- "Before today's message, I'd like to give you a news update.
- My son, the <u>carpenter</u>, brought this to my attention so if you <u>wood</u> allow me a moment...
- The owner and founder of Ikea, the furniture maker, will finally be buried. The unfortunate delay was due to the casket which came with instructions that "some assembly is required".
- The instructions provided were received by the men in charge but of course were not read until recently after all other options had been explored. That task has just been completed and he can now be laid to rest.
- That's good news for his family who were <u>beaming</u>; he's been laying around for quite a while and was <u>board</u> stiff!
- It goes against the *grain* to add news once announcements have been given but I *sawdust* in front of me and I simply had to go what was beneath the surface, to the very *root* of the problem....
- Enough?



1 Corinthians 6:12-20 God's Dwelling Place





- 12 You say, I am allowed to do anythingbut not everything is good for you. And even though I am allowed to do anything, I must not become a slave to anything.
- 13 You say, food was made for the stomach, and the stomach for food. (This is true, though someday God will do away with both of them) But you can't say that our bodies were made for sexual immorality. They were made for the Lord, and the Lord cares about our bodies.
- 14 And God will raise us from the dead by His power, just as He raised our Lord from the dead.



- 15 Don't you realize that your bodies are actually parts of Christ? Should a man take his body, which is part of Christ, and join it to a prostitute? Never!
- 16 And don't you realize that if man joins himself to a prostitute, he becomes one body with her? For the Scriptures say, the two are united into one.
- 17 But the person who is joined to the Lord is one spirit with Him.
- 18 Run from sexual sin! No other sin so clearly affects the body as this one does. For sexual immorality is a sin against your own body.
- 19 Don't you realize that your body is the temple of the Holy Spirit, who lives in you and was given to you by God? You do not belong to yourself
- 20 for God bought you with a high price. So you must honor God with your body."

1 Corinthians 6:12-20

God's Dwelling Place

Who are you?

Paul...

1Corinthians 1:1 Acts26:4-6 Galatians 2:19-21 Phillippians 3:3

Church at Corinth...

1Corinthians 1:2 1Corinthians 1:10 2Corinthians 6:1 Philippians 1:27, 2:2

You and I...

Romans 3: 9,10,23 2 Corínthíans 5:17-20 1 Corinthians 6:12-20

God's Dwelling Place

What is your purpose?

In God's eyes...
(ESV Translation)

Ecclesiastes 12:13 Ephesians 1:11-12 1 Peter 4:11 Isaiah 43:21 Micah 6:8

In the eyes of man, your eyes...

Romans 7:18 Mark 16:16 1 John 5:12 1 Corinthians 10:31 1 Corinthians 6:12-20

God's Dwelling Place

Is God part of who you are and your purpose?

Reconcile yourself to God

Romans 3:23-24 Ecclesíastes 12:13-14

We fulfil God's purpose if...

John 17:4 Acts 1:8

