



Give Thanks

FOR HE IS GOOD

\$ 2,515,684.06



\$ 2,51

64.06

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The background is a dark blue textured surface with a pattern of small, light blue vertical lines. Scattered throughout are various autumn-themed illustrations: several large pumpkins in shades of orange and yellow, and numerous falling leaves in red, orange, and yellow. The leaves are depicted in various shapes and sizes, some with long stems, creating a sense of movement. The text is centered in a white, elegant script font.

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2 Corinthians 8:1-9

① Giving is based on **Grace**



1. **Saving** Grace

Eph 2:8-9 For by grace you have been saved through faith. And this is not your own doing; it is the gift of God, 9 not a result of works, so that no one may boast.

2. **Giving** Grace

2 Cor 5:17 Therefore, if anyone is in Christ, he is a new creation. The old has passed away; behold, the new has come.



② Giving is **Sacrificial**



Three levels of Giving:

1. We Give **Less** than our Ability
2. We Give **According** to our Ability
3. We Give **Beyond** our Ability



③ Giving is **Voluntary**



1. This is **Earnest** Giving
2. This is **Aggressive** Giving
3. This is **Unexpected** Giving
4. This is **Missionary** Giving
5. This is **Effective** Giving
6. This is **Voluntary** Giving



How Much does God want me to Give?

1. We Give **Tithes**
2. We Give **Offerings**
3. We Give **Sacrificially**



④ Giving is **All-Encompassing**

First: We Give Ourselves to **God**

Second: We Give Ourselves to **God's Will**



⑤ Giving is a **Discipline**

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1. We Must Excel in our **Sanctification**

2. We Must Excel in our **Giving**

1. Determine & Commit

2. Budget

3. Give Regularly

4. Evaluate



⑥ Giving is an act of **Love**

1. We Prove our Love for **God**

2. We Prove our Love for **Others**



⑦ Giving is **Acting like Jesus**

1. The **Riches** of Christ
2. The **Poverty** of Christ
3. The **Salvation** of Christ



1. The **Desire** to Give
2. The **Decision** to Give
3. The **Duty** to Give
4. The **Delight** to Give



