

1st Corinthians

CHAPTER 4:1-5



1) Serving the Master

A. A servant

B. A servant is judged by his/her?

C. A steward

D. A steward is judged by his/her?

2) Judged by the Master

A. Judged when?

B. Judged by what standard?

3) Rewarded by the Master

A. Rewarded for what?

1) Describe how God's criteria for judging our work is different than the world's criteria.

2) Why is it important for us as believers to know that distinction (question 1)?

3) Read Matthew 11:16-19 and note Jesus' observations of the people in His generation.

What lesson can you learn from Jesus' observations about the nature of people?

How can you apply that lesson in your own life & ministry?

4) The Corinthians criticism of Paul was unfounded, but is there a time when correction can be helpful?

Can you think of a Biblical example where correction was needed and helpful?

5) Share a personal example when someone brought correction to your life that was helpful.

6) What do you think the rewards are that God promises to those who are faithful and obedient?