

# The Apostle Paul, Servant of Christ

# WELCOME

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### SESSION 95:

### Part 3: Paul the Writer & Thinker

### 1 Cor. - 10.1.3\_pt2

**What the study is about tonight:**

**10.1 First Corinthians**

**10.1.3 Letter Body, pt. 2**

**Problem 3 (2:6-3:4)**

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## Unit III: Paul the Writer Chapter 10: Middle Writings, 10.1 First Corinthians

### 10.1.3 Letter Body, pt. 2 Problem 3

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An Overview Survey of the Contributions of this Christian Leader



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- **Session Ninety-five**
  - Taken from chapter ten of the book
  - Emphasis on the writing ministry of Paul
- **Learning Goals:**
  - 1. Learning what Paul wrote in his letters
  - 2. Understanding how this has been interpreted

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## Part 3: Paul the writer

### Chapter Ten: Middle Period Writings,

#### 10.1 First Corinthians

##### 10.1.1 Praescriptio

##### 10.1.2 Proem

##### 10.1.3 Letter Body:

##### Chloe's report, chaps 1-6

##### Problem 1, 1:10-17

##### Problem 2, 1:18-2:5

##### Problem 3, 2:6-3:4

##### Problem 4, 3:5-4:21

##### Problem 5, 5:1-13

##### Problem 6, 6:1-11

##### Problem 7, 6:12-20

##### Delegation Questions, chaps 7-16

##### 10.1.4 Conclusio

Paul's Letter to the Philippians

Praescriptio	
<b>Superscriptio</b>	Παῦλος καὶ Τιμόθεος δούλοι Χριστοῦ Ἰησοῦ
<b>Adscriptio</b>	πᾶσιν τοῖς ἁγίοις ἐν Χριστῷ Ἰησοῦ τοῖς οὖσιν ἐν Φιλίπποις σὺν ἐπισκόποις καὶ διακόνοις,
<b>Salutatio</b>	χάρις ὑμῖν καὶ εἰρήνη ἀπὸ θεοῦ πατρὸς ἡμῶν καὶ κυρίου Ἰησοῦ Χριστοῦ.
Proem	Εὐχαριστῶ τῷ θεῷ μου ἐπὶ πάσῃ τῇ μνεΐᾳ ὑμῶν. . .
Body	Γινώσκεις δὲ ὑμᾶς βούλομαι, ἀδελφοί, ὅτι τὰ κατ' ἐμὲ μᾶλλον εἰς προκοπὴν τοῦ εὐαγγελίου ἐλήλυθεν, ὥστε τοὺς δεσμούς μου φανεροὺς ἐν Χριστῷ γενέσθαι ἐν ὄλῳ τῷ πραιτωρίῳ καὶ τοῖς λοιποῖς πάσιν, . . .
Conclusio	Ἀσπάσασθε πάντα ἅγιον ἐν Χριστῷ Ἰησοῦ. ἀσπάζονται ὑμᾶς οἱ σὺν ἐμοὶ ἀδελφοί. . .

Ancient Letter on papyrus

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### 10.1 First Corinthians

#### 10.1.3 Letter Body, #3a, 2:6-3:4

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καὶ οὐς οὐκ ἤκουσεν  
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αὐτόν.

6 Yet among the mature we do speak wisdom, though it is not a wisdom of this age or of the rulers of this age, who are doomed to perish. 7 But we speak God's wisdom, secret and hidden, which God decreed before the ages for our glory. 8 None of the rulers of this age understood this; for if they had, they would not have crucified the Lord of glory. 9 But, as it is written,

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nor ear heard,  
nor the human heart conceived,  
what God has prepared for those  
who love him”

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10 ἡμῖν δὲ ἀπεκάλυψεν ὁ θεὸς διὰ τοῦ πνεύματος· τὸ γὰρ πνεῦμα πάντα ἐραυνᾷ, καὶ τὰ βάθη τοῦ θεοῦ. 11 τίς γὰρ οἶδεν ἀνθρώπων τὰ τοῦ ἀνθρώπου εἰ μὴ τὸ πνεῦμα τοῦ ἀνθρώπου τὸ ἐν αὐτῷ; οὕτως καὶ τὰ τοῦ θεοῦ οὐδεὶς ἔγνωκεν εἰ μὴ τὸ πνεῦμα τοῦ θεοῦ. 12 ἡμεῖς δὲ οὐ τὸ πνεῦμα τοῦ κόσμου ἐλάβομεν ἀλλὰ τὸ πνεῦμα τὸ ἐκ τοῦ θεοῦ, ἵνα εἰδῶμεν τὰ ὑπὸ τοῦ θεοῦ χαρισθέντα ἡμῖν· 13 ἃ καὶ λαλοῦμεν οὐκ ἐν διδακτοῖς ἀνθρωπίνης σοφίας λόγοις ἀλλ' ἐν διδακτοῖς πνεύματος, πνευματικοῖς πνευματικᾶ συγκρίνοντες.

