

App I: Regression of Scales to Tithing: by Conference

## Regression

### Notes

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Missing Value Handling	Definition of Missing	User-defined missing values are treated as missing.
	Cases Used	For each variable used, missing values are replaced with the variable mean.
Syntax		REGRESSION /MISSING MEANSUBSTITUTION /STATISTICS COEFF OUTS R ANOVA /CRITERIA=PIN(.05) POUT(.10) /NOORIGIN /DEPENDENT s2TithesDetailed /METHOD=BACKWARD s1a1conf s1a3comf s1a4past s1a5cntr s1a6dvrt s1b1rule s1b3miss s1b4pool s1b5notn s1m1bib s1m2bles s1m3fami s1m4grat s1m5pay s1p1apak s1p1bpak s1p2sprt .
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**Variables Entered/Removed<sup>a</sup>**

Model	Variables Entered	Variables Removed	Method
1	s1 p2 Adventist Package: Personal Spirituality, s1 p1b Adventist Package 1B: Tea & Coffee, Eating Meat, Movies, Coca Cola, s1 m5 Motive: Pay your way, s1 a6 Attitude: OK to divert tithe, s1 b4 Belief: It is strategically valuable to pool tithe between churches, s1 m3 Motive: Church as Family, s1 b5 Belief: Church not needy, s1 a5 Attitude: wish to control own money vs Lordship, s1 m2 Motive: God will bless, s1 a4 Attitude: to local pastor, s1 a1 Attitude: Confidence in financial probity and competence of SDA church administration, s1 b3 Belief in the global mission of the SDA church, s1 m4 Motive: Gratitude, s1 b1 Belief: Bible as Rule of Faith, s1 a3 Attitude: Comfort as an SDA, s1 p1A Adventist Package A: Alcohol, Tobacco, Drugs, s1 m1 Motive: A biblical requirement <sup>b</sup>		Enter
2		s1 p1A Adventist Package A: Alcohol, Tobacco, Drugs	Backward (criterion: Probability of F-to-remove >= .100).
3		s1 m3 Motive: Church as Family	Backward (criterion: Probability of F-to-remove >= .100).

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4	.	s1 a5 Attitude: wish to control own money vs Lordship	Backward (criterion: Probability of F-to-remove >= .100).
5	.	s1 m5 Motive: Pay your way	Backward (criterion: Probability of F-to-remove >= .100).
6	.	s1 b3 Belief in the global mission of the SDA church	Backward (criterion: Probability of F-to-remove >= .100).
7	.	s1 p1b Adventist Package 1B: Tea & Coffee, Eating Meat, Movies, Coca Cola	Backward (criterion: Probability of F-to-remove >= .100).

a. Dependent Variable: Tithe Status Detailed

b. All requested variables entered.

**Model Summary**

Model	R	R Square	Adjusted R Square	Std. Error of the Estimate
1	.319 <sup>a</sup>	.102	.097	1.47715
2	.319 <sup>b</sup>	.102	.098	1.47693
3	.319 <sup>c</sup>	.102	.098	1.47672
4	.319 <sup>d</sup>	.102	.098	1.47653
5	.319 <sup>e</sup>	.102	.098	1.47647
6	.318 <sup>f</sup>	.101	.098	1.47652
7	.318 <sup>g</sup>	.101	.098	1.47675

a. Predictors: (Constant), s1 p2 Adventist Package: Personal Spirituality, s1 p1b Adventist Package 1B: Tea & Coffee, Eating Meat, Movies, Coca Cola, s1 m5 Motive: Pay your way, s1 a6 Attitude: OK to divert tithe, s1 b4 Belief: It is strategically valuable to pool tithe between churches, s1 m3 Motive: Church as Family, s1 b5 Belief: Church not needy, s1 a5 Attitude: wish to control own money vs Lordship, s1 m2 Motive: God will bless, s1 a4 Attitude: to local pastor, s1 a1 Attitude: Confidence in financial probity and competence of SDA church administration, s1 b3 Belief in the global mission of the SDA church, s1 m4 Motive: Gratitude, s1 b1 Belief: Bible as Rule of Faith, s1 a3 Attitude: Comfort as an SDA, s1 p1A Adventist Package A: Alcohol, Tobacco, Drugs, s1 m1 Motive: A biblical requirement

b. Predictors: (Constant), s1 p2 Adventist Package: Personal Spirituality, s1 p1b Adventist Package 1B: Tea & Coffee, Eating Meat, Movies, Coca Cola, s1 m5 Motive: Pay your way, s1 a6 Attitude: OK to divert tithe, s1 b4 Belief: It is strategically valuable to pool tithe between churches, s1 m3 Motive: Church as Family, s1 b5 Belief: Church not needy, s1 a5 Attitude: wish to control own money vs Lordship, s1 m2 Motive: God will bless, s1 a4 Attitude: to local pastor, s1 a1 Attitude: Confidence in financial probity and competence of SDA church

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- c. Predictors: (Constant), s1 p2 Adventist Package: Personal Spirituality, s1 p1b Adventist Package 1B: Tea & Coffee, Eating Meat, Movies, Coca Cola, s1 m5 Motive: Pay your way, s1 a6 Attitude: OK to divert tithe, s1 b4 Belief: It is strategically valuable to pool tithe between churches, s1 b5 Belief: Church not needy, s1 a5 Attitude: wish to control own money vs Lordship, s1 m2 Motive: God will bless, s1 a4 Attitude: to local pastor, s1 a1 Attitude: Confidence in financial probity and competence of SDA church administration, s1 b3 Belief in the global mission of the SDA church, s1 m4 Motive: Gratitude, s1 b1 Belief: Bible as Rule of Faith, s1 a3 Attitude: Comfort as an SDA, s1 m1 Motive: A biblical requirement
- d. Predictors: (Constant), s1 p2 Adventist Package: Personal Spirituality, s1 p1b Adventist Package 1B: Tea & Coffee, Eating Meat, Movies, Coca Cola, s1 m5 Motive: Pay your way, s1 a6 Attitude: OK to divert tithe, s1 b4 Belief: It is strategically valuable to pool tithe between churches, s1 b5 Belief: Church not needy, s1 m2 Motive: God will bless, s1 a4 Attitude: to local pastor, s1 a1 Attitude: Confidence in financial probity and competence of SDA church administration, s1 b3 Belief in the global mission of the SDA church, s1 m4 Motive: Gratitude, s1 b1 Belief: Bible as Rule of Faith, s1 a3 Attitude: Comfort as an SDA, s1 m1 Motive: A biblical requirement
- e. Predictors: (Constant), s1 p2 Adventist Package: Personal Spirituality, s1 p1b Adventist Package 1B: Tea & Coffee, Eating Meat, Movies, Coca Cola, s1 a6 Attitude: OK to divert tithe, s1 b4 Belief: It is strategically valuable to pool tithe between churches, s1 b5 Belief: Church not needy, s1 m2 Motive: God will bless, s1 a4 Attitude: to local pastor, s1 a1 Attitude: Confidence in financial probity and competence of SDA church administration, s1 b3 Belief in the global mission of the SDA church, s1 m4 Motive: Gratitude, s1 b1 Belief: Bible as Rule of Faith, s1 a3 Attitude: Comfort as an SDA, s1 m1 Motive: A biblical requirement
- f. Predictors: (Constant), s1 p2 Adventist Package: Personal Spirituality, s1 p1b Adventist Package 1B: Tea & Coffee, Eating Meat, Movies, Coca Cola, s1 a6 Attitude: OK to divert tithe, s1 b4 Belief: It is strategically valuable to pool tithe between churches, s1 b5 Belief: Church not needy, s1 m2 Motive: God will bless, s1 a4 Attitude: to local pastor, s1 a1 Attitude: Confidence in financial probity and competence of SDA church administration, s1 m4 Motive: Gratitude, s1 b1 Belief: Bible as Rule of Faith, s1 a3 Attitude: Comfort as an SDA, s1 m1 Motive: A biblical requirement
- g. Predictors: (Constant), s1 p2 Adventist Package: Personal Spirituality, s1 a6 Attitude: OK to divert tithe, s1 b4 Belief: It is strategically valuable to pool tithe between churches, s1 b5 Belief: Church not needy, s1 m2 Motive: God will bless, s1 a4 Attitude: to local pastor, s1 a1 Attitude: Confidence in financial probity and competence of SDA church administration, s1 m4 Motive: Gratitude, s1 b1 Belief: Bible as Rule of Faith, s1 a3 Attitude: Comfort as an SDA, s1 m1 Motive: A biblical requirement

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**ANOVA<sup>a</sup>**

Model		Sum of Squares	df	Mean Square	F	Sig.
1	Regression	825.784	17	48.576	22.262	.000 <sup>b</sup>
	Residual	7268.166	3331	2.182		
	Total	8093.949	3348			
2	Regression	825.760	16	51.610	23.660	.000 <sup>c</sup>
	Residual	7268.189	3332	2.181		
	Total	8093.949	3348			
3	Regression	825.700	15	55.047	25.243	.000 <sup>d</sup>
	Residual	7268.249	3333	2.181		
	Total	8093.949	3348			
4	Regression	825.382	14	58.956	27.042	.000 <sup>e</sup>
	Residual	7268.568	3334	2.180		
	Total	8093.949	3348			
5	Regression	823.747	13	63.365	29.067	.000 <sup>f</sup>
	Residual	7270.202	3335	2.180		
	Total	8093.949	3348			
6	Regression	821.065	12	68.422	31.385	.000 <sup>g</sup>
	Residual	7272.885	3336	2.180		
	Total	8093.949	3348			

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**ANOVA<sup>a</sup>**

Model		Sum of Squares	df	Mean Square	F	Sig.
7	Regression	816.634	11	74.239	34.042	.000 <sup>h</sup>
	Residual	7277.315	3337	2.181		
	Total	8093.949	3348			

a. Dependent Variable: Tithe Status Detailed

b. Predictors: (Constant), s1 p2 Adventist Package: Personal Spirituality, s1 p1b Adventist Package 1B: Tea & Coffee, Eating Meat, Movies, Coca Cola, s1 m5 Motive: Pay your way, s1 a6 Attitude: OK to divert tithe, s1 b4 Belief: It is strategically valuable to pool tithe between churches, s1 m3 Motive: Church as Family, s1 b5 Belief: Church not needy, s1 a5 Attitude: wish to control own money vs Lordship, s1 m2 Motive: God will bless, s1 a4 Attitude: to local pastor, s1 a1 Attitude: Confidence in financial probity and competence of SDA church administration, s1 b3 Belief in the global mission of the SDA church, s1 m4 Motive: Gratitude, s1 b1 Belief: Bible as Rule of Faith, s1 a3 Attitude: Comfort as an SDA, s1 p1A Adventist Package A: Alcohol, Tobacco, Drugs, s1 m1 Motive: A biblical requirement

c. Predictors: (Constant), s1 p2 Adventist Package: Personal Spirituality, s1 p1b Adventist Package 1B: Tea & Coffee, Eating Meat, Movies, Coca Cola, s1 m5 Motive: Pay your way, s1 a6 Attitude: OK to divert tithe, s1 b4

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- d. Predictors: (Constant), s1 p2 Adventist Package: Personal Spirituality, s1 p1b Adventist Package 1B: Tea & Coffee, Eating Meat, Movies, Coca Cola, s1 m5 Motive: Pay your way, s1 a6 Attitude: OK to divert tithe, s1 b4 Belief: It is strategically valuable to pool tithe between churches, s1 b5 Belief: Church not needy, s1 a5 Attitude: wish to control own money vs Lordship, s1 m2 Motive: God will bless, s1 a4 Attitude: to local pastor, s1 a1 Attitude: Confidence in financial probity and competence of SDA church administration, s1 b3 Belief in the global mission of the SDA church, s1 m4 Motive: Gratitude, s1 b1 Belief: Bible as Rule of Faith, s1 a3 Attitude: Comfort as an SDA, s1 m1 Motive: A biblical requirement
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**Coefficients<sup>a</sup>**

Model		Unstandardized Coefficients		Standardized Coefficients	t	Sig.
		B	Std. Error	Beta		
1	(Constant)	1.350	.554		2.439	.015
	s1 a1 Attitude: Confidence in financial probity and competence of SDA church administration	.093	.061	.030	1.522	.128
	s1 a3 Attitude: Comfort as an SDA	.156	.104	.034	1.497	.134
	s1 a4 Attitude: to local pastor	-.270	.071	-.072	-3.811	.000
	s1 a5 Attitude: wish to control own money vs Lordship	-.032	.082	-.008	-.394	.694
	s1 a6 Attitude: OK to divert tithe	-.280	.042	-.112	-6.744	.000
	s1 b1 Belief: Bible as Rule of Faith	-.329	.101	-.070	-3.250	.001
	s1 b3 Belief in the global mission of the SDA church	.113	.106	.023	1.070	.285
	s1 b4 Belief: It is strategically valuable to pool tithe between churches	.117	.050	.040	2.318	.021
	s1 b5 Belief: Church not needy	-.382	.070	-.097	-5.426	.000
	s1 m1 Motive: A biblical requirement	.632	.124	.123	5.081	.000
	s1 m2 Motive: God will bless	-.147	.057	-.049	-2.590	.010
	s1 m3 Motive: Church as Family	.012	.075	.003	.166	.868
	s1 m4 Motive: Gratitude	.430	.083	.107	5.152	.000

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**Coefficients<sup>a</sup>**

Model	Unstandardized Coefficients		Standardized Coefficients	t	Sig.
	B	Std. Error	Beta		
s1 m5 Motive: Pay your way	.069	.080	.018	.853	.394
s1 p1A Adventist Package A: Alcohol, Tobacco, Drugs	.008	.076	.002	.104	.917
s1 p1b Adventist Package 1B: Tea & Coffee, Eating Meat, Movies, Coca Cola	.063	.068	.022	.930	.352
s1 p2 Adventist Package: Personal Spirituality	.611	.068	.148	8.924	.000
2 (Constant)	1.363	.540		2.521	.012
s1 a1 Attitude: Confidence in financial probity and competence of SDA church administration	.093	.061	.030	1.522	.128
s1 a3 Attitude: Comfort as an SDA	.156	.104	.034	1.497	.134
s1 a4 Attitude: to local pastor	-.270	.071	-.072	-3.812	.000
s1 a5 Attitude: wish to control own money vs Lordship	-.032	.082	-.008	-.394	.694
s1 a6 Attitude: OK to divert tithe	-.280	.041	-.112	-6.745	.000
s1 b1 Belief: Bible as Rule of Faith	-.329	.101	-.070	-3.250	.001
s1 b3 Belief in the global mission of the SDA church	.113	.106	.023	1.070	.284
s1 b4 Belief: It is strategically valuable to pool tithe between churches	.117	.050	.040	2.318	.021
s1 b5 Belief: Church not needy	-.382	.070	-.097	-5.427	.000
s1 m1 Motive: A biblical requirement	.632	.124	.123	5.082	.000
s1 m2 Motive: God will bless	-.147	.057	-.049	-2.590	.010
s1 m3 Motive: Church as Family	.012	.075	.003	.166	.868

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**Coefficients<sup>a</sup>**

