

"A Word to the Wise"

I Corinthians 3:18 - 4:5

INTRODUCTION:

***You can be smart, as God measures "smartness"!**

You are smart when you. . .

- I. **Trade in MAN'S wisdom for GOD'S wisdom** (v. 18-20)
(A word to the wise: "*Don't think like men*")

You are smart when you. . .

- II. **Benefit from ALL God has to offer** (v. 21-23)
(A word to the wise: "*Don't follow men*")

You are smart when you. . .

- III. **Realize the GREATNESS of FAITHFUL SERVITUDE** (4:1-2)
(A word to the wise: "*Don't inflate men*")

"You are smart when you. . .

- IV. **Stand UNINTIMIDATED by man's judgment,
but live in anticipation of God's judgment** (4:3-5)
(A word to the wise: "*Don't live to please men*")

CONCLUSION: