YES OR NO

1. Is there a difference in the spiritual growth of people?  
2. Can a carnal person go to heaven?  
3. Is there an analogy in working on a farm and working in the church in this chapter?  
4. Is there an analogy in building a house and building up the church?  
5. Is wise who lays the foundation for another church?  
6. Do verses 13-15 teach that souls are purged by the fires of purgatory?  
7. Can you think of ways one may defile the church?  
8. Is wise who relies on his own wisdom, or the wisdom of men?  
9. Can seed grow without being planted? Watered?  
10. “All things are yours”, can you think of one thing that isn’t?

TRUE OR FALSE

1. Babes are expected to remain babes always. (1Peter 2:2)  
2. This lessons gives divine encouragement for a religiously divided world.  
3. A “wise master-builder” lays Christ as the foundation.  
4. A wise builder pays no attention to the materials he uses.  
5. In both nature and grace, man’s works overshadows God’s.  
6. Man’s sinful works will be burned, but he himself will be saved.*  
7. One may defile or destroy the church, and still be saved.  
8. Only the blood of Christ can separate us from our sins. (1John 1:7)  
9. As Christians, all things are yours, including death. (1Cor. 15:54-55)  
10. As Christians, we belong to Christ, and Christ to God.

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1 CORINTHIANS 3:1-23

Sin of Division: Christ the Foundation: The Church is God’s Farm, Temple

1. How did Paul speak to the Corinthians? 1__________________ 2__________________ On what had he fed them? ______________ Why? 1__________________ 2__________________

2. What proofs are given of carnality? 1(v.3) __ _ _ _ _ _ _ _ _ _ _ _ _ _ _ 2__________________ 3__________________ How were the Corinthians walking? ______________

3. What were Paul and Apollos? 1(v.5) __ ____________________ 2(v.9)__________________ What had Paul done? ______________ Apollos? ______________ God? ______________

4. Of the church, Paul says, “Ye are: 1(v.3)__________________ 2(v.9)__________________ 3(v.16)__________________” According to what shall all be rewarded? ______________

5. Who laid the foundation in Corinth? ______________ According to what? ______________ What was it? ______________ Against what does Paul warn? ______________

6. List three fire-proof materials: 1__________ 2__________ 3__________ List three combustible materials: 1__________ 2__________ 3__________

7. Whose work will be made known? ______________ By what shall his work be tried? ______________ What if they abide? ______________

8. What if one’s “works” are burned? ______________ What question is asked in verse 16? ______________ Who dwells there? ______________

9. What of him who defiles God’s temple? ______________ What is the wisdom of the world to God? ______________ In what should we not glory? ______________

10. List things that are Christians? 1__________ 2__________ 3__________ 4__________ 5__________ 6__________ 7__________ 8__________ Whose are Christians? ______________
SELECT THE CORRECT ANSWER(S)

_ _ _ _ 1. Corinthian Christians had to be fed with: 1) vegetables; 2)milk; 3)meat; because they were: 4)vegetarians; 5)babes; 6)mature Christians.

_ _ _ _ 2. 1)Envying; 2)strife; 3)division; 4)walking as men; are proofs of carnality.

_ _ _ _ 3. Paul and Apollos were: 1)ministers; 2)God’s fellow-workers; 3)one in aim and purpose; 4)to be rewarded according to their labors.

_ _ _ _ 4. Paul: 1)planted; 2)was wise master-builder; 3)laid Christ as the foundation.

_ _ _ _ 5. No man: 1)can lay another foundation; 2)should defile God’s temple; 3)should deceive himself; 4)should glory in men.

_ _ _ _ 6. Every man: 1)should take heed how he builds; 2)will have his works manifest; 3)will have his works tried; 4)will have his works exposed to fire.

_ _ _ _ 7. Do you think the “works” of vs. 13-15 are one’s: 1) sins; 2)righteous acts; 3)converts; 4)doctrine; 5)something other.

_ _ _ _ 8. God’s temple is: 1)holy; 2)where the Spirit dwells; 3)not to be defiled.

_ _ _ _ 9. God: 1)give the increase; 2)sees worldly wisdom as foolish; 3)takes the wise in their own craftiness; 4)knows the thoughts of the wise are vain.

_ _ _ _ 10. 1)All things are Christians’; 2)Christians are Christ’s; 3)Christ is God’s; and the church is God’s 4)husbandry; 5)building; 6)temple.

MATCH CORRECTLY (Group 1)

1. Babes ___The foundation
2. Milk ___Watered
3. Carnal ___According to labor
4. Paul ___Gives the increase
5. Apollos ___God’s husbandry (KJV), building
6. God ___Can’t eat milk
7. Christ ___Planted, watered
8. Church ___Division, envy, strife
9. Reward ___Belongs to babes
10. One ___Planted

MATCH CORRECTLY (Group 2)

1. The day ___Dwells in God’s temple
2. Fire ___Be destroyed of God
3. Men ___Are Christ
4. Suffer loss ___God’s building, temple
5. “Saved” ___Declare man’s works
6. God’s Spirit ___Don’t glory in them
7. Church ___Are Christians
8. Defile temple ___If works burn
9. All things ___Will try man’s works
10. Christians ___”As by (through) fire”