Model	Unstandardized Coefficients		Standardized Coefficients	t	Sig.
	B	Std. Error	Beta		
s1 m4 Motive: Gratitude	.430	.083	.107	5.152	.000
s1 m5 Motive: Pay your way	.069	.080	.018	.853	.394
s1 p1b Adventist Package 1B: Tea & Coffee, Eating Meat, Movies, Coca Cola	.068	.048	.023	1.425	.154
s1 p2 Adventist Package: Personal Spirituality	.611	.068	.148	8.925	.000
3 (Constant)	1.374	.536		2.565	.010
s1 a1 Attitude: Confidence in financial probity and competence of SDA church administration	.094	.061	.030	1.544	.123
s1 a3 Attitude: Comfort as an SDA	.159	.103	.035	1.550	.121
s1 a4 Attitude: to local pastor	-.268	.069	-.071	-3.858	.000
s1 a5 Attitude: wish to control own money vs Lordship	-.031	.081	-.007	-.382	.702
s1 a6 Attitude: OK to divert tithe	-.280	.041	-.112	-6.746	.000
s1 b1 Belief: Bible as Rule of Faith	-.329	.101	-.070	-3.247	.001
s1 b3 Belief in the global mission of the SDA church	.112	.106	.023	1.065	.287
s1 b4 Belief: It is strategically valuable to pool tithe between churches	.117	.050	.040	2.315	.021
s1 b5 Belief: Church not needy	-.383	.070	-.097	-5.453	.000
s1 m1 Motive: A biblical requirement	.631	.124	.123	5.080	.000
s1 m2 Motive: God will bless	-.146	.056	-.049	-2.586	.010
s1 m4 Motive: Gratitude	.431	.083	.107	5.177	.000
s1 m5 Motive: Pay your way	.069	.080	.018	.856	.392

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**Coefficients<sup>a</sup>**

Model	Unstandardized Coefficients		Standardized Coefficients	t	Sig.	
	B	Std. Error	Beta			
	s1 p1b Adventist Package 1B: Tea & Coffee, Eating Meat, Movies, Coca Cola	.068	.048	.023	1.425	.154
	s1 p2 Adventist Package: Personal Spirituality	.611	.068	.148	8.926	.000
4	(Constant)	1.349	.532		2.538	.011
	s1 a1 Attitude: Confidence in financial probity and competence of SDA church administration	.094	.061	.030	1.549	.121
	s1 a3 Attitude: Comfort as an SDA	.158	.103	.034	1.536	.125
	s1 a4 Attitude: to local pastor	-.269	.069	-.071	-3.869	.000
	s1 a6 Attitude: OK to divert tithe	-.280	.041	-.112	-6.747	.000
	s1 b1 Belief: Bible as Rule of Faith	-.338	.098	-.072	-3.447	.001
	s1 b3 Belief in the global mission of the SDA church	.111	.105	.023	1.053	.293
	s1 b4 Belief: It is strategically valuable to pool tithe between churches	.118	.050	.040	2.348	.019
	s1 b5 Belief: Church not needy	-.383	.070	-.097	-5.453	.000
	s1 m1 Motive: A biblical requirement	.624	.123	.121	5.086	.000
	s1 m2 Motive: God will bless	-.148	.056	-.050	-2.628	.009
	s1 m4 Motive: Gratitude	.427	.083	.106	5.168	.000
	s1 m5 Motive: Pay your way	.069	.080	.018	.866	.387
	s1 p1b Adventist Package 1B: Tea & Coffee, Eating Meat, Movies, Coca Cola	.068	.048	.023	1.426	.154
	s1 p2 Adventist Package: Personal Spirituality	.611	.068	.148	8.927	.000

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Model		Unstandardized Coefficients		Standardized Coefficients	t	Sig.
		B	Std. Error	Beta		
5	(Constant)	1.380	.530		2.602	.009
	s1 a1 Attitude: Confidence in financial probity and competence of SDA church administration	.100	.060	.032	1.663	.096
	s1 a3 Attitude: Comfort as an SDA	.167	.102	.036	1.629	.103
	s1 a4 Attitude: to local pastor	-.262	.069	-.069	-3.800	.000
	s1 a6 Attitude: OK to divert tithe	-.280	.041	-.112	-6.748	.000
	s1 b1 Belief: Bible as Rule of Faith	-.333	.098	-.071	-3.403	.001
	s1 b3 Belief in the global mission of the SDA church	.117	.105	.024	1.109	.267
	s1 b4 Belief: It is strategically valuable to pool tithe between churches	.123	.050	.042	2.469	.014
	s1 b5 Belief: Church not needy	-.392	.069	-.100	-5.659	.000
	s1 m1 Motive: A biblical requirement	.641	.121	.125	5.295	.000
	s1 m2 Motive: God will bless	-.142	.056	-.048	-2.544	.011
	s1 m4 Motive: Gratitude	.435	.082	.108	5.306	.000
	s1 p1b Adventist Package 1B: Tea & Coffee, Eating Meat, Movies, Coca Cola	.068	.048	.023	1.426	.154
	s1 p2 Adventist Package: Personal Spirituality	.611	.068	.148	8.928	.000
6	(Constant)	1.478	.523		2.827	.005
	s1 a1 Attitude: Confidence in financial probity and competence of SDA church administration	.109	.060	.035	1.820	.069
	s1 a3 Attitude: Comfort as an SDA	.199	.098	.043	2.035	.042

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Model	Unstandardized Coefficients		Standardized Coefficients	t	Sig.
	B	Std. Error	Beta		
s1 a4 Attitude: to local pastor	-.260	.069	-.069	-3.769	.000
s1 a6 Attitude: OK to divert tithe	-.280	.041	-.112	-6.747	.000
s1 b1 Belief: Bible as Rule of Faith	-.312	.096	-.067	-3.248	.001
s1 b4 Belief: It is strategically valuable to pool tithe between churches	.126	.050	.043	2.519	.012
s1 b5 Belief: Church not needy	-.392	.069	-.099	-5.652	.000
s1 m1 Motive: A biblical requirement	.670	.118	.130	5.669	.000
s1 m2 Motive: God will bless	-.148	.055	-.050	-2.673	.008
s1 m4 Motive: Gratitude	.437	.082	.108	5.324	.000
s1 p1b Adventist Package 1B: Tea & Coffee, Eating Meat, Movies, Coca Cola	.068	.048	.023	1.426	.154
s1 p2 Adventist Package: Personal Spirituality	.611	.068	.148	8.927	.000
7 (Constant)	1.669	.506		3.301	.001
s1 a1 Attitude: Confidence in financial probity and competence of SDA church administration	.109	.060	.035	1.820	.069
s1 a3 Attitude: Comfort as an SDA	.199	.098	.043	2.035	.042
s1 a4 Attitude: to local pastor	-.260	.069	-.069	-3.768	.000
s1 a6 Attitude: OK to divert tithe	-.280	.041	-.112	-6.746	.000
s1 b1 Belief: Bible as Rule of Faith	-.312	.096	-.067	-3.247	.001
s1 b4 Belief: It is strategically valuable to pool tithe between churches	.126	.050	.043	2.518	.012

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Model	Unstandardized Coefficients		Standardized Coefficients	t	Sig.
	B	Std. Error	Beta		
s1 b5 Belief: Church not needy	-.392	.069	-.099	-5.651	.000
s1 m1 Motive: A biblical requirement	.670	.118	.130	5.668	.000
s1 m2 Motive: God will bless	-.148	.056	-.050	-2.673	.008
s1 m4 Motive: Gratitude	.437	.082	.108	5.323	.000
s1 p2 Adventist Package: Personal Spirituality	.611	.068	.148	8.926	.000

a. Dependent Variable: Tithe Status Detailed

**Excluded Variables<sup>a</sup>**

Model	Beta In	t	Sig.	Partial Correlation	Collinearity Statistics
					Tolerance
2 s1 p1A Adventist Package A: Alcohol, Tobacco, Drugs	.002 <sup>b</sup>	.104	.917	.002	.497
3 s1 p1A Adventist Package A: Alcohol, Tobacco, Drugs	.002 <sup>c</sup>	.104	.917	.002	.497
s1 m3 Motive: Church as Family	.003 <sup>c</sup>	.166	.868	.003	.763
4 s1 p1A Adventist Package A: Alcohol, Tobacco, Drugs	.002 <sup>d</sup>	.104	.917	.002	.497
s1 m3 Motive: Church as Family	.003 <sup>d</sup>	.136	.892	.002	.767
s1 a5 Attitude: wish to control own money vs Lordship	-.007 <sup>d</sup>	-3.82	.702	-.007	.701
5 s1 p1A Adventist Package A: Alcohol, Tobacco, Drugs	.002 <sup>e</sup>	.104	.917	.002	.497
s1 m3 Motive: Church as Family	.003 <sup>e</sup>	.145	.884	.003	.767

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**Excluded Variables<sup>a</sup>**

Model	Beta In	t	Sig.	Partial Correlation	Collinearity Statistics
					Tolerance
s1 a5 Attitude: wish to control own money vs Lordship	-.008 <sup>e</sup>	-.404	.686	-.007	.701
s1 m5 Motive: Pay your way	.018 <sup>e</sup>	.866	.387	.015	.600
6					
s1 p1A Adventist Package A: Alcohol, Tobacco, Drugs	.002 <sup>f</sup>	.104	.917	.002	.497
s1 m3 Motive: Church as Family	.002 <sup>f</sup>	.106	.916	.002	.768
s1 a5 Attitude: wish to control own money vs Lordship	-.007 <sup>f</sup>	-.368	.713	-.006	.702
s1 m5 Motive: Pay your way	.020 <sup>f</sup>	.934	.350	.016	.602
s1 b3 Belief in the global mission of the SDA church	.024 <sup>f</sup>	1.109	.267	.019	.573
7					
s1 p1A Adventist Package A: Alcohol, Tobacco, Drugs	.018 <sup>g</sup>	1.085	.278	.019	1.000
s1 m3 Motive: Church as Family	.002 <sup>g</sup>	.106	.916	.002	.768
s1 a5 Attitude: wish to control own money vs Lordship	-.007 <sup>g</sup>	-.368	.713	-.006	.702
s1 m5 Motive: Pay your way	.020 <sup>g</sup>	.934	.351	.016	.602
s1 b3 Belief in the global mission of the SDA church	.024 <sup>g</sup>	1.109	.267	.019	.573
s1 p1b Adventist Package 1B: Tea & Coffee, Eating Meat, Movies, Coca Cola	.023 <sup>g</sup>	1.426	.154	.025	1.000

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- a. Dependent Variable: Tithe Status Detailed
- b. Predictors in the Model: (Constant), s1 p2 Adventist Package: Personal Spirituality, s1 p1b Adventist Package 1B: Tea & Coffee, Eating Meat, Movies, Coca Cola, s1 m5 Motive: Pay your way, s1 a6 Attitude: OK to divert tithe, s1 b4 Belief: It is strategically valuable to pool tithe between churches, s1 m3 Motive: Church as Family, s1 b5 Belief: Church not needy, s1 a5 Attitude: wish to control own money vs Lordship, s1 m2 Motive: God will bless, s1 a4 Attitude: to local pastor, s1 a1 Attitude: Confidence in financial probity and competence of SDA church administration, s1 b3 Belief in the global mission of the SDA church, s1 m4 Motive: Gratitude, s1 b1 Belief: Bible as Rule of Faith, s1 a3 Attitude: Comfort as an SDA, s1 m1 Motive: A biblical requirement
- c. Predictors in the Model: (Constant), s1 p2 Adventist Package: Personal Spirituality, s1 p1b Adventist Package 1B: Tea & Coffee, Eating Meat, Movies, Coca Cola, s1 m5 Motive: Pay your way, s1 a6 Attitude: OK to divert tithe, s1 b4 Belief: It is strategically valuable to pool tithe between churches, s1 b5 Belief: Church not needy, s1 a5 Attitude: wish to control own money vs Lordship, s1 m2 Motive: God will bless, s1 a4 Attitude: to local pastor, s1 a1 Attitude: Confidence in financial probity and competence of SDA church administration, s1 b3 Belief in the global mission of the SDA church, s1 m4 Motive: Gratitude, s1 b1 Belief: Bible as Rule of Faith, s1 a3 Attitude: Comfort as an SDA, s1 m1 Motive: A biblical requirement
- d. Predictors in the Model: (Constant), s1 p2 Adventist Package: Personal Spirituality, s1 p1b Adventist Package 1B: Tea & Coffee, Eating Meat, Movies, Coca Cola, s1 m5 Motive: Pay your way, s1 a6 Attitude: OK to divert tithe, s1 b4 Belief: It is strategically valuable to pool tithe between churches, s1 b5 Belief: Church not needy, s1 m2 Motive: God will bless, s1 a4 Attitude: to local pastor, s1 a1 Attitude: Confidence in financial probity and competence of SDA church administration, s1 b3 Belief in the global mission of the SDA church, s1 m4 Motive: Gratitude, s1 b1 Belief: Bible as Rule of Faith, s1 a3 Attitude: Comfort as an SDA, s1 m1 Motive: A biblical requirement
- e. Predictors in the Model: (Constant), s1 p2 Adventist Package: Personal Spirituality, s1 p1b Adventist Package 1B: Tea & Coffee, Eating Meat, Movies, Coca Cola, s1 a6 Attitude: OK to divert tithe, s1 b4 Belief: It is strategically valuable to pool tithe between churches, s1 b5 Belief: Church not needy, s1 m2 Motive: God will bless, s1 a4 Attitude: to local pastor, s1 a1 Attitude: Confidence in financial probity and competence of SDA church administration, s1 b3 Belief in the global mission of the SDA church, s1 m4 Motive: Gratitude, s1 b1 Belief: Bible as Rule of Faith, s1 a3 Attitude: Comfort as an SDA, s1 m1 Motive: A biblical requirement
- f. Predictors in the Model: (Constant), s1 p2 Adventist Package: Personal Spirituality, s1 p1b Adventist Package 1B: Tea & Coffee, Eating Meat, Movies, Coca Cola, s1 a6 Attitude: OK to divert tithe, s1 b4 Belief: It is strategically valuable to pool tithe between churches, s1 b5 Belief: Church not needy, s1 m2 Motive: God will bless, s1 a4 Attitude: to local pastor, s1 a1 Attitude: Confidence in financial probity and competence of SDA church administration, s1 m4 Motive: Gratitude, s1 b1 Belief: Bible as Rule of Faith, s1 a3 Attitude: Comfort as an SDA, s1 m1 Motive: A biblical requirement
- g. Predictors in the Model: (Constant), s1 p2 Adventist Package: Personal Spirituality, s1 a6 Attitude: OK to divert tithe, s1 b4 Belief: It is strategically valuable to pool tithe between churches, s1 b5 Belief: Church not needy, s1 m2 Motive: God will bless, s1 a4 Attitude: to local pastor, s1 a1 Attitude: Confidence in financial probity and competence of SDA church administration, s1 m4 Motive: Gratitude, s1 b1 Belief: Bible as Rule of Faith, s1 a3 Attitude: Comfort as an SDA, s1 m1 Motive: A biblical requirement

App I: Regression of Scales to Tithing: by Conference

## Regression

### Notes

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### Warnings

For models with dependent variable Tithes Status Detailed, the following variables are constants or have missing correlations: s1 b3 Belief in the global mission of the SDA church. They will be deleted from the analysis.

