

VELVEETA BOXES & CLAY JARS

Comfortable Living—
part eight
2 Corinthians 4:1-7
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THREE TRUTHS

I. The P _____ P _____
My h _____ is like an empty clay jar

2 Cor. 4:7
2 Chronicles 16:9

“clay pots” → ostrakinos → earthenware

Jarring Truth: God did not create me to be a
d _____ but to contain
something v _____.

II. The P _____ P _____
Christ lives in me like a treasure in a jar

2 Cor. 4:10

“treasure” → thesauros → treasure trove

Jarring Truth: I can never successfully i _____
Jesus—but I can c _____ and
d _____ the life of Christ.

III. The P _____ P _____
God delights in using i _____ vessels

2 Cor. 4:7
1 Cor 1:26-29

“all surpassing” → hyperbole → excess

Jarring Truth: A c _____ pot
reveals more of God's light

If you only look at us, you might well miss the
brightness. We carry this precious Message around in
the unadorned clay pots of our ordinary lives. That's
to prevent us from confusing God's incomparable
power with us.' (The Message) 2 Corinthians 4:7

