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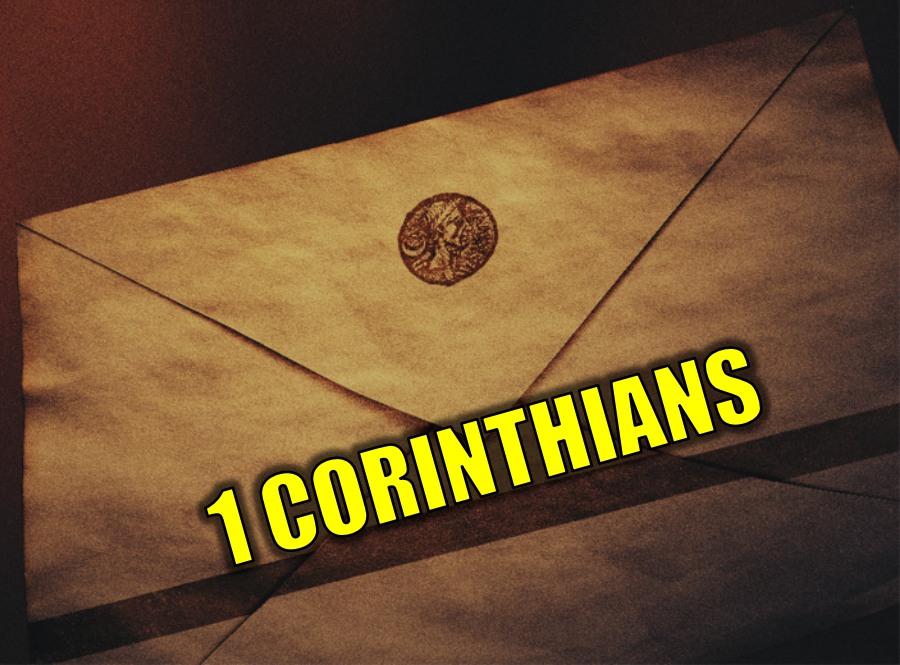
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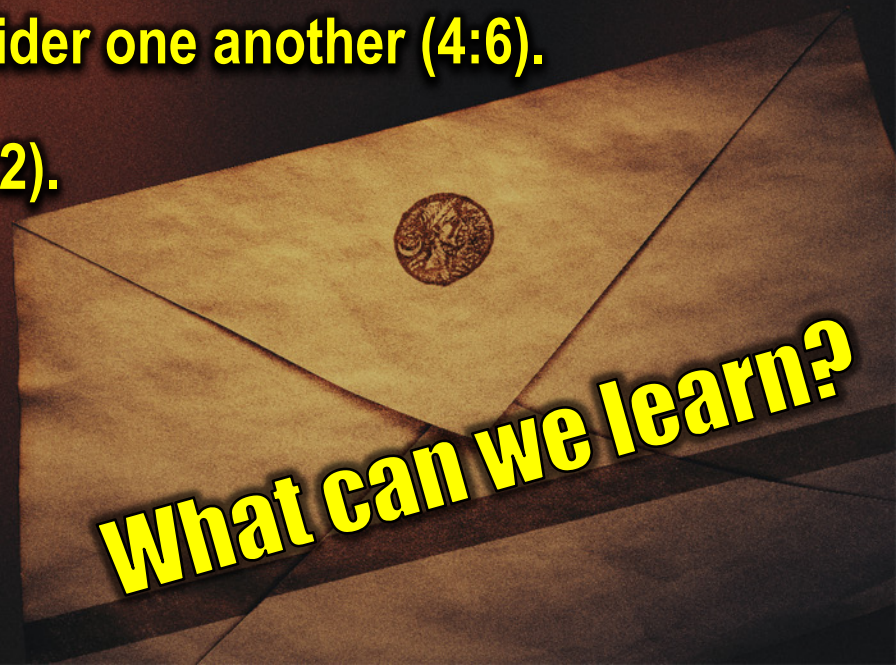
- Division (1:10-13)
- Spiritual immaturity (3:1-4)
- Indifference towards sin (5:1-2)
- Suing one another (6:1-6)
- Confusion over marriage and divorce (7:1-39)
- Confusion over eating meat used in idol worship (8-10)
- Abusing the Lord's Supper (11:20-22)
- Problems with spiritual gifts (12-14)
- Confusion about the resurrection (15:12)





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- 1) Sometimes we will have problems.
- 2) Despite our problems, we are still God's family.
- 3) God wants us to work through our problems.
  - We must strive for unity and peace (1:10).
  - We must strive to love and consider one another (4:6).
  - We must edify one another (14:12).
  - We must exalt Jesus and not ourselves (3:5-7).
  - We must discipline those who practice sin (5:2-13).



**What can we learn?**





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