

Reflection QUESTIONS

1 Corinthians 11:23-34

- Why does Paul remind the Corinthians that he “received from the Lord” what he delivered to them?
- What is the significance of Jesus saying, “This is my body... This cup is the new covenant in my blood”?
- What does Paul mean when he says, “Do this in remembrance of me”?
- How does the Lord’s Supper “proclaim the Lord’s death until he comes”?
- What does it mean to eat and drink “in an unworthy manner”?
- What does Paul mean by “discerning the body”?
- What attitudes or behaviors might make someone approach the Lord’s Supper in an unworthy way?
- Why is self-examination important before participating in the Lord’s Supper?
- Is there any unconfessed sin, bitterness, or division in my life that needs to be addressed?
- How seriously do I take the meaning of Christ’s sacrifice?
- What problems were happening in Corinth that led Paul to give this correction?
- How does the Lord’s Supper relate to unity within the church?
- In what ways can division or favoritism contradict the meaning of the Lord’s Supper?
- How can I better show love and consideration for other believers?
- What does this passage teach about the holiness of the Lord’s Supper?
- Why does Paul connect unworthy participation with judgment and discipline?
- How does God’s discipline show His care for His people?
- What does waiting for one another (v. 33) practically look like today?
- How does remembering Christ’s death shape the way I live daily?

Celebrating THE LORD’S SUPPER

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We observe the Lord’s Supper to:

Look back.

Look forward.

Look within.