

# 2 CORINTHIANS 12:11-13:4

Not Leaving Things Unaddressed  
in the Authentic Christian Life

PAUL'S APOSTLESHIP WAS MARKED BY SUPERNATURAL \_\_\_\_\_ AND

\_\_\_\_\_. (12:11-18)

**NOTES**

TABLE TALK: WHAT EVIDENCES COULD PEOPLE POINT TO IN YOUR LIFE THAT CHRIST HAS BEEN AND IS NOW AT WORK IN YOU?

PAUL WAS CONCERNED THAT HE WOULD DISCOVER THAT THE CORINTHIAN CHURCH WAS ACTING JUST LIKE THE CITY AROUND THEM HAVING CONTENTIOUSNESS,

\_\_\_\_\_, AND A LACK OF \_\_\_\_\_. (12:19-21)

**NOTES**

TABLE TALK: IF PAUL CAME TO GRACE COMMUNITY FELLOWSHIP, WOULD HE FIND IT THE WAY HE WOULD LIKE OR WOULD THERE NEED TO BE CORRECTION? WHAT CAN YOU DO TO CONTRIBUTE TO A CHURCH THAT PAUL WOULD BE PROUD OF?

ADDRESSING SIN IN A CHRIST-LIKE WAY INCLUDES NOT ACCEPTING

\_\_\_\_\_ ACCUSATIONS, NOT PULLING PUNCHES BASED ON THE \_\_\_\_\_ OF THE ACCUSED, AND NOT TRYING TO DO IT ON OUR OWN BUT ONLY IN \_\_\_\_\_ STRENGTH. (13:1-4)

**NOTES**

TABLE TALK: IS THERE ANY UNREPENTANT SIN IN OUR BODY THAT YOU KNOW NEEDS TO BE ADDRESSED? HOW MIGHT OUR PASSAGE HELP GUIDE IN THE BEST WAY FOR IT TO BE DONE?

God had done everything He needed to establish Paul's credentials as an apostle. No further proof should have been necessary for the Corinthians. This endorsement of Paul should cause us also to fully embrace his teaching and imitate his example of selfless service for others. While most people look for what they can get from those around them, may we live as those always looking for what we can give of ourselves for them. This includes not allowing unrepentant sin to go unaddressed among us... all of us.