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**Variables Entered/Removed<sup>a</sup>**

Model	Variables Entered	Variables Removed	Method
1	s1 p2 Adventist Package: Personal Spirituality, s1 p1b Adventist Package 1B: Tea & Coffee, Eating Meat, Movies, Coca Cola, s1 m5 Motive: Pay your way, s1 m2 Motive: God will bless, s1 a6 Attitude: OK to divert tithe, s1 b5 Belief: Church not needy, s1 a5 Attitude: wish to control own money vs Lordship, s1 b4 Belief: It is strategically valuable to pool tithe between churches, s1 m3 Motive: Church as Family, s1 a4 Attitude: to local pastor, s1 m4 Motive: Gratitude, s1 a1 Attitude: Confidence in financial probity and competence of SDA church administration, s1 a3 Attitude: Comfort as an SDA, s1 b1 Belief: Bible as Rule of Faith, s1 p1A Adventist Package A: Alcohol, Tobacco, Drugs, s1 m1 Motive: A biblical requirement <sup>b</sup>		Enter
2		s1 m5 Motive: Pay your way	Backward (criterion: Probability of F-to-remove >= .100).
3		s1 b1 Belief: Bible as Rule of Faith	Backward (criterion: Probability of F-to-remove >= .100).
4		s1 a1 Attitude: Confidence in financial probity and competence of SDA church administration	Backward (criterion: Probability of F-to-remove >= .100).

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**Variables Entered/Removed<sup>a</sup>**

Model	Variables Entered	Variables Removed	Method
5	.	s1 a3 Attitude: Comfort as an SDA	Backward (criterion: Probability of F-to-remove >= .100).
6	.	s1 a4 Attitude: to local pastor	Backward (criterion: Probability of F-to-remove >= .100).
7	.	s1 m4 Motive: Gratitude	Backward (criterion: Probability of F-to-remove >= .100).

a. Dependent Variable: Tithe Status Detailed

b. All requested variables entered.

**Model Summary**

Model	R	R Square	Adjusted R Square	Std. Error of the Estimate
1	.219 <sup>a</sup>	.048	.040	1.58776
2	.219 <sup>b</sup>	.048	.040	1.58735
3	.219 <sup>c</sup>	.048	.041	1.58694
4	.219 <sup>d</sup>	.048	.041	1.58658
5	.218 <sup>e</sup>	.047	.042	1.58643
6	.217 <sup>f</sup>	.047	.042	1.58626
7	.216 <sup>g</sup>	.046	.042	1.58642

a. Predictors: (Constant), s1 p2 Adventist Package: Personal Spirituality, s1 p1b Adventist Package 1B: Tea & Coffee, Eating Meat, Movies, Coca Cola, s1 m5 Motive: Pay your way, s1 m2 Motive: God will bless, s1 a6 Attitude: OK to divert tithe, s1 b5 Belief: Church not needy, s1 a5 Attitude: wish to control own money vs Lordship, s1 b4 Belief: It is strategically valuable to pool tithe between churches, s1 m3 Motive: Church as Family, s1 a4 Attitude: to local pastor, s1 m4 Motive: Gratitude, s1 a1 Attitude: Confidence in financial probity and competence of SDA church administration, s1 a3 Attitude: Comfort as an SDA, s1 b1 Belief: Bible as Rule of Faith, s1 p1A Adventist Package A: Alcohol, Tobacco, Drugs, s1 m1 Motive: A biblical requirement

b. Predictors: (Constant), s1 p2 Adventist Package: Personal Spirituality, s1 p1b Adventist Package 1B: Tea & Coffee, Eating Meat, Movies, Coca Cola, s1 m2 Motive: God will bless, s1 a6 Attitude: OK to divert tithe, s1 b5 Belief: Church not needy, s1 a5 Attitude: wish to control own money vs Lordship, s1 b4 Belief: It is strategically valuable to pool tithe between churches, s1 m3 Motive: Church as Family, s1 a4 Attitude: to local pastor, s1 m4 Motive: Gratitude, s1 a1 Attitude: Confidence in financial probity and competence of SDA church administration,

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- c. Predictors: (Constant), s1 p2 Adventist Package: Personal Spirituality, s1 p1b Adventist Package 1B: Tea & Coffee, Eating Meat, Movies, Coca Cola, s1 m2 Motive: God will bless, s1 a6 Attitude: OK to divert tithe, s1 b5 Belief: Church not needy, s1 a5 Attitude: wish to control own money vs Lordship, s1 b4 Belief: It is strategically valuable to pool tithe between churches, s1 m3 Motive: Church as Family, s1 a4 Attitude: to local pastor, s1 m4 Motive: Gratitude, s1 a1 Attitude: Confidence in financial probity and competence of SDA church administration, s1 a3 Attitude: Comfort as an SDA, s1 p1A Adventist Package A: Alcohol, Tobacco, Drugs, s1 m1 Motive: A biblical requirement
- d. Predictors: (Constant), s1 p2 Adventist Package: Personal Spirituality, s1 p1b Adventist Package 1B: Tea & Coffee, Eating Meat, Movies, Coca Cola, s1 m2 Motive: God will bless, s1 a6 Attitude: OK to divert tithe, s1 b5 Belief: Church not needy, s1 a5 Attitude: wish to control own money vs Lordship, s1 b4 Belief: It is strategically valuable to pool tithe between churches, s1 m3 Motive: Church as Family, s1 a4 Attitude: to local pastor, s1 m4 Motive: Gratitude, s1 a3 Attitude: Comfort as an SDA, s1 p1A Adventist Package A: Alcohol, Tobacco, Drugs, s1 m1 Motive: A biblical requirement
- e. Predictors: (Constant), s1 p2 Adventist Package: Personal Spirituality, s1 p1b Adventist Package 1B: Tea & Coffee, Eating Meat, Movies, Coca Cola, s1 m2 Motive: God will bless, s1 a6 Attitude: OK to divert tithe, s1 b5 Belief: Church not needy, s1 a5 Attitude: wish to control own money vs Lordship, s1 b4 Belief: It is strategically valuable to pool tithe between churches, s1 m3 Motive: Church as Family, s1 a4 Attitude: to local pastor, s1 m4 Motive: Gratitude, s1 p1A Adventist Package A: Alcohol, Tobacco, Drugs, s1 m1 Motive: A biblical requirement
- f. Predictors: (Constant), s1 p2 Adventist Package: Personal Spirituality, s1 p1b Adventist Package 1B: Tea & Coffee, Eating Meat, Movies, Coca Cola, s1 m2 Motive: God will bless, s1 a6 Attitude: OK to divert tithe, s1 b5 Belief: Church not needy, s1 a5 Attitude: wish to control own money vs Lordship, s1 b4 Belief: It is strategically valuable to pool tithe between churches, s1 m3 Motive: Church as Family, s1 m4 Motive: Gratitude, s1 p1A Adventist Package A: Alcohol, Tobacco, Drugs, s1 m1 Motive: A biblical requirement
- g. Predictors: (Constant), s1 p2 Adventist Package: Personal Spirituality, s1 p1b Adventist Package 1B: Tea & Coffee, Eating Meat, Movies, Coca Cola, s1 m2 Motive: God will bless, s1 a6 Attitude: OK to divert tithe, s1 b5 Belief: Church not needy, s1 a5 Attitude: wish to control own money vs Lordship, s1 b4 Belief: It is strategically valuable to pool tithe between churches, s1 m3 Motive: Church as Family, s1 p1A Adventist Package A: Alcohol, Tobacco, Drugs, s1 m1 Motive: A biblical requirement

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**ANOVA<sup>a</sup>**

Model		Sum of Squares	df	Mean Square	F	Sig.
1	Regression	243.105	16	15.194	6.027	.000 <sup>b</sup>
	Residual	4840.294	1920	2.521		
	Total	5083.399	1936			
2	Regression	243.105	15	16.207	6.432	.000 <sup>c</sup>
	Residual	4840.294	1921	2.520		
	Total	5083.399	1936			
3	Regression	243.058	14	17.361	6.894	.000 <sup>d</sup>
	Residual	4840.341	1922	2.518		
	Total	5083.399	1936			
4	Regression	242.771	13	18.675	7.419	.000 <sup>e</sup>
	Residual	4840.628	1923	2.517		
	Total	5083.399	1936			
5	Regression	241.175	12	20.098	7.986	.000 <sup>f</sup>
	Residual	4842.225	1924	2.517		
	Total	5083.399	1936			
6	Regression	239.647	11	21.786	8.658	.000 <sup>g</sup>
	Residual	4843.753	1925	2.516		
	Total	5083.399	1936			

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**ANOVA<sup>a</sup>**

Model		Sum of Squares	df	Mean Square	F	Sig.
7	Regression	236.208	10	23.621	9.386	.000 <sup>h</sup>
	Residual	4847.192	1926	2.517		
	Total	5083.399	1936			

a. Dependent Variable: Tithe Status Detailed

b. Predictors: (Constant), s1 p2 Adventist Package: Personal Spirituality, s1 p1b Adventist Package 1B: Tea & Coffee, Eating Meat, Movies, Coca Cola, s1 m5 Motive: Pay your way, s1 m2 Motive: God will bless, s1 a6 Attitude: OK to divert tithe, s1 b5 Belief: Church not needy, s1 a5 Attitude: wish to control own money vs Lordship, s1 b4 Belief: It is strategically valuable to pool tithe between churches, s1 m3 Motive: Church as Family, s1 a4 Attitude: to local pastor, s1 m4 Motive: Gratitude, s1 a1 Attitude: Confidence in financial probity and competence of SDA church administration, s1 a3 Attitude: Comfort as an SDA, s1 b1 Belief: Bible as Rule of Faith, s1 p1A Adventist Package A: Alcohol, Tobacco, Drugs, s1 m1 Motive: A biblical requirement

c. Predictors: (Constant), s1 p2 Adventist Package: Personal Spirituality, s1 p1b Adventist Package 1B: Tea & Coffee, Eating Meat, Movies, Coca Cola, s1 m2 Motive: God will bless, s1 a6 Attitude: OK to divert tithe, s1 b5 Belief: Church not needy, s1 a5 Attitude: wish to control own money vs Lordship, s1 b4 Belief: It is strategically valuable to pool tithe between churches, s1 m3 Motive: Church as Family, s1 a4 Attitude: to local pastor, s1 m4 Motive: Gratitude, s1 a1 Attitude: Confidence in financial probity and competence of SDA church administration, s1 a3 Attitude: Comfort as an SDA, s1 b1 Belief: Bible as Rule of Faith, s1 p1A Adventist Package A: Alcohol, Tobacco, Drugs, s1 m1 Motive: A biblical requirement

d. Predictors: (Constant), s1 p2 Adventist Package: Personal Spirituality, s1 p1b Adventist Package 1B: Tea & Coffee, Eating Meat, Movies, Coca Cola, s1 m2 Motive: God will bless, s1 a6 Attitude: OK to divert tithe, s1 b5 Belief: Church not needy, s1 a5 Attitude: wish to control own money vs Lordship, s1 b4 Belief: It is strategically valuable to pool tithe between churches, s1 m3 Motive: Church as Family, s1 a4 Attitude: to local pastor, s1 m4

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- e. Predictors: (Constant), s1 p2 Adventist Package: Personal Spirituality, s1 p1b Adventist Package 1B: Tea & Coffee, Eating Meat, Movies, Coca Cola, s1 m2 Motive: God will bless, s1 a6 Attitude: OK to divert tithe, s1 b5 Belief: Church not needy, s1 a5 Attitude: wish to control own money vs Lordship, s1 b4 Belief: It is strategically valuable to pool tithe between churches, s1 m3 Motive: Church as Family, s1 a4 Attitude: to local pastor, s1 m4 Motive: Gratitude, s1 a3 Attitude: Comfort as an SDA, s1 p1A Adventist Package A: Alcohol, Tobacco, Drugs, s1 m1 Motive: A biblical requirement
- f. Predictors: (Constant), s1 p2 Adventist Package: Personal Spirituality, s1 p1b Adventist Package 1B: Tea & Coffee, Eating Meat, Movies, Coca Cola, s1 m2 Motive: God will bless, s1 a6 Attitude: OK to divert tithe, s1 b5 Belief: Church not needy, s1 a5 Attitude: wish to control own money vs Lordship, s1 b4 Belief: It is strategically valuable to pool tithe between churches, s1 m3 Motive: Church as Family, s1 a4 Attitude: to local pastor, s1 m4 Motive: Gratitude, s1 p1A Adventist Package A: Alcohol, Tobacco, Drugs, s1 m1 Motive: A biblical requirement
- g. Predictors: (Constant), s1 p2 Adventist Package: Personal Spirituality, s1 p1b Adventist Package 1B: Tea & Coffee, Eating Meat, Movies, Coca Cola, s1 m2 Motive: God will bless, s1 a6 Attitude: OK to divert tithe, s1 b5 Belief: Church not needy, s1 a5 Attitude: wish to control own money vs Lordship, s1 b4 Belief: It is strategically valuable to pool tithe between churches, s1 m3 Motive: Church as Family, s1 m4 Motive: Gratitude, s1 p1A Adventist Package A: Alcohol, Tobacco, Drugs, s1 m1 Motive: A biblical requirement
- h. Predictors: (Constant), s1 p2 Adventist Package: Personal Spirituality, s1 p1b Adventist Package 1B: Tea & Coffee, Eating Meat, Movies, Coca Cola, s1 m2 Motive: God will bless, s1 a6 Attitude: OK to divert tithe, s1 b5 Belief: Church not needy, s1 a5 Attitude: wish to control own money vs Lordship, s1 b4 Belief: It is strategically valuable to pool tithe between churches, s1 m3 Motive: Church as Family, s1 p1A Adventist Package A: Alcohol, Tobacco, Drugs, s1 m1 Motive: A biblical requirement

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**Coefficients<sup>a</sup>**

Model		Unstandardized Coefficients		Standardized Coefficients	t	Sig.
		B	Std. Error	Beta		
1	(Constant)	1.825	.710		2.569	.010
	s1 a1 Attitude: Confidence in financial probity and competence of SDA church administration	-.027	.082	-.009	-.332	.740
	s1 a3 Attitude: Comfort as an SDA	.093	.115	.024	.806	.421
	s1 a4 Attitude: to local pastor	-.074	.093	-.022	-.801	.423
	s1 a5 Attitude: wish to control own money vs Lordship	.147	.107	.037	1.376	.169
	s1 a6 Attitude: OK to divert tithe	-.206	.067	-.069	-3.070	.002
	s1 b1 Belief: Bible as Rule of Faith	-.016	.125	-.004	-.125	.900
	s1 b4 Belief: It is strategically valuable to pool tithe between churches	.117	.058	.048	2.026	.043
	s1 b5 Belief: Church not needy	-.204	.088	-.055	-2.313	.021
	s1 m1 Motive: A biblical requirement	.215	.150	.046	1.430	.153
	s1 m2 Motive: God will bless	-.171	.069	-.060	-2.496	.013
	s1 m3 Motive: Church as Family	.200	.090	.056	2.237	.025
	s1 m4 Motive: Gratitude	.116	.102	.030	1.139	.255
	s1 m5 Motive: Pay your way	.001	.111	.000	.008	.994
	s1 p1A Adventist Package A: Alcohol, Tobacco, Drugs	-.249	.107	-.073	-2.318	.021
	s1 p1b Adventist Package 1B: Tea & Coffee, Eating Meat, Movies, Coca Cola	.308	.111	.087	2.779	.005
	s1 p2 Adventist Package: Personal Spirituality	.478	.105	.103	4.566	.000

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**Coefficients<sup>a</sup>**

