathered will be put to build the resources of the departments that are needful to spread this truth. For corresponding, travel, place of study, purchasing or upgrading existing equipment to create printed material, videos, audio, public speaking, and etc..

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Every month we provide a receipt indicating your donations and what they were spent on. Fulfilling what is written in **Apocrypha Ecclesiasticus 42:7** "*Deliver all things in number and weight; and put all in writing that thou givest out, or receivest in.*" Remember that we are a non-profit organization and all donations are tax deductible. Peace unto you!

Footnote:

- x. **Exodus 36:3** "*And they received of Moses all the offering, which the children of Israel had brought for the work of the service of the sanctuary, to make it withal. And they brought yet unto him free offerings every morning.*" **Verse 4:** "*And all the wise men, that wrought all the work of the sanctuary, came every man from his work which they made;*" **Verse 5:** "*And they spake unto Moses, saying, The people bring much more than enough for the service of the work, which the LORD commanded to make.*" **Verse 6:** "*And Moses gave commandment, and they caused it to be proclaimed throughout the camp, saying, Let neither man nor woman make any more work for the offering of the sanctuary. So the people were restrained from bringing.*" **Verse 7:** "*For the stuff they had was sufficient for all the work to make it, and too much.*"



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2. **Exodus 31:14** “Ye shall keep the sabbath therefore; for it is holy unto you: every one that defileth it shall surely be put to death: for whosoever doeth any work therein, that soul shall be cut off from among his people.”

Isaiah 58:13 *“If thou turn away thy foot from the sabbath, from doing thy pleasure on my holy day; and call the sabbath a delight, the holy of the LORD, honourable; and shalt honour him, not doing thine own ways, nor finding thine own pleasure, nor speaking thine own words:”*

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