

RED HOT FREEDOM
WEEK 3: NEW HEART, OLD HABITS

1 CORINTHIANS 4:17 – 6:11

I. Review: Christian Unity: Paul, Apollos, and Cephas as One (3:1-4:16)

II. Leaders

...Then you will not ***be puffed up*** in being a follower of one of us over against the other. —1 Corinthians 4:6

“Puffed Up” = _____

Also found in 1 Corinthians: 4:18-19, 5:2, 8:1, 13:4

III. Outside the Church

I wrote to you in my letter not to associate with sexually immoral people — not at all meaning the people of this world who are immoral, or the greedy and swindlers, or idolaters. In that case you would have to leave this world.

But now I am writing you that you must not associate with anyone who claims to be a brother or sister but is sexually immoral or greedy, an idolater or slanderer, a drunkard or swindler. Do not even eat with such people. What business is it of mine to judge those outside the church? —1 Corinthians 5:11-13

IV. Inside the Church

It is actually reported that there is immorality among you, and of a kind that even pagans do not tolerate: A man is sleeping with his father's wife. And you are proud!

—1 Corinthians 5:1-2

"We can get plenty of people out there to affirm us in our addictions, assist us in our grudges and coddle us in our codependencies. OR we can get sick of our own defeat, find people who will tell us the truth and hold us accountable and we can start getting set free."
—Beth Moore

V. Our Lives Today

"The Word of God I think of as a straight edge, which shows up our own crookedness. We can't really tell how crooked our thinking is until we line it up with the straight edge of Scripture." —Elisabeth Elliot

Reminders:

- Cindy's Top Secret Site: <http://www.cindybultema.com/corinth/>
- Cross Handout
- Bookmarks & the 1 Corinthians Reading Plan (Read Chaps 6 & 7 for next week)
- Don't forget your Scripture Memory Cards 😊