## A Culture Of Confusion: A Study In 1 Corinthians

"Final Thoughts"
1 Corinthians 16:13-24

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Introduction: Today we conclude our study of 1 Corinthians.

- 1. Paul has dealt with the problems, answered the questions, and shared his future plans.
- 2. As he closes his letter, he shares some final thoughts.
- 3. He wants the Corinthians to respond positively to this letter.
- 4. He wants the Corinthians to value healthy relationships.
- 5. He wants the Corinthians to be secure in their relationship with Christ.
- I. A Positive Response
  - A. Alert
  - B. Stand Firm
  - C. Act Like Men
  - D. Be Strong
  - E. Love
- II. Value Healthy Relationships
  - A. Interdependence
  - B. Appreciation

- C. Affection
- III. Secure In Christ
  - A. A Warning
  - B. A Prayer

Conclusion: After 16 chapters of problems, Paul closes on a high note.

- 1. He wants what's best for this church and knows how to get there.
- 2. The path he lays out is still true today.
- 3. So, as we close, let's do some self-evaluation:
  - Are you responding positively to God's Word?
  - Are you developing/protecting healthy relationships?
  - Are you secure in your relationship with Jesus?
- 4. This is the pathway to life to it's very full and I'd love to help you find that path for your life.