

# Living in the Will of God

## Worksheet 9 Living in the Lawful Areas

**Passages to Read** 1 Cor. 6, 8, 9, 10

### Study Questions

1. How is salvation mentioned as coming from God? (Eph. 2:8-9)
2. How are you to live out the love Christ manifest in salvation? (1 John 4:9)
3. What purpose is mentioned for Christ dying for all? (2 Cor. 5:15)
4. What is the opposite state of living for yourself? (2 Cor. 5:15)
5. How does the ownership of Christ affect your approach to life? (Rom. 14:7-8)
6. For what purpose was Paul living? (Phil. 1:20-21)
7. Who's body is your body? Why? (1 Cor. 6:19-20)
8. What is contrasted with glorifying God in you body? (1 Cor. 6:19-20)
9. What two ways of living are contrasted? (1 Peter 4:2)
10. What is the proper design of salvation? For what purpose does it focus on this? (Heb. 13:20-21)
11. Why did Christ redeem us? (Titus 2:14)
12. What should frame our thinking in the lawful areas, in those areas not forbidden? (1 Cor. 6:12)
13. What is the subject of 1 Cor. 8:1-4?
14. What does it say about what "we know?" (1 Cor. 8:1-4)
15. What 3 fold support is given for determining only one God as the source of all meat? (1 Cor. 8:6)
16. What is the axiom or the known bases for concluding that an idol is nothing? (1 Cor. 8:6)
17. What repeated phrase is used in reference to the Father and Jesus? (1 Cor. 8:6)
18. In what way should the 3-fold design or pattern apply to the interaction with weaker brothers? (1 Cor. 8:6)
19. All men do not have knowledge of what? (1 Cor. 8:7)
20. Does eating certain kinds of food commend us to God? Why or why not? (1 Cor. 8:8)
21. What should you take care about? Why? (1 Cor. 8:9)
22. If you live through Christ and for Christ then why would you live in a way that would be disastrous to your fellow believer? (1 Cor. 8:9-12)
23. If one is living for Christ then how would Christ want you to live? (1 Cor. 8:11)
24. How could you sin against Christ when you are not directly sinning? (1 Cor. 8:12)
25. What should steer your activities in determining God's will toward another whose conscience could be weak?
26. What other types of areas could be areas of stumbling?
27. Are your choices of non-essentials areas to be without regard to your fellow believers? (1 Cor. 8:9-13)

**Key Verse** 2 Cor 5:15

**Prayer Focus** When have you wanted your own way? Confess your sin of self-will.