

"Church Discipline" Pt. 2 (1 Corinthians 5:6-13)

- I. THE CALLING AND BENEFITS OF BEING A SAINT" (1:1-9)
- II. A CALL FOR UNITY (1:10-31)
- III. UNDERSTANDING GOD'S WISDOM THROUGH THE HOLY SPIRIT (2:1-16)
- IV. RESPONDING TO GOD'S WISDOM (2:14 – 4:21)
- V. ADDRESSING ISSUES (5:1-6:20)

A. Church Discipline Regarding the Man (5:1-5)

1. The **Context** for the discipline is a report of _____ in the church
2. The **Catastrophe** of the church is that they did not _____ the issue.
* The church failed to act because they were _____ and not _____
3. The **Conclusion** of Paul is to _____
* Why is this sin supposed to cause the church to remove this person from their midst (5:2)?
4. The **Confirmation** of Paul's conclusion is substantiated by citing the _____ and _____ of the Lord Jesus Christ.
5. The **Charge** to the church is to _____ such a one to the realm of Satan

B. Church Discipline Regarding the Church (5:6-13)

1. The **Criticism** to the church. (5:6-8)
 - a. The church _____ in their _____ of this sin
 - b. The church needed to understand the principle of _____.
 - c. The church is commanded to _____ the old leaven
* Why were they to purge the old leaven?

* The reason they were a new lump is because Christ was _____ for them

d. The church is to _____ with purity

* What is to characterize our Christian lives?

2. The **Clarification** to the church. (5:9-13)

a. Paul previously wrote to the church not to _____ with sexually immoral people

* keep company---

b. The wrong application of this principle is to apply it to the _____

* What is the Christian's relationship to the surrounding culture?

* What else is mentioned here?

c. The _____ of this discipline lies _____ the church, not outside of it

d. The _____ is to _____ the unrepentant believer from the body

*How does this apply to you?