

Becoming Fools



Sermon Questions

1. There are 3 commands in 1 Corinthians 3:13–23, what are they?
 - a. _____
 - b. _____
 - c. _____
2. Why is God instructing us to become a fool?
 - a. Because we shouldn't strive to be wise in the world's eyes
 - b. Because we are too smart for our own good
 - c. Because Christianity is for gullible people who don't think
3. A true "fool" according to the Bible is one who does not give thanks to God or honor him as God? (Yes/No) (Hint: See Psalm 14:1; Romans 1:21–23)
4. Do think the motto, "Be true to yourself and don't care what anyone else thinks" is a wise and true statement? (Yes/No/Sometimes)

5. Does every person desire approval from others? (Yes/No)
 6. How does the gospel bring hope?
 - a. We can work hard to earn God's approval just like we can work hard to get other people's approval.
 - b. We can receive approval from God as a gift, not earn it.
 - c. We can follow God's instructions, receive wealth, power, and honor and people will then gift us approval.
 7. Why do "all things" belong to us?
 - a. Because we've worked hard to get them.
 - b. Because God owns all things and he's given us "all things" in Christ.
 8. Do you fear the world, the present or future, life or death? (Yes/No/Sometimes)
 9. Does knowing that God is in control of these things bring comfort? (Yes/No/Sometimes)
 10. Whose approval do you seek?
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