**ROMANS 15:23-33**
**MAKING A PROPHET WITH YOUR MONEY**
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1. Our attitude toward money reveals us much about us.

    a. Our money-attitude often reveals our discontent (1 Timothy 6:6-10).

    b. Our money-attitude often reveals our fear about our future (Matthew 6:19-21; Luke 12:13-21).

    c. Our money-attitude often says we think money is central to our identity (Matthew 6:25-33).

2. Make a prophet with your money

    a. Our money speaks for God (is Aprophet-able@ when our offerings express gratitude to God and stretch our spiritual maturity (1 Chronicles 29:1-20).

    b. Our money speaks for God when it expresses our priorities and the constraints we have accepted (Philippians 4:10-13).

    c. Our money speaks for God when it blesses others in tangible ways (Romans 15:25-28; 1 Corinthians 16:1-4).

3. Application: When we surrender our money for God's work, it reveals God's love and presence to us and others.