Model		Unstandardized Coefficients		Standardized Coefficients	t	Sig.
		B	Std. Error	Beta		
2	(Constant)	1.825	.707		2.581	.010
	s1 a1 Attitude: Confidence in financial probity and competence of SDA church administration	-.027	.082	-.009	-.333	.739
	s1 a3 Attitude: Comfort as an SDA	.093	.113	.024	.817	.414
	s1 a4 Attitude: to local pastor	-.074	.092	-.021	-.805	.421
	s1 a5 Attitude: wish to control own money vs Lordship	.147	.106	.037	1.380	.168
	s1 a6 Attitude: OK to divert tithe	-.206	.067	-.069	-3.071	.002
	s1 b1 Belief: Bible as Rule of Faith	-.015	.112	-.004	-.136	.892
	s1 b4 Belief: It is strategically valuable to pool tithe between churches	.117	.057	.049	2.033	.042
	s1 b5 Belief: Church not needy	-.204	.088	-.055	-2.318	.021
	s1 m1 Motive: A biblical requirement	.215	.150	.046	1.436	.151
	s1 m2 Motive: God will bless	-.171	.069	-.060	-2.497	.013
	s1 m3 Motive: Church as Family	.200	.090	.056	2.237	.025
	s1 m4 Motive: Gratitude	.116	.102	.030	1.143	.253
	s1 p1A Adventist Package A: Alcohol, Tobacco, Drugs	-.249	.107	-.073	-2.319	.021
	s1 p1b Adventist Package 1B: Tea & Coffee, Eating Meat, Movies, Coca Cola	.308	.111	.087	2.780	.005
	s1 p2 Adventist Package: Personal Spirituality	.478	.105	.103	4.567	.000

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**Coefficients<sup>a</sup>**

Model		Unstandardized Coefficients		Standardized Coefficients	t	Sig.
		B	Std. Error	Beta		
3	(Constant)	1.818	.705		2.579	.010
	s1 a1 Attitude: Confidence in financial probity and competence of SDA church administration	-.028	.082	-.009	-.338	.736
	s1 a3 Attitude: Comfort as an SDA	.090	.111	.023	.806	.420
	s1 a4 Attitude: to local pastor	-.076	.092	-.022	-.826	.409
	s1 a5 Attitude: wish to control own money vs Lordship	.145	.106	.037	1.374	.169
	s1 a6 Attitude: OK to divert tithe	-.206	.067	-.069	-3.072	.002
	s1 b4 Belief: It is strategically valuable to pool tithe between churches	.116	.057	.048	2.036	.042
	s1 b5 Belief: Church not needy	-.204	.088	-.055	-2.319	.020
	s1 m1 Motive: A biblical requirement	.208	.141	.045	1.473	.141
	s1 m2 Motive: God will bless	-.171	.069	-.060	-2.497	.013
	s1 m3 Motive: Church as Family	.201	.089	.057	2.250	.025
	s1 m4 Motive: Gratitude	.116	.102	.030	1.144	.253
	s1 p1A Adventist Package A: Alcohol, Tobacco, Drugs	-.249	.107	-.073	-2.320	.020
	s1 p1b Adventist Package 1B: Tea & Coffee, Eating Meat, Movies, Coca Cola	.308	.111	.087	2.781	.005
	s1 p2 Adventist Package: Personal Spirituality	.478	.105	.103	4.569	.000
4	(Constant)	1.810	.704		2.569	.010
	s1 a3 Attitude: Comfort as an SDA	.089	.111	.023	.796	.426
	s1 a4 Attitude: to local pastor	-.084	.089	-.024	-.948	.343

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**Coefficients<sup>a</sup>**

Model	Unstandardized Coefficients		Standardized Coefficients	t	Sig.
	B	Std. Error	Beta		
s1 a5 Attitude: wish to control own money vs Lordship	.143	.105	.036	1.357	.175
s1 a6 Attitude: OK to divert tithe	-.206	.067	-.069	-3.073	.002
s1 b4 Belief: It is strategically valuable to pool tithe between churches	.113	.056	.047	2.009	.045
s1 b5 Belief: Church not needy	-.202	.088	-.054	-2.303	.021
s1 m1 Motive: A biblical requirement	.204	.141	.044	1.449	.147
s1 m2 Motive: God will bless	-.173	.068	-.061	-2.543	.011
s1 m3 Motive: Church as Family	.195	.088	.055	2.228	.026
s1 m4 Motive: Gratitude	.117	.102	.030	1.153	.249
s1 p1A Adventist Package A: Alcohol, Tobacco, Drugs	-.249	.107	-.073	-2.320	.020
s1 p1b Adventist Package 1B: Tea & Coffee, Eating Meat, Movies, Coca Cola	.308	.111	.087	2.782	.005
s1 p2 Adventist Package: Personal Spirituality	.478	.105	.103	4.570	.000
5 (Constant)	1.869	.700		2.669	.008
s1 a4 Attitude: to local pastor	-.067	.086	-.019	-.779	.436
s1 a5 Attitude: wish to control own money vs Lordship	.159	.103	.040	1.541	.123
s1 a6 Attitude: OK to divert tithe	-.206	.067	-.069	-3.073	.002
s1 b4 Belief: It is strategically valuable to pool tithe between churches	.115	.056	.048	2.061	.039
s1 b5 Belief: Church not needy	-.205	.088	-.055	-2.340	.019

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**Coefficients<sup>a</sup>**

Model	Unstandardized Coefficients		Standardized Coefficients	t	Sig.
	B	Std. Error	Beta		
s1 m1 Motive: A biblical requirement	.236	.135	.051	1.745	.081
s1 m2 Motive: God will bless	-.176	.068	-.062	-2.578	.010
s1 m3 Motive: Church as Family	.200	.087	.056	2.296	.022
s1 m4 Motive: Gratitude	.123	.101	.031	1.209	.227
s1 p1A Adventist Package A: Alcohol, Tobacco, Drugs	-.249	.107	-.073	-2.320	.020
s1 p1b Adventist Package 1B: Tea & Coffee, Eating Meat, Movies, Coca Cola	.308	.111	.087	2.782	.005
s1 p2 Adventist Package: Personal Spirituality	.478	.105	.103	4.570	.000
6 (Constant)	1.786	.692		2.581	.010
s1 a5 Attitude: wish to control own money vs Lordship	.153	.103	.039	1.487	.137

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**Coefficients<sup>a</sup>**

Model	Unstandardized Coefficients		Standardized Coefficients	t	Sig.
	B	Std. Error	Beta		
s1 a6 Attitude: OK to divert tithe	-.206	.067	-.069	-3.073	.002
s1 b4 Belief: It is strategically valuable to pool tithe between churches	.111	.056	.046	1.990	.047
s1 b5 Belief: Church not needy	-.200	.087	-.054	-2.287	.022
s1 m1 Motive: A biblical requirement	.220	.134	.048	1.648	.100
s1 m2 Motive: God will bless	-.179	.068	-.063	-2.625	.009
s1 m3 Motive: Church as Family	.186	.085	.052	2.181	.029
s1 m4 Motive: Gratitude	.118	.101	.030	1.169	.243
s1 p1A Adventist Package A: Alcohol, Tobacco, Drugs	-.249	.107	-.073	-2.321	.020
s1 p1b Adventist Package 1B: Tea & Coffee, Eating Meat, Movies, Coca Cola	.308	.111	.087	2.782	.005
s1 p2 Adventist Package: Personal Spirituality	.478	.105	.103	4.571	.000
7 (Constant)	1.909	.684		2.791	.005
s1 a5 Attitude: wish to control own money vs Lordship	.168	.102	.043	1.648	.099
s1 a6 Attitude: OK to divert tithe	-.206	.067	-.069	-3.073	.002
s1 b4 Belief: It is strategically valuable to pool tithe between churches	.117	.055	.049	2.115	.035
s1 b5 Belief: Church not needy	-.204	.087	-.055	-2.340	.019
s1 m1 Motive: A biblical requirement	.268	.127	.058	2.115	.035
s1 m2 Motive: God will bless	-.164	.067	-.057	-2.450	.014
s1 m3 Motive: Church as Family	.191	.085	.054	2.237	.025

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**Coefficients<sup>a</sup>**

Model	Unstandardized Coefficients		Standardized Coefficients	t	Sig.
	B	Std. Error	Beta		
s1 p1A Adventist Package A: Alcohol, Tobacco, Drugs	-.249	.107	-.073	-2.320	.020
s1 p1b Adventist Package 1B: Tea & Coffee, Eating Meat, Movies, Coca Cola	.308	.111	.087	2.782	.005
s1 p2 Adventist Package: Personal Spirituality	.478	.105	.103	4.570	.000

a. Dependent Variable: Tithe Status Detailed

**Excluded Variables<sup>a</sup>**

Model	Beta In	t	Sig.	Partial Correlation	Collinearity Statistics
					Tolerance
2 s1 m5 Motive: Pay your way	.000 <sup>b</sup>	.008	.994	.000	.538
3 s1 m5 Motive: Pay your way	-.001 <sup>c</sup>	-.054	.957	-.001	.673
s1 b1 Belief: Bible as Rule of Faith	-.004 <sup>c</sup>	-.136	.892	-.003	.590
4 s1 m5 Motive: Pay your way	-.001 <sup>d</sup>	-.041	.968	-.001	.674
s1 b1 Belief: Bible as Rule of Faith	-.004 <sup>d</sup>	-.146	.884	-.003	.590
s1 a1 Attitude: Confidence in financial probity and competence of SDA church administration	-.009 <sup>d</sup>	-.338	.736	-.008	.710
5 s1 m5 Motive: Pay your way	.004 <sup>e</sup>	.137	.891	.003	.709
s1 b1 Belief: Bible as Rule of Faith	.000 <sup>e</sup>	.004	.996	.000	.611
s1 a1 Attitude: Confidence in financial probity and competence of SDA church administration	-.008 <sup>e</sup>	-.313	.754	-.007	.711
s1 a3 Attitude: Comfort as an SDA	.023 <sup>e</sup>	.796	.426	.018	.617

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**Excluded Variables<sup>a</sup>**

Model		Beta In	t	Sig.	Partial Correlation	Collinearity Statistics
						Tolerance
6	s1 m5 Motive: Pay your way	.000 <sup>f</sup>	-.013	.990	.000	.735
	s1 b1 Belief: Bible as Rule of Faith	-.004 <sup>f</sup>	-.130	.897	-.003	.630
	s1 a1 Attitude: Confidence in financial probity and competence of SDA church administration	-.013 <sup>f</sup>	-.517	.605	-.012	.770
	s1 a3 Attitude: Comfort as an SDA	.016 <sup>f</sup>	.585	.559	.013	.655
	s1 a4 Attitude: to local pastor	-.019 <sup>f</sup>	-.779	.436	-.018	.804
7	s1 m5 Motive: Pay your way	.002 <sup>g</sup>	.091	.927	.002	.741
	s1 b1 Belief: Bible as Rule of Faith	-.003 <sup>g</sup>	-.114	.909	-.003	.630
	s1 a1 Attitude: Confidence in financial probity and competence of SDA church administration	-.013 <sup>g</sup>	-.524	.600	-.012	.770
	s1 a3 Attitude: Comfort as an SDA	.018 <sup>g</sup>	.674	.500	.015	.659
	s1 a4 Attitude: to local pastor	-.018 <sup>g</sup>	-.715	.475	-.016	.806
	s1 m4 Motive: Gratitude	.030 <sup>g</sup>	1.169	.243	.027	.733

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- a. Dependent Variable: Tithe Status Detailed
- b. Predictors in the Model: (Constant), s1 p2 Adventist Package: Personal Spirituality, s1 p1b Adventist Package 1B: Tea & Coffee, Eating Meat, Movies, Coca Cola, s1 m2 Motive: God will bless, s1 a6 Attitude: OK to divert tithe, s1 b5 Belief: Church not needy, s1 a5 Attitude: wish to control own money vs Lordship, s1 b4 Belief: It is strategically valuable to pool tithe between churches, s1 m3 Motive: Church as Family, s1 a4 Attitude: to local pastor, s1 m4 Motive: Gratitude, s1 a1 Attitude: Confidence in financial probity and competence of SDA church administration, s1 a3 Attitude: Comfort as an SDA, s1 b1 Belief: Bible as Rule of Faith, s1 p1A Adventist Package A: Alcohol, Tobacco, Drugs, s1 m1 Motive: A biblical requirement
- c. Predictors in the Model: (Constant), s1 p2 Adventist Package: Personal Spirituality, s1 p1b Adventist Package 1B: Tea & Coffee, Eating Meat, Movies, Coca Cola, s1 m2 Motive: God will bless, s1 a6 Attitude: OK to divert tithe, s1 b5 Belief: Church not needy, s1 a5 Attitude: wish to control own money vs Lordship, s1 b4 Belief: It is strategically valuable to pool tithe between churches, s1 m3 Motive: Church as Family, s1 a4 Attitude: to local pastor, s1 m4 Motive: Gratitude, s1 a1 Attitude: Confidence in financial probity and competence of SDA church administration, s1 a3 Attitude: Comfort as an SDA, s1 p1A Adventist Package A: Alcohol, Tobacco, Drugs, s1 m1 Motive: A biblical requirement
- d. Predictors in the Model: (Constant), s1 p2 Adventist Package: Personal Spirituality, s1 p1b Adventist Package 1B: Tea & Coffee, Eating Meat, Movies, Coca Cola, s1 m2 Motive: God will bless, s1 a6 Attitude: OK to divert tithe, s1 b5 Belief: Church not needy, s1 a5 Attitude: wish to control own money vs Lordship, s1 b4 Belief: It is strategically valuable to pool tithe between churches, s1 m3 Motive: Church as Family, s1 a4 Attitude: to local pastor, s1 m4 Motive: Gratitude, s1 a3 Attitude: Comfort as an SDA, s1 p1A Adventist Package A: Alcohol, Tobacco, Drugs, s1 m1 Motive: A biblical requirement
- e. Predictors in the Model: (Constant), s1 p2 Adventist Package: Personal Spirituality, s1 p1b Adventist Package 1B: Tea & Coffee, Eating Meat, Movies, Coca Cola, s1 m2 Motive: God will bless, s1 a6 Attitude: OK to divert tithe, s1 b5 Belief: Church not needy, s1 a5 Attitude: wish to control own money vs Lordship, s1 b4 Belief: It is strategically valuable to pool tithe between churches, s1 m3 Motive: Church as Family, s1 a4 Attitude: to local pastor, s1 m4 Motive: Gratitude, s1 p1A Adventist Package A: Alcohol, Tobacco, Drugs, s1 m1 Motive: A biblical requirement
- f. Predictors in the Model: (Constant), s1 p2 Adventist Package: Personal Spirituality, s1 p1b Adventist Package 1B: Tea & Coffee, Eating Meat, Movies, Coca Cola, s1 m2 Motive: God will bless, s1 a6 Attitude: OK to divert tithe, s1 b5 Belief: Church not needy, s1 a5 Attitude: wish to control own money vs Lordship, s1 b4 Belief: It is strategically valuable to pool tithe between churches, s1 m3 Motive: Church as Family, s1 m4 Motive: Gratitude, s1 p1A Adventist Package A: Alcohol, Tobacco, Drugs, s1 m1 Motive: A biblical requirement
- g. Predictors in the Model: (Constant), s1 p2 Adventist Package: Personal Spirituality, s1 p1b Adventist Package 1B: Tea & Coffee, Eating Meat, Movies, Coca Cola, s1 m2 Motive: God will bless, s1 a6 Attitude: OK to divert tithe, s1 b5 Belief: Church not needy, s1 a5 Attitude: wish to control own money vs Lordship, s1 b4 Belief: It is strategically valuable to pool tithe between churches, s1 m3 Motive: Church as Family, s1 p1A Adventist Package A: Alcohol, Tobacco, Drugs, s1 m1 Motive: A biblical requirement

App I: Regression of Scales to Tithing: by Conference

## Regression

### Notes

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**Variables Entered/Removed<sup>a</sup>**

Model	Variables Entered	Variables Removed	Method
1	s1 p2 Adventist Package: Personal Spirituality, s1 b4 Belief: It is strategically valuable to pool tithe between churches, s1 b1 Belief: Bible as Rule of Faith, s1 a6 Attitude: OK to divert tithe, s1 a1 Attitude: Confidence in financial probity and competence of SDA church administration, s1 b5 Belief: Church not needy, s1 p1A Adventist Package A: Alcohol, Tobacco, Drugs, s1 m2 Motive: God will bless, s1 m3 Motive: Church as Family, s1 m4 Motive: Gratitude, s1 a4 Attitude: to local pastor, s1 a5 Attitude: wish to control own money vs Lordship, s1 p1b Adventist Package 1B: Tea & Coffee, Eating Meat, Movies, Coca Cola, s1 m1 Motive: A biblical requirement, s1 m5 Motive: Pay your way, s1 a3 Attitude: Comfort as an SDA, s1 b3 Belief in the global mission of the SDA church <sup>b</sup>		Enter
2		s1 m5 Motive: Pay your way	Backward (criterion: Probability of F-to-remove >= .100).
3		s1 a5 Attitude: wish to control own money vs Lordship	Backward (criterion: Probability of F-to-remove >= .100).

