

1 Corinthians 10:1-13

Passage Reflection

This page is meant for individuals, small group Bible studies, or one-on-one interactions. Since learning more about the text's meaning in our corporate gathering, I would encourage you to meditate on the passage again so that you might respond to God in praise and obedience. While I have not answered all of the questions below for you, I've included some of my personal meditations that may be of some benefit. May reflection on this passage be used by God to conform you into the image of Christ.

-Pastor Andrew

What do I learn about God?

God is faithful! This passage strongly warns of falling into sin that could destroy. It's a passage that causes us to sit up straight with attention. Just when we're about to become overcome with fear, these words come to us as a strong fortress. "God is faithful, and He will not let you bear tempted beyond your ability, but with the temptation He will also provide the way of escape, that you may be able to endure it." This is where our souls can find rest.

Is there anything for which I should repent based on this text?

Specific sins that destroyed some in Israel are detailed for the New Covenant Church to consider: desiring evil, idolatry, sexual immorality, putting Christ to the test by discontentment, grumbling against God and our leaders.

How might God use this passage to make me look more like Christ?

Christ is the perfect example of overcoming temptation. To overcome sin and temptation in our life we must know that God is faithful and that there is a way out of every temptation. Our pattern for this is Christ.

How does this passage affect evangelism?

How can I edify the church based on what this passage says?

When people are discouraged and overcome by temptation, I can bring them to this passage in order for them to see the faithfulness of God.

Prayer