

1 Corinthians

Study 10 - July 3, 2026

Naples Friday Morning Men's Bible Study (for prior studies: exeraunao.com, oldsalt1979.wordpress.com)

- I. Introduction
- II. Greetings From Paul and Sosthenes (1:1-1:9)
- III. Divisions in the Congregation (1:10-4:21)
- IV. Moral Disorder (5:1-6:20)
- V. Marriage (7:1-40)
 - A. Marriage and Celibacy (7:1-9)
 - B. Marriage and Divorce (7:10-24)
 - C. Marriage and Christian Service (7:25-38)
 - 1. Singleness - Preferred Not Required (7:25-28)
 - 2. Paul's Argument for Singleness (7:29-35)
 - 3. Freedom to Marry (7:36-38)
 - 1. How does Paul describe the man who marries? (v. 38)
 - D. Marriage and Remarriage (7:39-40)
 - 2. What does Paul mean, "only in the Lord"? (v. 39)
- VI. Food Sacrificed to Idols (8:1-11:1)
 - A. The Basis of Christian Conduct - Love over Knowledge (8:1-13)
 - 1. The Way of Love and the Way of Knowledge (8:1-3)
 - 3. How is love different than knowledge? (v. 1)
 - 2. The Content of the Way of Knowledge (8:4-6)
 - 4. Are idols "real"? (v. 4)
 - 3. The Basis - Care for Fellow Believers (8:7-13)
 - 5. How / why are we to be careful in exercising our freedom in Messiah? (v. 9)
 - B. The Example of Paul (9:1-27)
 - 1. The Defense of Paul's Apostleship (9:1-2)
 - 6. Was anyone skeptical that Paul was an Apostle? (v. 2)