

The LORDSHIP OF CHRIST. 4

TEXT: I Cor 6:19-20

SUB-TOPIC: LORDSHIP REQUIRES TOTAL SURRENDERING OF OUR BODY.

Consider the way Paul put it.

What? Know ye not that your body is the temple of the Holy Ghost which is in you, which ye have of God, and ye are not your own? For ye are bought with a price: therefore glorify God in your body, and in your spirit, which are God's. I Cor 6:19-20

1. Because Jesus bought you with the price of His blood, you are not your own. You belong to Him. Lordship means recognizing this fact and surrendering all that you are, have, and want to be to Him.
2. In the light of I Cor 6:18-20
4. ***What? Know ye not:*** says do you understand that our understanding must be based on Vs. 15-17 of this chapter
5. ***Ye are not your own:*** understanding the reason to flee fornication in Vs. 18.
6. ***For you were bought with a price:*** understanding of this will cause you to live for the purpose of redemption and be faithful to the one that redeemed you.
7. ***Therefore, glorify God in your body and spirit, which are God's:*** When God occupied, possessed, and inhabits us with His Holy Spirit by us yielding ourselves to Him. God will be able to carry out his purpose, will and plan

in our lives as Christians. By this, people will see the glory of God in our lives i.e. the supreme purpose of a Christian - I Cor 10: 31 (to bring reward to Him. I Cor. 6:14 to Chapter 7: 1)