

# MESSAGE NOTES

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*A BETTER WAY: Fools For Christ*  
*1 Corinthians 4:1-13*  
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- Paul urges these Christians not to \_\_\_\_\_ or be \_\_\_\_\_.
- *Puffed up* = \_\_\_\_\_, arrogant, \_\_\_\_\_-important. 1 Cor 4:6,18-19; 5:2; 8:1
- With loving \_\_\_\_\_, he points them \_\_\_\_\_ to “\_\_\_\_\_.”

Therefore judge nothing before the appointed time. Wait until the Lord comes. He will bring to light what is hidden in darkness and will expose the motives of the heart. At that time each will receive their praise from God.

1 Corinthians 4:5

## 3 REMINDERS THAT POINT US BACK TO “HUMBLE”

- ① One day the Lord will \_\_\_\_\_ *mystewardship*. 1 Cor 3:13; 4:1-5; 2 Cor 5:10
- When the Lord \_\_\_\_\_, He'll reveal everyone's true \_\_\_\_\_.
- What \_\_\_\_\_ is His \_\_\_\_\_ at \_\_\_\_\_ time; no one else's.
- ② There's \_\_\_\_\_ I have that I did not \_\_\_\_\_. Jn 3:27; James 1:17
- If \_\_\_\_\_ I have is a \_\_\_\_\_, I can't \_\_\_\_\_ that I made it happen.
- ③ Being \_\_\_\_\_ to Christ = being a “\_\_\_\_\_” for \_\_\_\_\_.
- *Serving Christ* = \_\_\_\_\_ to \_\_\_\_\_ glory, honor & recognition.
- He calls me to \_\_\_\_\_ when cursed & \_\_\_\_\_ when mistreated.

For who makes you different than anyone else?  
What do you have that you did not receive? And if you did receive it,  
why do you boast as though you did not? 1 Corinthians 4:7

## GOD GIVES GRACE TO THE HUMBLE

- God, show me \_\_\_\_\_ in me so Your grace \_\_\_\_\_.