

CALLED TO BE SAINTS **TOGETHER**

Christ, Our Foundation

1 Corinthians 3:10-23 (ESV)

¹⁰According to the grace of God given to me, like a skilled master builder I laid a foundation, and someone else is building upon it. Let each one take care how he builds upon it. ¹¹For no one can lay a foundation other than that which is laid, which is Jesus Christ. ¹²Now if anyone builds on the foundation with gold, silver, precious stones, wood, hay, straw — ¹³each one's work will become manifest, for the Day will disclose it, because it will be revealed by fire, and the fire will test what sort of work each one has done. ¹⁴If the work that anyone has built on the foundation survives, he will receive a reward. ¹⁵If anyone's work is burned up, he will suffer loss, though he himself will be saved, but only as through fire. ¹⁶Do you not know that you are God's temple and that God's Spirit dwells in you? ¹⁷If anyone destroys God's temple, God will destroy him. For God's temple is holy, and you are that temple. ¹⁸Let no one deceive himself. If anyone among you thinks that he is wise in this age, let him become a fool that he may become wise. ¹⁹For the wisdom of this world is folly with God. For it is written, "He catches the wise in their craftiness," ²⁰and again, "The Lord knows the thoughts of the wise, that they are futile." ²¹So let no one boast in men. For all things are yours, ²²whether Paul or Apollos or Cephas or the world or life or death or the present or the future—all are yours, ²³and you are Christ's, and Christ is God's.

The first part of this text is **history**:

Paul describes himself as a ...

Paul sees the Church as ...

Paul sees us as ...

The second part of this text is a **warning**:

Be careful what you add to the _____!

A _____ is coming of the spiritual 'work' that's been done.

God cares deeply about His _____ (His _____)

This world and all its so-called _____ is often at odds with God and the _____.

The big question: **Is the Gospel** _____?

Is it enough to ...

Is it enough to ...

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Some personal **applications**: