



2 CORINTHIANS

**Matching Practice With
Position!**

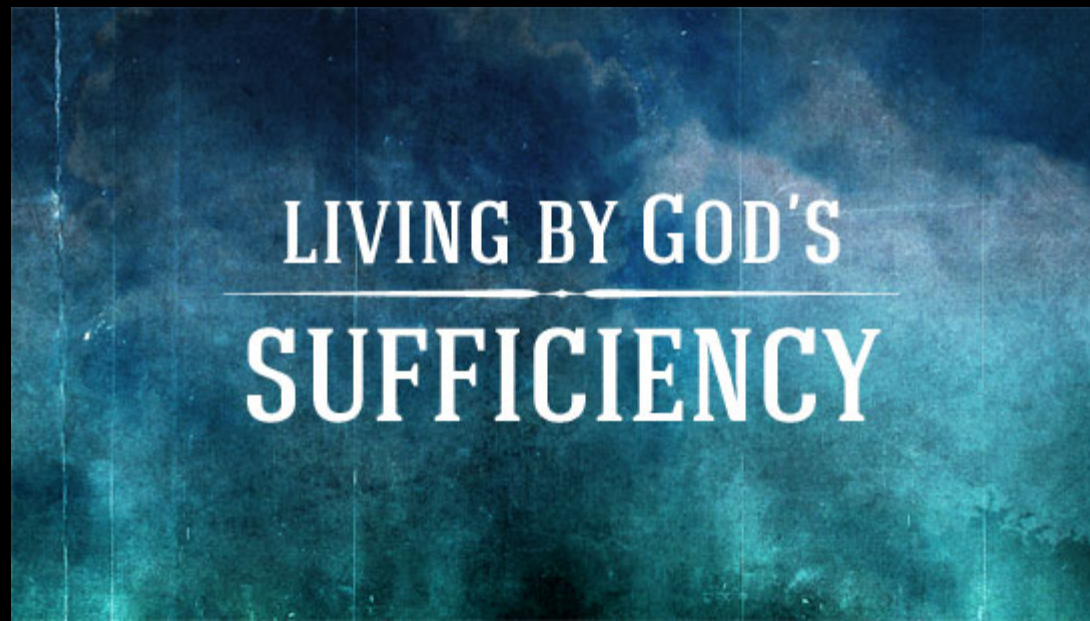
V1 “Are we beginning to commend ourselves again? Or do we need, as some do, letters of recommendation to you, or from you?”

Acts 9:1-2 “But Saul, still breathing threats and murder against the disciples of the Lord, went to the high priest and asked him for letters to the synagogues at Damascus, so that if he found any belonging to the Way, men or women, he might bring them bound to Jerusalem.”

V2-3 “You yourselves are our letter of recommendation, written on our hearts, to be known and read by all. And you show that you are a letter from Christ delivered by us, written not with ink but with the Spirit of the living God, not on tablets of stone but on tablets of human hearts.”



V4-5 “Such is the confidence that we have through Christ toward God. Not that we are sufficient in ourselves to claim anything as coming from us, but our sufficiency is from God”



Gal 6:3 “For if anyone thinks he is something, when he is nothing, he deceives himself.”

Moses

Ex 4:11-14 "Then the Lord said to him, "Who has made man's mouth? Who makes him mute, or deaf, or seeing, or blind? Is it not I, the Lord? Now therefore go, and I will be with your mouth and teach you what you shall speak." But he said, "Oh, my Lord, please send someone else." Then the anger of the Lord was kindled against Moses"

Joshua

Josh 1:5-6 “No man shall be able to stand before you all the days of your life. Just as I was with Moses, so I will be with you. I will not leave you or forsake you. Be strong and courageous, for you shall cause this people to inherit the land that I swore to their fathers to give them.”

Gideon

Judg 6:15 “And he said to him, “Please, Lord, how can I save Israel? Behold, my clan is the weakest in Manasseh, and I am the least in my father's house.”

V16 “And the LORD said to him, ‘But I will be with you, and you shall strike the Midianites as one man”

Isaiah

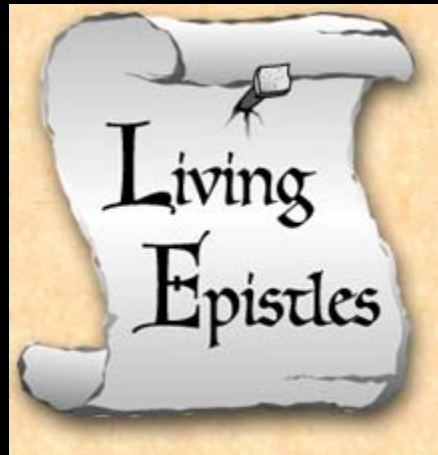
Isaiah 6:5 “Woe is me! For I am undone; for I am a man of unclean lips, and I dwell in the midst of a people of unclean lips.”



Jeremiah

Jer 1:6-8 “Ah, LORD GOD! Behold, I do not know how to speak, for I am only a youth, but the LORD said to me, ‘Do not say, “I am only a youth”; You go, and whatever I command you, speak. Don’t be afraid”

Faith in the sufficiency of God!



I am a living epistle. I am not sufficient for such a task... but God is my sufficiency!