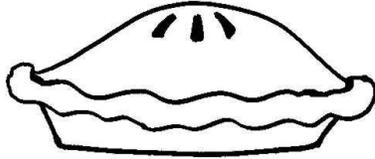


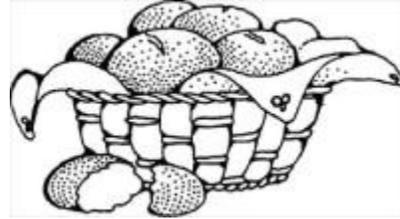
God's Mentality About Money Mark 8:13-21

HUMAN MENTALITY: SCARCITY



Picture: Money is like a pie which is cut into different pieces

GOD'S MENTALITY: ABUNDANCE



Picture: Money is like a bowl that overflows

KEY: To change our thinking where we see God's provision, we need to have faith.

Examples of How God Provides in Abundance

1. God provides for His creation in abundance

"Therefore I say to you, do not worry about your life, what you will eat or what you will drink; nor about your body, what you will put on. Is not life more than food and the body more than clothing? Look at the birds of the air, for they neither sow nor reap nor gather into barns; yet your heavenly Father feeds them. Are you not of more value than they? Which of you by worrying can add one cubit to his stature? "So why do you worry about clothing? Consider the lilies of the field, how they grow: they neither toil nor spin; and yet I say to you that even Solomon in all his glory was not arrayed like one of these. Now if God so clothes the grass of the field, which today is, and tomorrow is thrown into the oven, will He not much more clothe you, O you of little faith?"

(Matthew 6:25-30 NKJV)

2. God provides for the Israelites in abundance

And I have led you forty years in the wilderness. Your clothes have not worn out on you, and your sandals have not worn out on your feet.

(Deuteronomy 29:5 NKJV)

3. God provides for me in abundance

Command those who are rich in this present age not to be haughty, nor to trust in uncertain riches but in the living God, who gives us richly all things to enjoy.

(1 Timothy 6:17 NKJV)

THE PEOPLE – They ate and were filled (stuffed).

THE SERVANTS – They had more than enough for themselves, but only after they have

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