

Sunday School Notes

May 17, 2020

The Resurrection, the Cornerstone of the Gospel

Read: 1 Corinthians 15:1-11

How do we hold firmly to the Word preached to us (1 Corinthians 15:2; 2 Thessalonians 2:15; Hebrews 2:1; 3:6, 12-15, 4:14-16: 10:23-25)?

1 Corinthians 15:2-7 **The Gospel of Jesus Christ is Based on Truth, Facts and Verified Events.**

Where do these facts come from? On the Emmaus Road Luke 24:25-27 and 32. Not Fake News

Luke's summaries in the Book of Acts of Christ's appearances after the resurrection

Acts 1:1-11; 10:39-42; 13:28-30

Were there more than 12 Apostles? Barnabas Acts 14:1,4,14, James the Lord's Brother Galatians 1:19, 2:9; Andronicus and Junias Romans 16:7; and Silas 1 Thessalonians 2:6-7, and Acts 17:1-9.

1 Corinthians 15:8-11 **Christ's post resurrection appearance to the Apostle Paul and its effect.**

The simplicity of Paul's message 1 Corinthians 2:1-5. What is Paul saying that matters in this passage?

What motivated Paul's passion and hard work for spreading the Gospel?

Acts 22:3-5; 26:9-12; Luke 7:39-47, especially verses 41-42 and 47; Philippians 3:10-14;

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Order of Church Participation and the Gifts

Read: 1 Corinthians 14:26-40

What are some of the gifts Paul mentions occurring when saints get together?

What are the restrictions Paul puts on speaking in tongues?

What are the restrictions Paul puts on prophesying?

What is purpose of these gifts in a corporate worship setting? verses 26, 31

What is Paul trying to promote in corporate worship services as stated in 1 Corinthians 14:33 and 40?

Why does Paul state that women should remain silent in all the congregations and churches? 1 Corinthians 14:33-35. Is this a mere cultural directive? Compare what Paul writes 10 years later in 1 Timothy 2:8-15 (see also verses 1 Timothy 3:14-15).

Why are the women instead encouraged to ask their husbands at home?

Look at Genesis 3:1-7 Consider Adam's failure to say anything during the serpent's dialogue with Eve.

Other Creation order related verses 1 Corinthians 11:3, 7-11.

What are the practical applications Paul's direction o this? Titus 2:3-5

Universal nature of Paul's teaching: →1 Corinthians 1:2; 4:17 (to Timothy); 11:2, 16; 14:33, 39.

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A detailed dialogue about tongues and the gift of prophecy