

STRENGTH in WEAKNESS

Called Out

2 Corinthians 11:1-15 (ESV)

¹ I wish you would bear with me in a little foolishness. Do bear with me! ² For I feel a divine jealousy for you, since I betrothed you to one husband, to present you as a pure virgin to Christ. ³ But I am afraid that as the serpent deceived Eve by his cunning, your thoughts will be led astray from a sincere and pure devotion to Christ. ⁴ For if someone comes and proclaims another Jesus than the one we proclaimed, or if you receive a different spirit from the one you received, or if you accept a different gospel from the one you accepted, you put up with it readily enough. ⁵ Indeed, I consider that I am not in the least inferior to these super-apostles. ⁶ Even if I am unskilled in speaking, I am not so in knowledge; indeed, in every way we have made this plain to you in all things. ⁷ Or did I commit a sin in humbling myself so that you might be exalted, because I preached God's gospel to you free of charge? ⁸ I robbed other churches by accepting support from them in order to serve you. ⁹ And when I was with you and was in need, I did not burden anyone, for the brothers who came from Macedonia supplied my need. So I refrained and will refrain from burdening you in any way. ¹⁰ As the truth of Christ is in me, this boasting of mine will not be silenced in the regions of Achaia. ¹¹ And why? Because I do not love you? God knows I do! ¹² And what I am doing I will continue to do, in order to undermine the claim of those who would like to claim that in their boasted mission they work on the same terms as we do. ¹³ For such men are false apostles, deceitful workmen, disguising themselves as apostles of Christ. ¹⁴ And no wonder, for even Satan disguises himself as an angel of light. ¹⁵ So it is no surprise if his servants, also, disguise themselves as servants of righteousness. Their end will correspond to their deeds.

The **context**:

What "foolishness" is Paul referring to?

The **concern**:

What is Paul fearful of?

Why is Paul so concerned?

His _____ for them ...

Their _____ and _____ ...

Their _____ (Like Eve's)

The church's responsibility regarding false teachers:

Choose _____ . (v. 2,4,5; Titus 1:9)

Look for ...

Disregard ...

And refuse to _____ or be _____ false teachers.

Know the _____ Christ. (v. 4)

The Jesus of the Bible ...

We also have to learn to “_____” theology.

1st order –

2nd order –

3rd order –

Check our own _____. (v. 3, 14-15)

Our _____ prime our _____ for _____!

Consider Eve ...

Satan's role (or the false teacher's role) as a deceiver does not eliminate our _____ in being deceived!

Conclusion: Why we can never take doctrine lightly

False teaching always has an _____.

Wrong _____ inevitably leads to wrong _____.

2 Corinthians 12:20-21 (ESV)

²⁰ For I fear that perhaps when I come I may find you not as I wish, and that you may find me not as you wish—that perhaps there may be quarreling, jealousy, anger, hostility, slander, gossip, conceit, and disorder. ²¹ I fear that when I come again my God may humble me before you, and I may have to mourn over many of those who sinned earlier and have not repented of the impurity, sexual immorality, and sensuality that they have practiced.

WORSHIP NOTES
for **KIDS**

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TODAYS SERMON:

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WHO IS PREACHING?

What is today's Bible Passage?



"Beware of Satan's lies, as they will lead us away from devotion to Jesus Christ."

1. *How can you stay focused on and be devoted to Jesus Christ?*

WHAT SONGS DID WE SING TODAY?



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