10 these things God has revealed to us through the Spirit; for the Spirit searches everything, even the depths of God. 11 For what human being knows what is truly human except the human spirit that is within? So also no one comprehends what is truly God's except the Spirit of God. 12 Now we have received not the spirit of the world, but the Spirit that is from God, so that we may understand the gifts bestowed on us by God. 13 And we speak of these things in words not taught by human wisdom but taught by the Spirit, interpreting spiritual things to those who are spiritual.

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### 10.1 First Corinthians

#### 10.1.3 Letter Body, #3d, 2:6-3:4

14 ψυχικὸς δὲ ἄνθρωπος οὐ δέχεται τὰ τοῦ πνεύματος τοῦ θεοῦ· μωρία γὰρ αὐτῷ ἐστὶν καὶ οὐ δύναται γνῶναι, ὅτι πνευματικῶς ἀνακρίνεται. 15 ὁ δὲ πνευματικὸς ἀνακρίνει [τὰ] πάντα, αὐτὸς δὲ ὑπ' οὐδενὸς ἀνακρίνεται. 16 τίς γὰρ ἔγνω νοῦν κυρίου, ὃς συμβιβάσει αὐτόν; ἡμεῖς δὲ νοῦν Χριστοῦ ἔχομεν. .

14 Those who are unspiritual do not receive the gifts of God's Spirit, for they are foolishness to them, and they are unable to understand them because they are spiritually discerned. 15 Those who are spiritual discern all things, and they are themselves subject to no one else's scrutiny. 16 "For who has known the mind of the Lord so as to instruct him?" But we have the mind of Christ.



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## Part 3: Paul the writer

### 10.1 First Corinthians

#### 10.1.3 Letter Body, #3e, 2:6-3:4

3.1 Κάγω, ἀδελφοί, οὐκ ἠδυνήθην λαλῆσαι ὑμῖν ὡς πνευματικοῖς ἀλλ' ὡς σαρκίνοις, ὡς νηπίοις ἐν Χριστῷ. 2 γάλα ὑμᾶς ἐπότισα, οὐ βρῶμα· οὕπω γὰρ ἐδύνασθε. ἀλλ' οὐδὲ ἔτι νῦν δύνασθε, 3 ἔτι γὰρ σαρκικοί ἐστε. ὅπου γὰρ ἐν ὑμῖν ζῆλος καὶ ἔρις, οὐχὶ σαρκικοί ἐστε καὶ κατὰ ἄνθρωπον περιπατεῖτε; 4 ὅταν γὰρ λέγῃ τις· ἐγὼ μὲν εἰμι Παύλου, ἕτερος δέ· ἐγὼ Ἀπολλῶ, οὐκ ἄνθρωποί ἐστε;

3.1 And so, brothers and sisters, I could not speak to you as spiritual people, but rather as people of the flesh, as infants in Christ. 2 I fed you with milk, not solid food, for you were not ready for solid food. Even now you are still not ready, 3 for you are still of the flesh. For as long as there is jealousy and quarreling among you, are you not of the flesh, and behaving according to human inclinations? 4 For when one says, “I belong to Paul,” and another, “I belong to Apollos,” are you not merely human?