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**Variables Entered/Removed<sup>a</sup>**

Model	Variables Entered	Variables Removed	Method
4		s1 m1 Motive: A biblical requirement	Backward (criterion: Probability of F-to-remove >= .100).
5		s1 b1 Belief: Bible as Rule of Faith	Backward (criterion: Probability of F-to-remove >= .100).
6		s1 p1A Adventist Package A: Alcohol, Tobacco, Drugs	Backward (criterion: Probability of F-to-remove >= .100).
7		s1 b4 Belief: It is strategically valuable to pool tithe between churches	Backward (criterion: Probability of F-to-remove >= .100).

a. Dependent Variable: Tithe Status Detailed

b. All requested variables entered.

**Model Summary**

Model	R	R Square	Adjusted R Square	Std. Error of the Estimate
1	.450 <sup>a</sup>	.203	.189	1.59780
2	.450 <sup>b</sup>	.203	.190	1.59706
3	.450 <sup>c</sup>	.203	.191	1.59637
4	.450 <sup>d</sup>	.202	.192	1.59577
5	.450 <sup>e</sup>	.202	.192	1.59535
6	.448 <sup>f</sup>	.201	.192	1.59553
7	.447 <sup>g</sup>	.200	.191	1.59605

a. Predictors: (Constant), s1 p2 Adventist Package: Personal Spirituality, s1 b4 Belief: It is strategically valuable to pool tithe between churches, s1 b1 Belief: Bible as Rule of Faith, s1 a6 Attitude: OK to divert tithe, s1 a1 Attitude: Confidence in financial probity and competence of SDA church administration, s1 b5 Belief: Church not needy, s1 p1A Adventist Package A: Alcohol, Tobacco, Drugs, s1 m2 Motive: God will bless, s1 m3 Motive: Church as Family, s1 m4 Motive: Gratitude, s1 a4 Attitude: to local pastor, s1 a5 Attitude: wish to control own money vs Lordship, s1 p1b Adventist Package 1B: Tea & Coffee, Eating Meat, Movies, Coca Cola, s1 m1 Motive: A biblical requirement, s1 m5 Motive: Pay your way, s1 a3 Attitude: Comfort as an SDA, s1 b3 Belief in the global mission of the SDA church

b. Predictors: (Constant), s1 p2 Adventist Package: Personal Spirituality, s1 b4 Belief: It is strategically valuable to pool tithe between churches, s1 b1 Belief: Bible as Rule of Faith, s1 a6 Attitude: OK to divert tithe, s1 a1 Attitude: Confidence in financial probity and competence of SDA church administration, s1 b5 Belief: Church not needy, s1 p1A Adventist Package A: Alcohol, Tobacco, Drugs, s1 m2 Motive: God will bless, s1 m3 Motive: Church as Family, s1 m4 Motive: Gratitude, s1 a4 Attitude: to local pastor, s1 a5 Attitude: wish to control own

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- c. Predictors: (Constant), s1 p2 Adventist Package: Personal Spirituality, s1 b4 Belief: It is strategically valuable to pool tithe between churches, s1 b1 Belief: Bible as Rule of Faith, s1 a6 Attitude: OK to divert tithe, s1 a1 Attitude: Confidence in financial probity and competence of SDA church administration, s1 b5 Belief: Church not needy, s1 p1A Adventist Package A: Alcohol, Tobacco, Drugs, s1 m2 Motive: God will bless, s1 m3 Motive: Church as Family, s1 m4 Motive: Gratitude, s1 a4 Attitude: to local pastor, s1 p1b Adventist Package 1B: Tea & Coffee, Eating Meat, Movies, Coca Cola, s1 m1 Motive: A biblical requirement, s1 a3 Attitude: Comfort as an SDA, s1 b3 Belief in the global mission of the SDA church
- d. Predictors: (Constant), s1 p2 Adventist Package: Personal Spirituality, s1 b4 Belief: It is strategically valuable to pool tithe between churches, s1 b1 Belief: Bible as Rule of Faith, s1 a6 Attitude: OK to divert tithe, s1 a1 Attitude: Confidence in financial probity and competence of SDA church administration, s1 b5 Belief: Church not needy, s1 p1A Adventist Package A: Alcohol, Tobacco, Drugs, s1 m2 Motive: God will bless, s1 m3 Motive: Church as Family, s1 m4 Motive: Gratitude, s1 a4 Attitude: to local pastor, s1 p1b Adventist Package 1B: Tea & Coffee, Eating Meat, Movies, Coca Cola, s1 a3 Attitude: Comfort as an SDA, s1 b3 Belief in the global mission of the SDA church
- e. Predictors: (Constant), s1 p2 Adventist Package: Personal Spirituality, s1 b4 Belief: It is strategically valuable to pool tithe between churches, s1 a6 Attitude: OK to divert tithe, s1 a1 Attitude: Confidence in financial probity and competence of SDA church administration, s1 b5 Belief: Church not needy, s1 p1A Adventist Package A: Alcohol, Tobacco, Drugs, s1 m2 Motive: God will bless, s1 m3 Motive: Church as Family, s1 m4 Motive: Gratitude, s1 a4 Attitude: to local pastor, s1 p1b Adventist Package 1B: Tea & Coffee, Eating Meat, Movies, Coca Cola, s1 a3 Attitude: Comfort as an SDA, s1 b3 Belief in the global mission of the SDA church
- f. Predictors: (Constant), s1 p2 Adventist Package: Personal Spirituality, s1 b4 Belief: It is strategically valuable to pool tithe between churches, s1 a6 Attitude: OK to divert tithe, s1 a1 Attitude: Confidence in financial probity and competence of SDA church administration, s1 b5 Belief: Church not needy, s1 m2 Motive: God will bless, s1 m3 Motive: Church as Family, s1 m4 Motive: Gratitude, s1 a4 Attitude: to local pastor, s1 p1b Adventist Package 1B: Tea & Coffee, Eating Meat, Movies, Coca Cola, s1 a3 Attitude: Comfort as an SDA, s1 b3 Belief in the global mission of the SDA church
- g. Predictors: (Constant), s1 p2 Adventist Package: Personal Spirituality, s1 a6 Attitude: OK to divert tithe, s1 a1 Attitude: Confidence in financial probity and competence of SDA church administration, s1 b5 Belief: Church not needy, s1 m2 Motive: God will bless, s1 m3 Motive: Church as Family, s1 m4 Motive: Gratitude, s1 a4 Attitude: to local pastor, s1 p1b Adventist Package 1B: Tea & Coffee, Eating Meat, Movies, Coca Cola, s1 a3 Attitude: Comfort as an SDA, s1 b3 Belief in the global mission of the SDA church

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**ANOVA<sup>a</sup>**

Model		Sum of Squares	df	Mean Square	F	Sig.
1	Regression	662.322	17	38.960	15.261	.000 <sup>b</sup>
	Residual	2604.035	1020	2.553		
	Total	3266.357	1037			
2	Regression	662.206	16	41.388	16.227	.000 <sup>c</sup>
	Residual	2604.151	1021	2.551		
	Total	3266.357	1037			
3	Regression	661.906	15	44.127	17.316	.000 <sup>d</sup>
	Residual	2604.451	1022	2.548		
	Total	3266.357	1037			
4	Regression	661.313	14	47.237	18.550	.000 <sup>e</sup>
	Residual	2605.044	1023	2.546		
	Total	3266.357	1037			
5	Regression	660.139	13	50.780	19.952	.000 <sup>f</sup>
	Residual	2606.217	1024	2.545		
	Total	3266.357	1037			
6	Regression	656.982	12	54.749	21.506	.000 <sup>g</sup>
	Residual	2609.374	1025	2.546		
	Total	3266.357	1037			
7	Regression	652.746	11	59.341	23.295	.000 <sup>h</sup>
	Residual	2613.611	1026	2.547		
	Total	3266.357	1037			

a. Dependent Variable: Tithe Status Detailed

b. Predictors: (Constant), s1 p2 Adventist Package: Personal Spirituality, s1 b4 Belief: It is strategically valuable to pool tithe between churches, s1 b1 Belief: Bible as Rule of Faith, s1 a6 Attitude: OK to divert tithe, s1 a1 Attitude: Confidence in financial probity and competence of SDA church administration, s1 b5 Belief: Church not needy, s1 p1A Adventist Package A: Alcohol, Tobacco, Drugs, s1 m2 Motive: God will bless, s1 m3 Motive: Church as Family, s1 m4 Motive: Gratitude, s1 a4 Attitude: to local pastor, s1 a5 Attitude: wish to control own money vs Lordship, s1 p1b Adventist Package 1B: Tea & Coffee, Eating Meat, Movies, Coca Cola, s1 m1 Motive: A biblical requirement, s1 m5 Motive: Pay your way, s1 a3 Attitude: Comfort as an SDA, s1 b3 Belief in the global mission of the SDA church

c. Predictors: (Constant), s1 p2 Adventist Package: Personal Spirituality, s1 b4 Belief: It is strategically valuable to pool tithe between churches, s1 b1 Belief: Bible as Rule of Faith, s1 a6 Attitude: OK to divert tithe, s1 a1

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- d. Predictors: (Constant), s1 p2 Adventist Package: Personal Spirituality, s1 b4 Belief: It is strategically valuable to pool tithe between churches, s1 b1 Belief: Bible as Rule of Faith, s1 a6 Attitude: OK to divert tithe, s1 a1 Attitude: Confidence in financial probity and competence of SDA church administration, s1 b5 Belief: Church not needy, s1 p1A Adventist Package A: Alcohol, Tobacco, Drugs, s1 m2 Motive: God will bless, s1 m3 Motive: Church as Family, s1 m4 Motive: Gratitude, s1 a4 Attitude: to local pastor, s1 p1b Adventist Package 1B: Tea & Coffee, Eating Meat, Movies, Coca Cola, s1 m1 Motive: A biblical requirement, s1 a3 Attitude: Comfort as an SDA, s1 b3 Belief in the global mission of the SDA church
- e. Predictors: (Constant), s1 p2 Adventist Package: Personal Spirituality, s1 b4 Belief: It is strategically valuable to pool tithe between churches, s1 b1 Belief: Bible as Rule of Faith, s1 a6 Attitude: OK to divert tithe, s1 a1 Attitude: Confidence in financial probity and competence of SDA church administration, s1 b5 Belief: Church not needy, s1 p1A Adventist Package A: Alcohol, Tobacco, Drugs, s1 m2 Motive: God will bless, s1 m3 Motive: Church as Family, s1 m4 Motive: Gratitude, s1 a4 Attitude: to local pastor, s1 p1b Adventist Package 1B: Tea & Coffee, Eating Meat, Movies, Coca Cola, s1 a3 Attitude: Comfort as an SDA, s1 b3 Belief in the global mission of the SDA church
- f. Predictors: (Constant), s1 p2 Adventist Package: Personal Spirituality, s1 b4 Belief: It is strategically valuable to pool tithe between churches, s1 a6 Attitude: OK to divert tithe, s1 a1 Attitude: Confidence in financial probity and competence of SDA church administration, s1 b5 Belief: Church not needy, s1 p1A Adventist Package A: Alcohol, Tobacco, Drugs, s1 m2 Motive: God will bless, s1 m3 Motive: Church as Family, s1 m4 Motive: Gratitude, s1 a4 Attitude: to local pastor, s1 p1b Adventist Package 1B: Tea & Coffee, Eating Meat, Movies, Coca Cola, s1 a3 Attitude: Comfort as an SDA, s1 b3 Belief in the global mission of the SDA church
- g. Predictors: (Constant), s1 p2 Adventist Package: Personal Spirituality, s1 b4 Belief: It is strategically valuable to pool tithe between churches, s1 a6 Attitude: OK to divert tithe, s1 a1 Attitude: Confidence in financial probity and competence of SDA church administration, s1 b5 Belief: Church not needy, s1 m2 Motive: God will bless, s1 m3 Motive: Church as Family, s1 m4 Motive: Gratitude, s1 a4 Attitude: to local pastor, s1 p1b Adventist Package 1B: Tea & Coffee, Eating Meat, Movies, Coca Cola, s1 a3 Attitude: Comfort as an SDA, s1 b3 Belief in the global mission of the SDA church
- h. Predictors: (Constant), s1 p2 Adventist Package: Personal Spirituality, s1 a6 Attitude: OK to divert tithe, s1 a1 Attitude: Confidence in financial probity and competence of SDA church administration, s1 b5 Belief: Church not needy, s1 m2 Motive: God will bless, s1 m3 Motive: Church as Family, s1 m4 Motive: Gratitude, s1 a4 Attitude: to local pastor, s1 p1b Adventist Package 1B: Tea & Coffee, Eating Meat, Movies, Coca Cola, s1 a3 Attitude: Comfort as an SDA, s1 b3 Belief in the global mission of the SDA church

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**Coefficients<sup>a</sup>**

Model		Unstandardized Coefficients		Standardized Coefficients	t	Sig.
		B	Std. Error	Beta		
1	(Constant)	2.338	.596		3.923	.000
	s1 a1 Attitude: Confidence in financial probity and competence of SDA church administration	-.150	.067	-.072	-2.227	.026
	s1 a3 Attitude: Comfort as an SDA	.201	.108	.072	1.858	.064
	s1 a4 Attitude: to local pastor	-.178	.082	-.074	-2.180	.029
	s1 a5 Attitude: wish to control own money vs Lordship	-.039	.113	-.013	-.349	.727
	s1 a6 Attitude: OK to divert tithe	-.326	.054	-.179	-6.034	.000
	s1 b1 Belief: Bible as Rule of Faith	.049	.102	.017	.478	.633
	s1 b3 Belief in the global mission of the SDA church	.228	.119	.075	1.909	.057
	s1 b4 Belief: It is strategically valuable to pool tithe between churches	.065	.054	.035	1.212	.226
	s1 b5 Belief: Church not needy	-.237	.081	-.087	-2.918	.004
	s1 m1 Motive: A biblical requirement	.064	.134	.017	.477	.634
	s1 m2 Motive: God will bless	-.134	.067	-.063	-1.993	.046
	s1 m3 Motive: Church as Family	-.228	.087	-.081	-2.616	.009
	s1 m4 Motive: Gratitude	.392	.096	.134	4.064	.000

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**Coefficients<sup>a</sup>**

