

YOUTH EDITION



In our last we learned that many people in the world believe that the message of the cross is foolish, but Christians understand that it is the power of God. In this lesson we will learn a little more about Paul's preaching to the church in the city of Corinth.

Read **1 Corinthians 3:10-17** from your favourite Bible.

Memory Verse: “Do you not know that you are God’s temple and that God’s Spirit dwells in you.” (1 Corinthians 3:16 ESV)

All of us should want God to be pleased with our lives. God has given each of us abilities that we can use for him. In today’s lesson we want to talk about how we can serve God in our lives.

1. WHAT ARE “ABILITIES” OR “TALENTS?”

2. WHAT ARE SOME OF YOUR TALENTS?

3. WHAT DOES PAUL CALL HIMSELF IN 3:10?



As an apostle, Paul worked to build the church. After he left Apollos followed him and worked with the church.

We do many projects in life and most of them only last for awhile. The Bible teaches that the only things we can do that last forever, is what we do for Christ.

4. DEFINE THE FOLLOWING WORDS:

FOUNDATION

MANIFEST

REVEALED

THE DAY (AS USED IN 3:13)

REWARD

TEMPLE

3:16-17 teaches that the church is God's temple today. The church is not a building, but it is the Christians who are the church. God's Holy Spirit lives in each Christian and in the church as a whole.

We should always do everything we can to help the church grow and for each person in the church to be encouraged and strengthened. This is the most important work that we can do in life.

We want to see new people come to learn about Jesus and to make him their Lord and Saviour and we want the people in the church to grow in their knowledge of the Bible, their love for God, and their love for each other.

5. WHAT ARE SOME THINGS THAT YOU CAN DO TO HELP THE CHURCH?