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- **What can we learn from 1 Corinthians?**
  - ✓ **1. A report on issues at Corinth came from Chloe's people (1:11)**
  - ✓ **2. God's wisdom spoken by Paul reaches beyond this world (2:6-9)**
  - ✓ **3. Only from God do we know anything about spiritual matters (2:10-13)**
  - ✓ **4. Understanding these matters depends on submission to the Holy Spirit (2:14-16)**
  - ✓ **5. The Corinthians reflected lack of submission as evidenced by their being σαρκικοί (3:1-4)**
  - ✓ **6. Thus authentic πνευματικοῖς is linked to the control of the Holy Spirit and reflected in our behavior.**

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- **NEXT Session:**

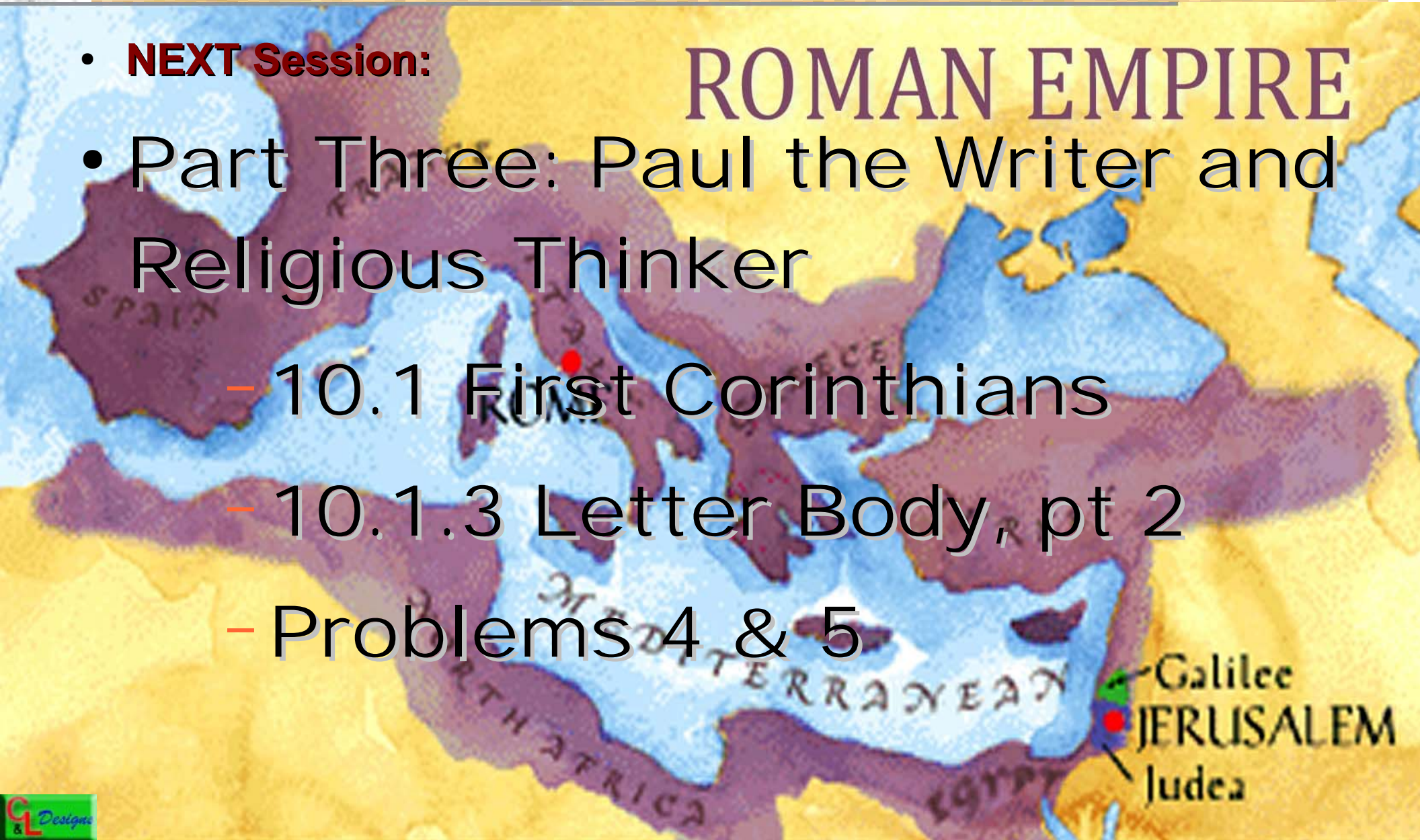
## ROMAN EMPIRE

- Part Three: Paul the Writer and Religious Thinker

- 10.1 First Corinthians

- 10.1.3 Letter Body, pt 2

- Problems 4 & 5



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**Thank You for Coming!**  
**Gracias por venir esta noche!**  
**Until Next Week!**  
**Hasta la próxima semana!**  
**Have a safe trip home!**  
**Tener un viaje seguro a casa!**