# "NEEDED KNOWLEDGE FOR THE CHURCH"

## I CORINTHIANS 3:16-23

1. **SOMETHING THE CORINTHIANS POSSIBLY DID NOT KNOW (3:16)**
   1. Their Individual Physical Bodies Were Now To Function As An Appropriate Replacement For The Jewish Temple
   2. Their Collective Physical Existence As A Local Church Constituted An Appropriate Dispensational Replacement For The Jewish Temple
      1. The Shekinah Glory Dwelled Between The Cherubim
      2. The Holy Spirit Indwells Christians Today
2. **SOMETHING THE CORINTHIANS & US BY EXTENTION OUGHT TO KNOW (3:17)**
   1. The Seriousness Of The Responsibility Of Being The Temple Of God
   2. The Possibility Of A Case Of Mistaken Identity
3. **SOMETHING THE CORINTHIANS THOUGHT THEY KNEW: THEY THOUGHT THEY HAD WISDOM NAILED DOWN (3:18-23)**
   1. Self - Deception Is A Huge Problem (3:18a)
   2. A Christian Can Be Fatally Attracted To Human Wisdom (3:18b-21a)
   3. Consider Everything You Have In Christ (3:21b-23)