

LETTERS OF PAUL: I CORINTHIANS, PHILEMON, PHILEMON

Fourth Quarter Preview Studies

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Oct. 6 - PROBLEMS IN CHURCH FELLOWSHIP

Lesson 1. Maturity in the Church - I Cor. 1-4.

I. The Cause of Immaturity, 1:1-31

A. The Description of the church, 1:1-9

B. The Divisions in the church, 1:10-17

C. The Difficulty with the church, 1:18-31.

II. The Cure for Immaturity, 2:1-16

III. The Consequences of Immaturity, 3: 1-4; 21.

Undeveloped, unrewarded, unclean, unjust, unnatural.

Oct. 13 - MORAL STANDARDS OF CHURCH MEMBERS

Lesson 2. Morality in the church - I Cor. 5-6

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II. The Punishment, 5:3-5

III. The Principle, 5:6-13; 6:17-20

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III. The Principle of Restriction, 9-13.

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B. Have understanding right, 23-26.

C. Have self right, 27-32.

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III. Design of spiritual gifts, 12: 12-30

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B. In relation to Christ's resurrection, 12-19.

C. In relation to the Christian's hope, 20-34

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Dec. 1 - TRIUMPHANT WITNESSING

Lesson 9 - The Preaching of Christ - Phil. 1.

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