Model	Unstandardized Coefficients		Standardized Coefficients	t	Sig.
	B	Std. Error	Beta		
s1 m5 Motive: Pay your way	.020	.093	.008	.213	.831
s1 p1A Adventist Package A: Alcohol, Tobacco, Drugs	-.098	.086	-.039	-1.143	.253
s1 p1b Adventist Package 1B: Tea & Coffee, Eating Meat, Movies, Coca Cola	.179	.070	.086	2.554	.011
s1 p2 Adventist Package: Personal Spirituality	.728	.085	.262	8.550	.000
2 (Constant)	2.335	.595		3.921	.000
s1 a1 Attitude: Confidence in financial probity and competence of SDA church administration	-.150	.067	-.072	-2.228	.026
s1 a3 Attitude: Comfort as an SDA	.203	.108	.073	1.891	.059
s1 a4 Attitude: to local pastor	-.177	.082	-.073	-2.173	.030
s1 a5 Attitude: wish to control own money vs Lordship	-.039	.113	-.013	-.343	.732
s1 a6 Attitude: OK to divert tithe	-.327	.054	-.180	-6.058	.000
s1 b1 Belief: Bible as Rule of Faith	.056	.096	.019	.582	.561
s1 b3 Belief in the global mission of the SDA church	.230	.119	.075	1.936	.053
s1 b4 Belief: It is strategically valuable to pool tithe between churches	.066	.053	.035	1.238	.216
s1 b5 Belief: Church not needy	-.239	.081	-.088	-2.953	.003
s1 m1 Motive: A biblical requirement	.069	.133	.018	.517	.606
s1 m2 Motive: God will bless	-.133	.067	-.063	-1.984	.048
s1 m3 Motive: Church as Family	-.229	.087	-.082	-2.634	.009

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**Coefficients<sup>a</sup>**

Model	Unstandardized Coefficients		Standardized Coefficients	t	Sig.
	B	Std. Error	Beta		
s1 m4 Motive: Gratitude	.394	.096	.135	4.103	.000
s1 p1A Adventist Package A: Alcohol, Tobacco, Drugs	-.097	.086	-.039	-1.133	.258
s1 p1b Adventist Package 1B: Tea & Coffee, Eating Meat, Movies, Coca Cola	.178	.070	.086	2.548	.011
s1 p2 Adventist Package: Personal Spirituality	.729	.085	.262	8.574	.000
3 (Constant)	2.312	.592		3.908	.000
s1 a1 Attitude: Confidence in financial probity and competence of SDA church administration	-.151	.067	-.073	-2.254	.024
s1 a3 Attitude: Comfort as an SDA	.197	.106	.070	1.860	.063
s1 a4 Attitude: to local pastor	-.178	.082	-.074	-2.186	.029
s1 a6 Attitude: OK to divert tithe	-.328	.054	-.180	-6.093	.000
s1 b1 Belief: Bible as Rule of Faith	.053	.095	.018	.552	.581
s1 b3 Belief in the global mission of the SDA church	.217	.113	.071	1.923	.055
s1 b4 Belief: It is strategically valuable to pool tithe between churches	.066	.053	.035	1.242	.215
s1 b5 Belief: Church not needy	-.240	.081	-.088	-2.964	.003
s1 m1 Motive: A biblical requirement	.064	.132	.017	.482	.630
s1 m2 Motive: God will bless	-.133	.067	-.063	-1.998	.046
s1 m3 Motive: Church as Family	-.227	.087	-.081	-2.618	.009
s1 m4 Motive: Gratitude	.393	.096	.134	4.101	.000

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**Coefficients<sup>a</sup>**

Model	Unstandardized Coefficients		Standardized Coefficients	t	Sig.
	B	Std. Error	Beta		
s1 p1A Adventist Package A: Alcohol, Tobacco, Drugs	-.102	.084	-.041	-1.204	.229
s1 p1b Adventist Package 1B: Tea & Coffee, Eating Meat, Movies, Coca Cola	.179	.070	.087	2.572	.010
s1 p2 Adventist Package: Personal Spirituality	.729	.085	.262	8.578	.000
4 (Constant)	2.407	.558		4.315	.000
s1 a1 Attitude: Confidence in financial probity and competence of SDA church administration	-.152	.067	-.073	-2.266	.024

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**Coefficients<sup>a</sup>**

Model	Unstandardized Coefficients		Standardized Coefficients	t	Sig.
	B	Std. Error	Beta		
s1 a3 Attitude: Comfort as an SDA	.197	.106	.071	1.869	.062
s1 a4 Attitude: to local pastor	-.177	.082	-.073	-2.175	.030
s1 a6 Attitude: OK to divert tithe	-.330	.054	-.181	-6.159	.000
s1 b1 Belief: Bible as Rule of Faith	.063	.093	.022	.679	.497
s1 b3 Belief in the global mission of the SDA church	.227	.111	.074	2.035	.042
s1 b4 Belief: It is strategically valuable to pool tithe between churches	.068	.053	.036	1.267	.205
s1 b5 Belief: Church not needy	-.244	.080	-.089	-3.030	.003
s1 m2 Motive: God will bless	-.131	.067	-.062	-1.966	.050
s1 m3 Motive: Church as Family	-.226	.087	-.081	-2.608	.009
s1 m4 Motive: Gratitude	.406	.092	.139	4.388	.000
s1 p1A Adventist Package A: Alcohol, Tobacco, Drugs	-.098	.084	-.039	-1.170	.242
s1 p1b Adventist Package 1B: Tea & Coffee, Eating Meat, Movies, Coca Cola	.181	.070	.087	2.601	.009
s1 p2 Adventist Package: Personal Spirituality	.731	.085	.263	8.626	.000
5 (Constant)	2.508	.538		4.663	.000
s1 a1 Attitude: Confidence in financial probity and competence of SDA church administration	-.154	.067	-.074	-2.302	.022
s1 a3 Attitude: Comfort as an SDA	.209	.104	.075	2.006	.045
s1 a4 Attitude: to local pastor	-.176	.082	-.073	-2.164	.031

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**Coefficients<sup>a</sup>**

Model	Unstandardized Coefficients		Standardized Coefficients	t	Sig.
	B	Std. Error	Beta		
s1 a6 Attitude: OK to divert tithe	-.328	.053	-.180	-6.134	.000
s1 b3 Belief in the global mission of the SDA church	.237	.110	.078	2.152	.032
s1 b4 Belief: It is strategically valuable to pool tithe between churches	.069	.053	.037	1.295	.196
s1 b5 Belief: Church not needy	-.249	.080	-.091	-3.102	.002
s1 m2 Motive: God will bless	-.129	.066	-.061	-1.943	.052
s1 m3 Motive: Church as Family	-.227	.087	-.081	-2.621	.009
s1 m4 Motive: Gratitude	.418	.091	.143	4.613	.000
s1 p1A Adventist Package A: Alcohol, Tobacco, Drugs	-.093	.084	-.037	-1.114	.266
s1 p1b Adventist Package 1B: Tea & Coffee, Eating Meat, Movies, Coca Cola	.182	.070	.088	2.616	.009
s1 p2 Adventist Package: Personal Spirituality	.729	.085	.262	8.605	.000
6 (Constant)	2.382	.526		4.529	.000
s1 a1 Attitude: Confidence in financial probity and competence of SDA church administration	-.152	.067	-.073	-2.264	.024
s1 a3 Attitude: Comfort as an SDA	.195	.103	.070	1.887	.059
s1 a4 Attitude: to local pastor	-.177	.082	-.073	-2.169	.030
s1 a6 Attitude: OK to divert tithe	-.328	.053	-.181	-6.141	.000
s1 b3 Belief in the global mission of the SDA church	.211	.108	.069	1.960	.050

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**Coefficients<sup>a</sup>**

Model	Unstandardized Coefficients		Standardized Coefficients	t	Sig.
	B	Std. Error	Beta		
s1 b4 Belief: It is strategically valuable to pool tithe between churches	.069	.053	.036	1.290	.197
s1 b5 Belief: Church not needy	-.247	.080	-.090	-3.080	.002
s1 m2 Motive: God will bless	-.129	.066	-.061	-1.936	.053
s1 m3 Motive: Church as Family	-.225	.087	-.080	-2.594	.010
s1 m4 Motive: Gratitude	.414	.091	.142	4.571	.000
s1 p1b Adventist Package 1B: Tea & Coffee, Eating Meat, Movies, Coca Cola	.152	.064	.074	2.370	.018
s1 p2 Adventist Package: Personal Spirituality	.733	.085	.263	8.667	.000
7 (Constant)	2.522	.515		4.897	.000
s1 a1 Attitude: Confidence in financial probity and competence of SDA church administration	-.150	.067	-.072	-2.244	.025

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**Coefficients<sup>a</sup>**

Model	Unstandardized Coefficients		Standardized Coefficients	t	Sig.
	B	Std. Error	Beta		
s1 a3 Attitude: Comfort as an SDA	.190	.103	.068	1.836	.067
s1 a4 Attitude: to local pastor	-.175	.082	-.072	-2.150	.032
s1 a6 Attitude: OK to divert tithe	-.330	.053	-.181	-6.162	.000
s1 b3 Belief in the global mission of the SDA church	.222	.107	.073	2.067	.039
s1 b5 Belief: Church not needy	-.248	.080	-.091	-3.098	.002
s1 m2 Motive: God will bless	-.122	.066	-.058	-1.837	.066
s1 m3 Motive: Church as Family	-.221	.087	-.079	-2.548	.011
s1 m4 Motive: Gratitude	.417	.091	.143	4.609	.000
s1 p1b Adventist Package 1B: Tea & Coffee, Eating Meat, Movies, Coca Cola	.150	.064	.073	2.337	.020
s1 p2 Adventist Package: Personal Spirituality	.735	.085	.264	8.694	.000

a. Dependent Variable: Tithe Status Detailed

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**Excluded Variables<sup>a</sup>**

Model	Beta In	t	Sig.	Partial Correlation	Collinearity Statistics	
					Tolerance	
2	s1 m5 Motive: Pay your way	.008 <sup>b</sup>	.213	.831	.007	.585
3	s1 m5 Motive: Pay your way	.007 <sup>c</sup>	.203	.839	.006	.585
	s1 a5 Attitude: wish to control own money vs Lordship	-.013 <sup>c</sup>	-.343	.732	-.011	.585
4	s1 m5 Motive: Pay your way	.010 <sup>d</sup>	.278	.781	.009	.600
	s1 a5 Attitude: wish to control own money vs Lordship	-.010 <sup>d</sup>	-.289	.773	-.009	.592
	s1 m1 Motive: A biblical requirement	.017 <sup>d</sup>	.482	.630	.015	.642
5	s1 m5 Motive: Pay your way	.017 <sup>e</sup>	.509	.611	.016	.696
	s1 a5 Attitude: wish to control own money vs Lordship	-.007 <sup>e</sup>	-.205	.837	-.006	.601
	s1 m1 Motive: A biblical requirement	.021 <sup>e</sup>	.623	.533	.019	.676
	s1 b1 Belief: Bible as Rule of Faith	.022 <sup>e</sup>	.679	.497	.021	.773
6	s1 m5 Motive: Pay your way	.013 <sup>f</sup>	.385	.701	.012	.704
	s1 a5 Attitude: wish to control own money vs Lordship	-.014 <sup>f</sup>	-.402	.688	-.013	.621
	s1 m1 Motive: A biblical requirement	.017 <sup>f</sup>	.511	.609	.016	.683
	s1 b1 Belief: Bible as Rule of Faith	.018 <sup>f</sup>	.575	.565	.018	.779
	s1 p1A Adventist Package A: Alcohol, Tobacco, Drugs	-.037 <sup>f</sup>	-1.114	.266	-.035	.692
7	s1 m5 Motive: Pay your way	.017 <sup>g</sup>	.524	.601	.016	.713
	s1 a5 Attitude: wish to control own money vs Lordship	-.014 <sup>g</sup>	-.399	.690	-.012	.621

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**Excluded Variables<sup>a</sup>**

Model	Beta In	t	Sig.	Partial Correlation	Collinearity Statistics
					Tolerance
s1 m1 Motive: A biblical requirement	.020 <sup>g</sup>	.582	.561	.018	.685
s1 b1 Belief: Bible as Rule of Faith	.020 <sup>g</sup>	.626	.531	.020	.781
s1 p1A Adventist Package A: Alcohol, Tobacco, Drugs	-.037 <sup>g</sup>	-1.108	.268	-.035	.692
s1 b4 Belief: It is strategically valuable to pool tithe between churches	.036 <sup>g</sup>	1.290	.197	.040	.974

a. Dependent Variable: Tithe Status Detailed

b. Predictors in the Model: (Constant), s1 p2 Adventist Package: Personal Spirituality, s1 b4 Belief: It is strategically valuable to pool tithe between churches, s1 b1 Belief: Bible as Rule of Faith, s1 a6 Attitude: OK to divert tithe, s1 a1 Attitude: Confidence in financial probity and competence of SDA church administration, s1 b5 Belief: Church not needy, s1 p1A Adventist Package A: Alcohol, Tobacco, Drugs, s1 m2 Motive: God will bless, s1 m3 Motive: Church as Family, s1 m4 Motive: Gratitude, s1 a4 Attitude: to local pastor, s1 a5 Attitude: wish to control own money vs Lordship, s1 p1b Adventist Package 1B: Tea & Coffee, Eating Meat, Movies, Coca Cola, s1 m1 Motive: A biblical requirement, s1 a3 Attitude: Comfort as an SDA, s1 b3 Belief in the global mission of the SDA church

c. Predictors in the Model: (Constant), s1 p2 Adventist Package: Personal Spirituality, s1 b4 Belief: It is strategically valuable to pool tithe between churches, s1 b1 Belief: Bible as Rule of Faith, s1 a6 Attitude: OK to divert tithe, s1 a1 Attitude: Confidence in financial probity and competence of SDA church administration, s1 b5 Belief: Church not needy, s1 p1A Adventist Package A: Alcohol, Tobacco, Drugs, s1 m2 Motive: God will bless, s1 m3 Motive: Church as Family, s1 m4 Motive: Gratitude, s1 a4 Attitude: to local pastor, s1 p1b Adventist Package 1B: Tea & Coffee, Eating Meat, Movies, Coca Cola, s1 m1 Motive: A biblical requirement, s1 a3 Attitude: Comfort as an SDA, s1 b3 Belief in the global mission of the SDA church

d. Predictors in the Model: (Constant), s1 p2 Adventist Package: Personal Spirituality, s1 b4 Belief: It is strategically valuable to pool tithe between churches, s1 b1 Belief: Bible as Rule of Faith, s1 a6 Attitude: OK to divert tithe, s1 a1 Attitude: Confidence in financial probity and competence of SDA church administration, s1 b5 Belief: Church not needy, s1 p1A Adventist Package A: Alcohol, Tobacco, Drugs, s1 m2 Motive: God will bless, s1 m3 Motive: Church as Family, s1 m4 Motive: Gratitude, s1 a4 Attitude: to local pastor, s1 p1b Adventist Package 1B: Tea & Coffee, Eating Meat, Movies, Coca Cola, s1 a3 Attitude: Comfort as an SDA, s1 b3 Belief in the global mission of the SDA church

e. Predictors in the Model: (Constant), s1 p2 Adventist Package: Personal Spirituality, s1 b4 Belief: It is strategically valuable to pool tithe between churches, s1 a6 Attitude: OK to divert tithe, s1 a1 Attitude: Confidence in financial probity and competence of SDA church administration, s1 b5 Belief: Church not needy, s1 p1A Adventist Package A: Alcohol, Tobacco, Drugs, s1 m2 Motive: God will bless, s1 m3 Motive: Church as Family, s1 m4 Motive: Gratitude, s1 a4 Attitude: to local pastor, s1 p1b Adventist Package 1B: Tea & Coffee, Eating Meat, Movies, Coca Cola, s1 a3 Attitude: Comfort as an SDA, s1 b3 Belief in the global mission of the ...

