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"Now these things happened to them as an example, but they were written down for our instruction, on whom the end of the ages has come." (1 Corinthians 10:11 ESV)

## God's Call For Relational Obedience Must Be Written On Our Hearts, (vs. 1 - 25)

- Our Relationship With God Must Be The Cornerstone Of Life & Not Just An Accessory, (vs. 10 15)
  - 5. We must live in the full allegiance that God be praised & not dishonored, (vs. 15)
    - A. Either we live in the full presence of God and enjoy His provision, (vs. 15a); "No, I imply that what pagans sacrifice they offer to demons and not to God. I do not want you to be participants with demons. ""You cannot drink the cup of the Lord and the cup of demons. You cannot partake of the table of the Lord and the table of demons. ""Shall we provoke the Lord to jealousy? Are we stronger than he? """All things are lawful," but not all things build up. "(1 Corinthians 10:20–23 ESV)

B. Or we reject the presence of God and endure His wrath against us, (vs. 15b); "And the LORD's anger was kindled on that day, and he swore, saying, ""'Surely none of the men who came up out of Egypt, from twenty years old and upward, shall see the land that I swore to give to Abraham, to Isaac, and to Jacob, because they have not wholly followed me, ""none except Caleb the son of Jephunneh the Kenizzite and Joshua the son of Nun, for they have wholly followed the LORD.' ""And the LORD's anger was kindled against Israel, and he made them wander in the wilderness forty years, until all the generation that had done evil in the sight of the LORD was gone."(Numbers 32:10–13 ESV)

- Our Relationship With God Must Be The Motivation For Trust & Not Just How We Are Blessed, (vs. 16 19)
  Our Relationship With God Must Be Our Testimony & Not Just A Method Of Evangelism, (vs. 20 25)