

Tithing & Kingdom Advance

2 Chronicles 31

Introduction

Tithing basics

A percentage tribute given to God:

Established before Moses: Gen. 14

Applied to all your increase: Lev. 27:30-32

And holy to the Lord:

The Function of the Tithe in Kingdom Advance

The tithe acknowledges the supremacy of God over you: Heb. 7:6

The tithe frees up Levites to teach, judge, and lead in worship:

Instead of land inheritance: Num. 18:21, 24

Instead of other employment

Modern Levites: Is 66:21

Because the tithe is not a gift, withholding it is theft: Mal. 3:8

Hezekiah's Reformation—2 Chronicles 29-31

Stage 1: Need for Reform (29)

Stage 2: Advancing reform (30)

Stage 3: Sustaining Reform (31)

Advancing Reform in the Inland NW