f. Predictors in the Model: (Constant), s1 p2 Adventist Package: Personal Spirituality, s1 b4 Belief: It is strategically valuable to pool tithe between churches, s1 a6 Attitude: OK to divert tithe, s1 a1 Attitude: Confidence in financial probity and competence of SDA church administration, s1 b5 Belief: Church not needy,

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g. Predictors in the Model: (Constant), s1 p2 Adventist Package: Personal Spirituality, s1 a6 Attitude: OK to divert tithe, s1 a1 Attitude: Confidence in financial probity and competence of SDA church administration, s1 b5 Belief: Church not needy, s1 m2 Motive: God will bless, s1 m3 Motive: Church as Family, s1 m4 Motive: Gratitude, s1 a4 Attitude: to local pastor, s1 p1b Adventist Package 1B: Tea & Coffee, Eating Meat, Movies, Coca Cola, s1 a3 Attitude: Comfort as an SDA, s1 b3 Belief in the global mission of the SDA church

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## Regression

### Notes

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**Variables Entered/Removed<sup>a</sup>**

Model	Variables Entered	Variables Removed	Method
1	s1 p2 Adventist Package: Personal Spirituality, s1 b4 Belief: It is strategically valuable to pool tithe between churches, s1 a4 Attitude: to local pastor, s1 m2 Motive: God will bless, s1 p1A Adventist Package A: Alcohol, Tobacco, Drugs, s1 a6 Attitude: OK to divert tithe, s1 b5 Belief: Church not needy, s1 b1 Belief: Bible as Rule of Faith, s1 a1 Attitude: Confidence in financial probity and competence of SDA church administration, s1 m3 Motive: Church as Family, s1 m4 Motive: Gratitude, s1 a5 Attitude: wish to control own money vs Lordship, s1 m5 Motive: Pay your way, s1 p1b Adventist Package 1B: Tea & Coffee, Eating Meat, Movies, Coca Cola, s1 b3 Belief in the global mission of the SDA church, s1 m1 Motive: A biblical requirement, s1 a3 Attitude: Comfort as an SDA <sup>b</sup>		Enter
2		s1 m5 Motive: Pay your way	Backward (criterion: Probability of F-to-remove >= .100).
3		s1 a5 Attitude: wish to control own money vs Lordship	Backward (criterion: Probability of F-to-remove >= .100).

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**Variables Entered/Removed<sup>a</sup>**

Model	Variables Entered	Variables Removed	Method
4	.	s1 m3 Motive: Church as Family	Backward (criterion: Probability of F-to-remove >= .100).
5	.	s1 b3 Belief in the global mission of the SDA church	Backward (criterion: Probability of F-to-remove >= .100).
6	.	s1 p1A Adventist Package A: Alcohol, Tobacco, Drugs	Backward (criterion: Probability of F-to-remove >= .100).
7	.	s1 p1b Adventist Package 1B: Tea & Coffee, Eating Meat, Movies, Coca Cola	Backward (criterion: Probability of F-to-remove >= .100).

a. Dependent Variable: Tithe Status Detailed

b. All requested variables entered.

**Model Summary**

Model	R	R Square	Adjusted R Square	Std. Error of the Estimate
1	.536 <sup>a</sup>	.287	.280	1.36712
2	.536 <sup>b</sup>	.287	.280	1.36680
3	.535 <sup>c</sup>	.286	.280	1.36686
4	.535 <sup>d</sup>	.286	.280	1.36700
5	.534 <sup>e</sup>	.285	.279	1.36757
6	.533 <sup>f</sup>	.284	.279	1.36797
7	.532 <sup>g</sup>	.283	.278	1.36831

a. Predictors: (Constant), s1 p2 Adventist Package: Personal Spirituality, s1 b4 Belief: It is strategically valuable to pool tithe between churches, s1 a4 Attitude: to local pastor, s1 m2 Motive: God will bless, s1 p1A Adventist Package A: Alcohol, Tobacco, Drugs, s1 a6 Attitude: OK to divert tithe, s1 b5 Belief: Church not needy, s1 b1 Belief: Bible as Rule of Faith, s1 a1 Attitude: Confidence in financial probity and competence of SDA church administration, s1 m3 Motive: Church as Family, s1 m4 Motive: Gratitude, s1 a5 Attitude: wish to control own money vs Lordship, s1 m5 Motive: Pay your way, s1 p1b Adventist Package 1B: Tea & Coffee, Eating Meat, Movies, Coca Cola, s1 b3 Belief in the global mission of the SDA church, s1 m1 Motive: A biblical requirement, s1 a3 Attitude: Comfort as an SDA

b. Predictors: (Constant), s1 p2 Adventist Package: Personal Spirituality, s1 b4 Belief: It is strategically valuable to pool tithe between churches, s1 a4 Attitude: to local pastor, s1 m2 Motive: God will bless, s1 p1A Adventist Package A: Alcohol, Tobacco, Drugs, s1 a6 Attitude: OK to divert tithe, s1 b5 Belief: Church not needy, s1 b1 Belief: Bible as Rule of Faith, s1 a1 Attitude: Confidence in financial probity and competence of SDA church administration, s1 m3 Motive: Church as Family, s1 m4 Motive: Gratitude, s1 a5 Attitude: wish to control own

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- c. Predictors: (Constant), s1 p2 Adventist Package: Personal Spirituality, s1 b4 Belief: It is strategically valuable to pool tithe between churches, s1 a4 Attitude: to local pastor, s1 m2 Motive: God will bless, s1 p1A Adventist Package A: Alcohol, Tobacco, Drugs, s1 a6 Attitude: OK to divert tithe, s1 b5 Belief: Church not needy, s1 b1 Belief: Bible as Rule of Faith, s1 a1 Attitude: Confidence in financial probity and competence of SDA church administration, s1 m3 Motive: Church as Family, s1 m4 Motive: Gratitude, s1 p1b Adventist Package 1B: Tea & Coffee, Eating Meat, Movies, Coca Cola, s1 b3 Belief in the global mission of the SDA church, s1 m1 Motive: A biblical requirement, s1 a3 Attitude: Comfort as an SDA
- d. Predictors: (Constant), s1 p2 Adventist Package: Personal Spirituality, s1 b4 Belief: It is strategically valuable to pool tithe between churches, s1 a4 Attitude: to local pastor, s1 m2 Motive: God will bless, s1 p1A Adventist Package A: Alcohol, Tobacco, Drugs, s1 a6 Attitude: OK to divert tithe, s1 b5 Belief: Church not needy, s1 b1 Belief: Bible as Rule of Faith, s1 a1 Attitude: Confidence in financial probity and competence of SDA church administration, s1 m4 Motive: Gratitude, s1 p1b Adventist Package 1B: Tea & Coffee, Eating Meat, Movies, Coca Cola, s1 b3 Belief in the global mission of the SDA church, s1 m1 Motive: A biblical requirement, s1 a3 Attitude: Comfort as an SDA
- e. Predictors: (Constant), s1 p2 Adventist Package: Personal Spirituality, s1 b4 Belief: It is strategically valuable to pool tithe between churches, s1 a4 Attitude: to local pastor, s1 m2 Motive: God will bless, s1 p1A Adventist Package A: Alcohol, Tobacco, Drugs, s1 a6 Attitude: OK to divert tithe, s1 b5 Belief: Church not needy, s1 b1 Belief: Bible as Rule of Faith, s1 a1 Attitude: Confidence in financial probity and competence of SDA church administration, s1 m4 Motive: Gratitude, s1 p1b Adventist Package 1B: Tea & Coffee, Eating Meat, Movies, Coca Cola, s1 m1 Motive: A biblical requirement, s1 a3 Attitude: Comfort as an SDA
- f. Predictors: (Constant), s1 p2 Adventist Package: Personal Spirituality, s1 b4 Belief: It is strategically valuable to pool tithe between churches, s1 a4 Attitude: to local pastor, s1 m2 Motive: God will bless, s1 a6 Attitude: OK to divert tithe, s1 b5 Belief: Church not needy, s1 b1 Belief: Bible as Rule of Faith, s1 a1 Attitude: Confidence in financial probity and competence of SDA church administration, s1 m4 Motive: Gratitude, s1 p1b Adventist Package 1B: Tea & Coffee, Eating Meat, Movies, Coca Cola, s1 m1 Motive: A biblical requirement, s1 a3 Attitude: Comfort as an SDA
- g. Predictors: (Constant), s1 p2 Adventist Package: Personal Spirituality, s1 b4 Belief: It is strategically valuable to pool tithe between churches, s1 a4 Attitude: to local pastor, s1 m2 Motive: God will bless, s1 a6 Attitude: OK to divert tithe, s1 b5 Belief: Church not needy, s1 b1 Belief: Bible as Rule of Faith, s1 a1 Attitude: Confidence in financial probity and competence of SDA church administration, s1 m4 Motive: Gratitude, s1 m1 Motive: A biblical requirement, s1 a3 Attitude: Comfort as an SDA

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**ANOVA<sup>a</sup>**

Model		Sum of Squares	df	Mean Square	F	Sig.
1	Regression	1229.576	17	72.328	38.698	.000 <sup>b</sup>
	Residual	3055.846	1635	1.869		
	Total	4285.421	1652			
2	Regression	1229.160	16	76.822	41.123	.000 <sup>c</sup>
	Residual	3056.262	1636	1.868		
	Total	4285.421	1652			
3	Regression	1227.018	15	81.801	43.784	.000 <sup>d</sup>
	Residual	3058.404	1637	1.868		
	Total	4285.421	1652			
4	Regression	1224.489	14	87.464	46.804	.000 <sup>e</sup>
	Residual	3060.932	1638	1.869		
	Total	4285.421	1652			
5	Regression	1220.092	13	93.853	50.182	.000 <sup>f</sup>
	Residual	3065.330	1639	1.870		
	Total	4285.421	1652			
6	Regression	1216.406	12	101.367	54.168	.000 <sup>g</sup>
	Residual	3069.016	1640	1.871		
	Total	4285.421	1652			
7	Regression	1213.029	11	110.275	58.899	.000 <sup>h</sup>
	Residual	3072.392	1641	1.872		
	Total	4285.421	1652			

a. Dependent Variable: Tithe Status Detailed

b. Predictors: (Constant), s1 p2 Adventist Package: Personal Spirituality, s1 b4 Belief: It is strategically valuable to pool tithe between churches, s1 a4 Attitude: to local pastor, s1 m2 Motive: God will bless, s1 p1A Adventist Package A: Alcohol, Tobacco, Drugs, s1 a6 Attitude: OK to divert tithe, s1 b5 Belief: Church not needed, s1 b1 Belief: Bible as Rule of Faith, s1 a1 Attitude: Confidence in financial probity and competence of SDA church administration, s1 m3 Motive: Church as Family, s1 m4 Motive: Gratitude, s1 a5 Attitude: wish to control own money vs Lordship, s1 m5 Motive: Pay your way, s1 p1b Adventist Package 1B: Tea & Coffee, Eating Meat, Movies, Coca Cola, s1 b3 Belief in the global mission of the SDA church, s1 m1 Motive: A biblical requirement, s1 a3 Attitude: Comfort as an SDA

c. Predictors: (Constant), s1 p2 Adventist Package: Personal Spirituality, s1 b4 Belief: It is strategically valuable to pool tithe between churches, s1 a4 Attitude: to local pastor, s1 m2 Motive: God will bless, s1 p1A Adventist

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- d. Predictors: (Constant), s1 p2 Adventist Package: Personal Spirituality, s1 b4 Belief: It is strategically valuable to pool tithe between churches, s1 a4 Attitude: to local pastor, s1 m2 Motive: God will bless, s1 p1A Adventist Package A: Alcohol, Tobacco, Drugs, s1 a6 Attitude: OK to divert tithe, s1 b5 Belief: Church not needy, s1 b1 Belief: Bible as Rule of Faith, s1 a1 Attitude: Confidence in financial probity and competence of SDA church administration, s1 m3 Motive: Church as Family, s1 m4 Motive: Gratitude, s1 p1b Adventist Package 1B: Tea & Coffee, Eating Meat, Movies, Coca Cola, s1 b3 Belief in the global mission of the SDA church, s1 m1 Motive: A biblical requirement, s1 a3 Attitude: Comfort as an SDA
- e. Predictors: (Constant), s1 p2 Adventist Package: Personal Spirituality, s1 b4 Belief: It is strategically valuable to pool tithe between churches, s1 a4 Attitude: to local pastor, s1 m2 Motive: God will bless, s1 p1A Adventist Package A: Alcohol, Tobacco, Drugs, s1 a6 Attitude: OK to divert tithe, s1 b5 Belief: Church not needy, s1 b1 Belief: Bible as Rule of Faith, s1 a1 Attitude: Confidence in financial probity and competence of SDA church administration, s1 m4 Motive: Gratitude, s1 p1b Adventist Package 1B: Tea & Coffee, Eating Meat, Movies, Coca Cola, s1 b3 Belief in the global mission of the SDA church, s1 m1 Motive: A biblical requirement, s1 a3 Attitude: Comfort as an SDA
- f. Predictors: (Constant), s1 p2 Adventist Package: Personal Spirituality, s1 b4 Belief: It is strategically valuable to pool tithe between churches, s1 a4 Attitude: to local pastor, s1 m2 Motive: God will bless, s1 p1A Adventist Package A: Alcohol, Tobacco, Drugs, s1 a6 Attitude: OK to divert tithe, s1 b5 Belief: Church not needy, s1 b1 Belief: Bible as Rule of Faith, s1 a1 Attitude: Confidence in financial probity and competence of SDA church administration, s1 m4 Motive: Gratitude, s1 p1b Adventist Package 1B: Tea & Coffee, Eating Meat, Movies, Coca Cola, s1 m1 Motive: A biblical requirement, s1 a3 Attitude: Comfort as an SDA
- g. Predictors: (Constant), s1 p2 Adventist Package: Personal Spirituality, s1 b4 Belief: It is strategically valuable to pool tithe between churches, s1 a4 Attitude: to local pastor, s1 m2 Motive: God will bless, s1 a6 Attitude: OK to divert tithe, s1 b5 Belief: Church not needy, s1 b1 Belief: Bible as Rule of Faith, s1 a1 Attitude: Confidence in financial probity and competence of SDA church administration, s1 m4 Motive: Gratitude, s1 p1b Adventist Package 1B: Tea & Coffee, Eating Meat, Movies, Coca Cola, s1 m1 Motive: A biblical requirement, s1 a3 Attitude: Comfort as an SDA
- h. Predictors: (Constant), s1 p2 Adventist Package: Personal Spirituality, s1 b4 Belief: It is strategically valuable to pool tithe between churches, s1 a4 Attitude: to local pastor, s1 m2 Motive: God will bless, s1 a6 Attitude: OK to divert tithe, s1 b5 Belief: Church not needy, s1 b1 Belief: Bible as Rule of Faith, s1 a1 Attitude: Confidence in financial probity and competence of SDA church administration, s1 m4 Motive: Gratitude, s1 m1 Motive: A biblical requirement, s1 a3 Attitude: Comfort as an SDA

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**Coefficients<sup>a</sup>**

