

8. We are all to put others before what?
9. What are some things that Paul is NOT saying in 9:13-23?
10. Which is worse: Advertizing a strip-tease show to get people to come to hear the gospel or implying that all religions lead to God to get people to come to hear the gospel?
11. So, what is Paul saying when he said that he became all things to all men so that he might win some?
12. What are some necessary barriers in the gospel presentation that CANNOT be set aside?
13. To continue Paul's presentation on financial support, he points out the example of whom?
14. What is Paul's point in 9:14?
15. Why is Paul laboring to make his point?
16. Paul is basically saying, "Just because you have the freedom in Christ to do something doesn't mean you ought to..." what?
17. Paul would rather die than have anyone believe what?
18. Paul's boasting was more like doing what?
19. Why could Paul NOT boast about his decision to become a preacher?
20. God's severest chastening is reserved for whom?
21. Paul knew that if he carried out his ministry willingly and with a good attitude, he would be what?
22. Paul's example was that he set aside his rights and freedoms when that was the best for what?
23. Paul was willing to put himself in the position of a servant so he might do what?
24. What is the first specific example Paul gives about his own life?
25. What is the second specific example Paul gives about his own life?
26. What phrase does Paul add so as to clarify that he is not saying that he would sin to identify with and be accepted by people?
27. The term, "weak" in verse 22 refers to whom?
28. What didn't matter to Paul, in relation to people?
29. Without violating God's word and without compromising the

truth, Paul was willing to set aside what, for the sake of other people?

30. Paul was willing to set aside his rights, his liberties, and his freedoms for the sake of others and for the sake of the Lord's work because he had what kind of heart?

31. Are you willing to set aside your personal preferences and conveniences in life for the sake of the gospel and for the sake of other people?

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 1:1-9:27 through at least once this week.**

**2) What is wrong with this statement: "You shouldn't do anything that you don't want to do because that would mean that Christ hadn't given you the desire and therefore if you do it anyway then you would be doing it out of legalism."**

**3) What is the goal of the Christian life? How does that match up or compare with your goal(s) in life? How does your life prove or verify your answer to the previous question? What does I Corinthians 9:24-27 say about reaching the true goal of the Christian life?**

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**ALL THINGS TO ALL MEN**

**I Corinthians 9:13-23**

**(Series #34)**

The following are questions designed to facilitate greater learning and deeper understanding of spiritual truths presented in the sermon "**All Things To All Men**" 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. What verse do many people use to teach that one should practice what they preach?

2. What are the two different camps on the matter of eating meat offered to idols, as seen in I Corinthians?

3. One thing none of us should do is exercise our legitimate Christian liberty at the expense of whom?

4. What is more important than our rights and liberties?

5. Paul knew that some of the Corinthians would say what?

6. What example does Paul establish to teach the Corinthians on this issue of giving up rights for others?

7. Paul's point is that believers ought not demand what?

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