

1st Corinthians

CHAPTER 11:1-7



1) Praise

2) Problems

A. Custom not commandment

3) Order

A. God's divine order

B. Modesty

C. Men

1) Briefly describe the things for which Paul praised his friends at Corinth, and the problems he addressed in our text.

2) Why do you think it is important to distinguish between a commandment and a custom?

3) Look up these scriptures and note why it was wrong in these examples to follow the customs of the land.

Gen. 19:30-38 (esp. vs. 31)

1 Sam. 8:1-7

2 Sam. 5:13 vs. Deut. 17:17

* The point is that there are times when a believer should honor a cultural custom, and occasions when we should not!

4) Give some examples of when you have, or might have to change your behavior or dress to honor a cultural tradition for the sake of the Gospel.