Model		Unstandardized Coefficients		Standardized Coefficients	t	Sig.
		B	Std. Error	Beta		
1	(Constant)	3.456	.400		8.648	.000
	s1 a1 Attitude: Confidence in financial probity and competence of SDA church administration	.086	.049	.044	1.755	.080
	s1 a3 Attitude: Comfort as an SDA	-.262	.081	-.098	-3.225	.001
	s1 a4 Attitude: to local pastor	-.147	.049	-.071	-3.017	.003
	s1 a5 Attitude: wish to control own money vs Lordship	.069	.065	.028	1.068	.286
	s1 a6 Attitude: OK to divert tithe	-.319	.034	-.221	-9.297	.000
	s1 b1 Belief: Bible as Rule of Faith	-.212	.068	-.085	-3.129	.002
	s1 b3 Belief in the global mission of the SDA church	.108	.092	.036	1.174	.241
	s1 b4 Belief: It is strategically valuable to pool tithe between churches	-.114	.041	-.063	-2.763	.006
	s1 b5 Belief: Church not needy	-.329	.059	-.139	-5.554	.000
	s1 m1 Motive: A biblical requirement	.497	.085	.174	5.855	.000
	s1 m2 Motive: God will bless	.069	.044	.037	1.566	.118
	s1 m3 Motive: Church as Family	.064	.061	.027	1.055	.292
	s1 m4 Motive: Gratitude	.296	.062	.126	4.775	.000

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Model	Unstandardized Coefficients		Standardized Coefficients	t	Sig.
	B	Std. Error	Beta		
s1 m5 Motive: Pay your way	.028	.060	.013	.472	.637
s1 p1A Adventist Package A: Alcohol, Tobacco, Drugs	-.091	.056	-.041	-1.621	.105
s1 p1b Adventist Package 1B: Tea & Coffee, Eating Meat, Movies, Coca Cola	.077	.046	.045	1.656	.098
s1 p2 Adventist Package: Personal Spirituality	.461	.061	.198	7.567	.000
2 (Constant)	3.475	.398		8.742	.000
s1 a1 Attitude: Confidence in financial probity and competence of SDA church administration	.088	.049	.045	1.796	.073
s1 a3 Attitude: Comfort as an SDA	-.259	.081	-.097	-3.201	.001
s1 a4 Attitude: to local pastor	-.145	.049	-.070	-2.995	.003
s1 a5 Attitude: wish to control own money vs Lordship	.069	.065	.028	1.071	.284
s1 a6 Attitude: OK to divert tithe	-.319	.034	-.221	-9.315	.000
s1 b1 Belief: Bible as Rule of Faith	-.209	.067	-.084	-3.101	.002
s1 b3 Belief in the global mission of the SDA church	.111	.092	.037	1.213	.225
s1 b4 Belief: It is strategically valuable to pool tithe between churches	-.112	.041	-.061	-2.725	.007
s1 b5 Belief: Church not needy	-.334	.058	-.141	-5.713	.000
s1 m1 Motive: A biblical requirement	.500	.084	.175	5.925	.000
s1 m2 Motive: God will bless	.070	.044	.038	1.602	.109
s1 m3 Motive: Church as Family	.066	.061	.027	1.080	.280

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**Coefficients<sup>a</sup>**

Model	Unstandardized Coefficients		Standardized Coefficients	t	Sig.
	B	Std. Error	Beta		
s1 m4 Motive: Gratitude	.300	.061	.128	4.893	.000
s1 p1A Adventist Package A: Alcohol, Tobacco, Drugs	-.092	.056	-.041	-1.622	.105
s1 p1b Adventist Package 1B: Tea & Coffee, Eating Meat, Movies, Coca Cola	.079	.046	.046	1.713	.087
s1 p2 Adventist Package: Personal Spirituality	.459	.061	.197	7.554	.000
3 (Constant)	3.505	.397		8.838	.000
s1 a1 Attitude: Confidence in financial probity and competence of SDA church administration	.088	.049	.045	1.801	.072
s1 a3 Attitude: Comfort as an SDA	-.254	.081	-.095	-3.142	.002
s1 a4 Attitude: to local pastor	-.143	.048	-.069	-2.955	.003
s1 a6 Attitude: OK to divert tithe	-.319	.034	-.221	-9.301	.000
s1 b1 Belief: Bible as Rule of Faith	-.199	.067	-.080	-2.977	.003
s1 b3 Belief in the global mission of the SDA church	.128	.091	.042	1.413	.158
s1 b4 Belief: It is strategically valuable to pool tithe between churches	-.111	.041	-.061	-2.713	.007
s1 b5 Belief: Church not needy	-.335	.058	-.142	-5.743	.000
s1 m1 Motive: A biblical requirement	.501	.084	.175	5.938	.000
s1 m2 Motive: God will bless	.073	.044	.039	1.677	.094
s1 m3 Motive: Church as Family	.070	.061	.029	1.163	.245
s1 m4 Motive: Gratitude	.308	.061	.132	5.065	.000

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**Coefficients<sup>a</sup>**

Model	Unstandardized Coefficients		Standardized Coefficients	t	Sig.
	B	Std. Error	Beta		
s1 p1A Adventist Package A: Alcohol, Tobacco, Drugs	-.088	.056	-.039	-1.568	.117
s1 p1b Adventist Package 1B: Tea & Coffee, Eating Meat, Movies, Coca Cola	.080	.046	.047	1.729	.084
s1 p2 Adventist Package: Personal Spirituality	.467	.060	.201	7.732	.000
4 (Constant)	3.553	.394		9.008	.000
s1 a1 Attitude: Confidence in financial probity and competence of SDA church administration	.090	.049	.046	1.841	.066

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**Coefficients<sup>a</sup>**

Model	Unstandardized Coefficients		Standardized Coefficients	t	Sig.
	B	Std. Error	Beta		
s1 a3 Attitude: Comfort as an SDA	-.240	.080	-.089	-2.998	.003
s1 a4 Attitude: to local pastor	-.136	.048	-.066	-2.827	.005
s1 a6 Attitude: OK to divert tithe	-.320	.034	-.222	-9.337	.000
s1 b1 Belief: Bible as Rule of Faith	-.195	.067	-.078	-2.930	.003
s1 b3 Belief in the global mission of the SDA church	.138	.090	.046	1.534	.125
s1 b4 Belief: It is strategically valuable to pool tithe between churches	-.111	.041	-.061	-2.710	.007
s1 b5 Belief: Church not needy	-.337	.058	-.142	-5.768	.000
s1 m1 Motive: A biblical requirement	.496	.084	.174	5.884	.000
s1 m2 Motive: God will bless	.074	.044	.040	1.700	.089
s1 m4 Motive: Gratitude	.312	.061	.133	5.136	.000
s1 p1A Adventist Package A: Alcohol, Tobacco, Drugs	-.089	.056	-.039	-1.578	.115
s1 p1b Adventist Package 1B: Tea & Coffee, Eating Meat, Movies, Coca Cola	.084	.046	.049	1.818	.069
s1 p2 Adventist Package: Personal Spirituality	.483	.059	.207	8.213	.000
5 (Constant)	3.702	.382		9.683	.000
s1 a1 Attitude: Confidence in financial probity and competence of SDA church administration	.099	.049	.051	2.029	.043
s1 a3 Attitude: Comfort as an SDA	-.194	.074	-.072	-2.614	.009
s1 a4 Attitude: to local pastor	-.134	.048	-.065	-2.785	.005

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Model	Unstandardized Coefficients		Standardized Coefficients	t	Sig.
	B	Std. Error	Beta		
s1 a6 Attitude: OK to divert tithe	-.321	.034	-.223	-9.379	.000
s1 b1 Belief: Bible as Rule of Faith	-.184	.066	-.074	-2.779	.006
s1 b4 Belief: It is strategically valuable to pool tithe between churches	-.108	.041	-.059	-2.632	.009
s1 b5 Belief: Church not needy	-.343	.058	-.145	-5.888	.000
s1 m1 Motive: A biblical requirement	.525	.082	.184	6.392	.000
s1 m2 Motive: God will bless	.070	.044	.038	1.617	.106
s1 m4 Motive: Gratitude	.311	.061	.133	5.113	.000
s1 p1A Adventist Package A: Alcohol, Tobacco, Drugs	-.079	.056	-.035	-1.404	.161
s1 p1b Adventist Package 1B: Tea & Coffee, Eating Meat, Movies, Coca Cola	.082	.046	.048	1.770	.077
s1 p2 Adventist Package: Personal Spirituality	.484	.059	.208	8.244	.000
6 (Constant)	3.578	.372		9.616	.000
s1 a1 Attitude: Confidence in financial probity and competence of SDA church administration	.099	.049	.051	2.035	.042
s1 a3 Attitude: Comfort as an SDA	-.207	.074	-.077	-2.807	.005
s1 a4 Attitude: to local pastor	-.136	.048	-.066	-2.837	.005
s1 a6 Attitude: OK to divert tithe	-.323	.034	-.223	-9.414	.000
s1 b1 Belief: Bible as Rule of Faith	-.188	.066	-.075	-2.840	.005
s1 b4 Belief: It is strategically valuable to pool tithe between churches	-.109	.041	-.060	-2.656	.008

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**Coefficients<sup>a</sup>**

Model	Unstandardized Coefficients		Standardized Coefficients	t	Sig.
	B	Std. Error	Beta		
s1 b5 Belief: Church not needy	-.340	.058	-.144	-5.841	.000
s1 m1 Motive: A biblical requirement	.509	.081	.178	6.253	.000
s1 m2 Motive: God will bless	.074	.043	.040	1.691	.091
s1 m4 Motive: Gratitude	.313	.061	.134	5.147	.000
s1 p1b Adventist Package 1B: Tea & Coffee, Eating Meat, Movies, Coca Cola	.057	.043	.034	1.343	.179
s1 p2 Adventist Package: Personal Spirituality	.492	.059	.211	8.394	.000
7 (Constant)	3.571	.372		9.596	.000
s1 a1 Attitude: Confidence in financial probity and competence of SDA church administration	.102	.049	.052	2.084	.037
s1 a3 Attitude: Comfort as an SDA	-.199	.073	-.074	-2.710	.007
s1 a4 Attitude: to local pastor	-.140	.048	-.068	-2.918	.004
s1 a6 Attitude: OK to divert tithe	-.329	.034	-.228	-9.666	.000
s1 b1 Belief: Bible as Rule of Faith	-.181	.066	-.073	-2.746	.006
s1 b4 Belief: It is strategically valuable to pool tithe between churches	-.107	.041	-.059	-2.625	.009
s1 b5 Belief: Church not needy	-.341	.058	-.144	-5.842	.000
s1 m1 Motive: A biblical requirement	.517	.081	.181	6.374	.000
s1 m2 Motive: God will bless	.083	.043	.045	1.937	.053
s1 m4 Motive: Gratitude	.311	.061	.133	5.120	.000
s1 p2 Adventist Package: Personal Spirituality	.518	.055	.223	9.397	.000

a. Dependent Variable: Tithe Status Detailed

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**Excluded Variables<sup>a</sup>**

Model	Beta In	t	Sig.	Partial Correlation	Collinearity Statistics	
					Tolerance	
2	s1 m5 Motive: Pay your way	.013 <sup>b</sup>	.472	.637	.012	.597
3	s1 m5 Motive: Pay your way	.013 <sup>c</sup>	.478	.633	.012	.597
	s1 a5 Attitude: wish to control own money vs Lordship	.028 <sup>c</sup>	1.071	.284	.026	.641
4	s1 m5 Motive: Pay your way	.014 <sup>d</sup>	.536	.592	.013	.598
	s1 a5 Attitude: wish to control own money vs Lordship	.030 <sup>d</sup>	1.155	.248	.029	.645
	s1 m3 Motive: Church as Family	.029 <sup>d</sup>	1.163	.245	.029	.680
5	s1 m5 Motive: Pay your way	.018 <sup>e</sup>	.661	.509	.016	.602
	s1 a5 Attitude: wish to control own money vs Lordship	.036 <sup>e</sup>	1.405	.160	.035	.665
	s1 m3 Motive: Church as Family	.033 <sup>e</sup>	1.308	.191	.032	.686
	s1 b3 Belief in the global mission of the SDA church	.046 <sup>e</sup>	1.534	.125	.038	.490
6	s1 m5 Motive: Pay your way	.018 <sup>f</sup>	.650	.516	.016	.602
	s1 a5 Attitude: wish to control own money vs Lordship	.033 <sup>f</sup>	1.299	.194	.032	.669
	s1 m3 Motive: Church as Family	.033 <sup>f</sup>	1.303	.193	.032	.686
	s1 b3 Belief in the global mission of the SDA church	.040 <sup>f</sup>	1.354	.176	.033	.497
	s1 p1A Adventist Package A: Alcohol, Tobacco, Drugs	-.035 <sup>f</sup>	-1.404	.161	-.035	.707
7	s1 m5 Motive: Pay your way	.021 <sup>g</sup>	.797	.425	.020	.610
	s1 a5 Attitude: wish to control own money vs Lordship	.035 <sup>g</sup>	1.359	.174	.034	.670

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**Excluded Variables<sup>a</sup>**

Model	Beta In	t	Sig.	Partial Correlation	Collinearity Statistics
					Tolerance
s1 m3 Motive: Church as Family	.035 <sup>g</sup>	1.400	.162	.035	.690
s1 b3 Belief in the global mission of the SDA church	.041 <sup>g</sup>	1.373	.170	.034	.497
s1 p1A Adventist Package A: Alcohol, Tobacco, Drugs	-.018 <sup>g</sup>	-.801	.423	-.020	.821
s1 p1b Adventist Package 1B: Tea & Coffee, Eating Meat, Movies, Coca Cola	.034 <sup>g</sup>	1.343	.179	.033	.693

a. Dependent Variable: Tithe Status Detailed

b. Predictors in the Model: (Constant), s1 p2 Adventist Package: Personal Spirituality, s1 b4 Belief: It is strategically valuable to pool tithe between churches, s1 a4 Attitude: to local pastor, s1 m2 Motive: God will bless, s1 p1A Adventist Package A: Alcohol, Tobacco, Drugs, s1 a6 Attitude: OK to divert tithe, s1 b5 Belief: Church not needy, s1 b1 Belief: Bible as Rule of Faith, s1 a1 Attitude: Confidence in financial probity and competence of SDA church administration, s1 m3 Motive: Church as Family, s1 m4 Motive: Gratitude, s1 a5 Attitude: wish to control own money vs Lordship, s1 p1b Adventist Package 1B: Tea & Coffee, Eating Meat, Movies, Coca Cola, s1 b3 Belief in the global mission of the SDA church, s1 m1 Motive: A biblical requirement, s1 a3 Attitude: Comfort as an SDA

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f. Predictors in the Model: (Constant), s1 p2 Adventist Package: Personal Spirituality, s1 b4 Belief: It is strategically valuable to pool tithe between churches, s1 a4 Attitude: to local pastor, s1 m2 Motive: God will bless, s1 a6 Attitude: OK to divert tithe, s1 b5 Belief: Church not needy, s1 b1 Belief: Bible as Rule of Faith, s1

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g. Predictors in the Model: (Constant), s1 p2 Adventist Package: Personal Spirituality, s1 b4 Belief: It is strategically valuable to pool tithe between churches, s1 a4 Attitude: to local pastor, s1 m2 Motive: God will bless, s1 a6 Attitude: OK to divert tithe, s1 b5 Belief: Church not needy, s1 b1 Belief: Bible as Rule of Faith, s1 a1 Attitude: Confidence in financial probity and competence of SDA church administration, s1 m4 Motive: Gratitude, s1 m1 Motive: A biblical requirement, s1 a3 Attitude: Comfort as an SDA