

Second Corinthians

Lesson #8

7:2-4 – Jesus' apostle doing what God has done so many times

Remembering that Paul's writing is guided by the _____, we see him _____ with the saints in Corinth rather than simply rebuking them. This is reminiscent of so many times in the Bible when _____ reasoned with those he loved. He reminds them that he and his co-workers have not _____ anyone, _____ anyone or taken _____ of anyone. Regarding them, he expresses great _____ in them and that he has _____ on their behalf.

7:5-16 – Godly Comfort and Godly Sorrow

- 1) How does Paul say God comforted himself and those with him?
- 2) He is also comforted by hearing about the Corinthians' _____ for them, their _____ as well as their _____ for him.
- 3) What does Paul say he caused among the Corinthian brethren and then what does he say about having caused it?
- 4) Why does he say he rejoiced?
- 5) The church at Corinth was made sorrowful to the point of _____, but more specifically (and importantly) they were made sorrowful to the point of _____.
- 6) What is the distinction between repentance and Godly repentance? He says one leads to _____ and the other to _____

Godly sorrow produced in the Corinthians:

- ✓ E _____
- ✓ V _____ of themselves
- ✓ I _____
- ✓ F _____
- ✓ L _____
- ✓ Z _____
- ✓ A _____ of wrong

Verse 11 says that through all that was produced by their Godly sorrow the saints had demonstrated _____ in the matter

What do you believe we should learn from what the apostle writes in verse 12?

Aside from the response of the Corinthian church, what else caused Paul & those with him to rejoice?

What two specific things did Titus report about the saints in Corinth?

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