

*Treasure in Earthenware Jars*

# **CONTAGIOUS GRACE**

2 Corinthians 8:1-9 Pew Bible p. 1146

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## **Grace**

What is grace?

Grace is a gift of \_\_\_\_\_.

What grace had God given the Macedonian believers? 2 Cor. 8:1

## **The Grace of God**

How has God made His grace known? 2 Cor. 8:9

Jesus was r\_\_\_\_\_. How?

Jesus became p\_\_\_\_\_. How?

*Have this attitude in yourselves which was also in Christ Jesus, who, although He existed in the form of God, did not regard equality with God a thing to be grasped, but emptied Himself, taking the form of a bond-servant, and being made in the likeness of men. Being found in appearance as a man, He humbled Himself by becoming obedient to the point of death, even death on a cross.  
Phil. 2:5-8*

Why did Christ become poor?

How did Christ becoming poor make it possible for us to become rich?

Have you *experienced* the tremendous outpouring of God's grace through Christ?

### **Contagious Grace**

How did the Macedonian believers demonstrate that the grace of God had touched their lives? 2 Cor. 8:2-4

Why did Paul tell the Corinthians about the Macedonians' extraordinary giving?

### **Application**

Have you been transformed by the experience of God's grace?

In what way might God's grace influence our giving to the World Hunger offering?

***As God has given grace to us,  
we ought to give grace to others.***

What does God want you to do as a result of this message?