

11. Looking back, Paul was so thankful that he had not done what?
12. In I Corinthians 1:16 was Paul subtly trying to diminish the importance of baptism?
13. Baptism does NOT save someone but is a symbol of what?
14. The Lord Jesus did not send Paul to do what?
15. What unites all true believers in Jesus?
16. What does the cross crush?
17. What was at the root of the division problem in Corinth?
18. What are some things we can become prideful about?
19. What phrase is the emphasis of this passage that we are looking at?
20. According to Ephesians 1:4, God did what in relation to you?
21. According to Ephesians 1:5, God did what in relation to you?
22. According to Romans 8:30, God did what in relation to you?
23. According to John 16:8, what did God do to you?
24. According to John 6:44, God did what to you?
25. Where did you get the ability to repent of your sins?
26. Ephesians 2:8 tells us that God granted us what?
27. In Matthew 16:18, what did Jesus say he would build?
28. Does the Lord need anything from us to accomplish His purposes?
29. Anyone can plant and water, but only God can do what?
30. What happens when we embrace the mind-set that we have to accomplish the growth in people's lives?
31. Why are there so many people who hang around Christianity for a while, only to eventually bail out?
32. How many times in three verses does Paul and the Holy Spirit tell us that God causes the growth?
33. Though we are merely servants who plant and water, God says He will do what for our labor?
34. As with salvation, is the reward the same for all people?
35. God is going to reward His servants, based upon what?
36. Are you faithful in laboring for Christ and His kingdom?

37. Do you truly know Christ as your personal Lord and Savior?
38. Has your life truly been changed and transformed by Him?
39. Is your attachment to Jesus only superficial or is it genuine?
40. Have you surrendered your life to Christ?

Remember: Your responsibility, by God's enabling, is to consistently apply the divine principles and truths you have heard (Philippians 2:12-13; I Timothy 4:7-9; James 1:22-27). As you meditate on this message, ask yourself these questions:

- »» How does God want my beliefs/actions to change?
- »» How can I accomplish this change?
- »» What is the first step toward bringing about this change?

For Next Week:

- 1) Read I Corinthians 1:1-3:15 through at least once this week.
- 2) Do you think it is possible for a believer who is accepted by God because he is "in Christ" to not be well-pleasing to God?
- 3) Discuss with a friend what you know about the judgment that we as Christians face?

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GOD GIVES THE INCREASE
I Corinthians 3:5-8
(Series #11)

The following are questions designed to facilitate greater learning and deeper understanding of spiritual truths presented in the sermon "God Gives The Increase" All of the questions are answered as the sermon is presented. We hope that it will be a catalyst to spiritual growth in your life.

1. If you are ever tempted to overestimate your own importance, read what?
2. What is Paul addressing in this section of I Corinthians 1:10-4:21?
3. Paul begins this lengthy section with an open appeal for what?
4. T or F: When Paul exhorts and urges the Corinthians, he is implying that it is wrong to have differences of opinion.
5. What was the root problem in the Corinthian church?
6. To force one another to take sides on preferences is a sign of what?
7. Paul points out that he and Apollos are mere what?
8. The Greek word, "doulos" actually means what?
9. What was a distinguishing mark of a bond-slave?
10. We are baptized to show what?

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