## PRACTICING SCRIPTURE!

How did Corinth show approval?	
Practice:	Text:
They were puffed up! (and didn't mourn)	1 Cor. 5:2
They gloried (boasted in this) in this!	1 Cor. 5;6
They continued to socialize with him!	Entire chapter's understanding!

Why did Corinth show approval?	

How should they (and we today) have shown disapproval?		
Practice:	Text:	
They should have mourned!	1 Cor. 5:2	
They should have taken him away from them!	1 Cor. 5:2	
They should have judged him / the situation! (verbally condemned)	1 Cor. 5:3-4, 12-13	
They should have delivered him to Satan / Satan's domain!	1 Cor. 5:5	
They should have purged him from their fellowship!	1 Cor. 5:7	
They should have stopped socializing with him!	Entire chapter + 5:11	
They should have stopped eating with him! (minimum Lord's Supper, probably eating as a form of approval)	1 Cor. 5:11	
They should have put him away from them!	1 Cor. 5:13	

Why is this important?		
Principle:	Text:	
The health of the Body	1 Cor. 5:6,7,8	
The honor of Christ	1 Cor. 5:1, 4,	
The hope of the unsaved & theman!	1 Cor. 5:1, 5	

- <u>1 Corinthians 5:1</u> It is **reported commonly** that there is fornication among you, and such fornication **as is not so much as named among the Gentiles**, that one should have his father's wife.
- <u>1 Corinthians 5:2</u> And ye are puffed up, and have <u>not</u> rather mourned, that he that hath done this deed might be taken away from among you.
- <u>1 Corinthians 5:3</u> For I verily, as absent in body, but present in spirit, **have judged already**, as though I were present, concerning him that hath so done this deed,
- <u>1 Corinthians 5:4</u> In the name of our Lord Jesus Christ, when ye are gathered together, and my spirit, with the power of our Lord Jesus Christ,

- <u>1 Corinthians 5:5</u> To deliver such an one unto Satan <u>for</u> the destruction of the flesh, <u>that</u> the spirit may be saved in the day of the Lord Jesus.
- <u>1 Corinthians 5:6</u> Your glorying is <u>not</u> good. **Know ye not that a little leaven leaveneth the whole lump?** <u>1 Corinthians 5:7</u> Purge out therefore the old leaven, that ye may be a new lump, as ye are unleavened. For even Christ our passover is sacrificed for us:
- <u>1 Corinthians 5:8</u> Therefore let us keep the feast, <u>not</u> with old leaven, <u>neither</u> with the leaven of malice and wickedness; **but** with the unleavened bread of sincerity and truth.
- <u>1 Corinthians 5:9</u> I wrote unto you in an epistle <u>not</u> to company with fornicators:
- <u>1 Corinthians 5:10</u> Yet not altogether with the fornicators of this world, or with the covetous, or extortioners, or with idolaters; for then must ye needs go out of the world.
- <u>1 Corinthians 5:11</u> But now I have written unto you not to keep company, <u>if</u> any man that is called a brother be a fornicator, or covetous, or an idolater, or a railer, or a drunkard, or an extortioner; with such an one <u>no</u> not to eat.
- <u>1 Corinthians 5:12</u> For what have I to do to judge them also that are without? do not ye judge them that are within?
- <u>1 Corinthians 5:13</u> But them that are without God judgeth. Therefore **put away from among yourselves** that wicked person.

## **Supporting texts:**

- <u>2 Thessalonians 3:6</u> Now we command you, brethren, in the name of our Lord Jesus Christ, **that ye withdraw yourselves** from every brother that walketh disorderly, and not after the tradition which he received of us.

  <u>2 Thessalonians 3:14</u> And <u>if</u> any man obey not our word by this epistle, <u>note</u> that man, and <u>have no company</u> with him, **that** he may be ashamed. <u>2 Thessalonians 3:15</u> Yet count him <u>not</u> as an enemy, <u>but</u> admonish him as a brother.
- <u>Romans 16:17</u> Now I beseech you, brethren, <u>mark</u> them which cause divisions and offences contrary to the doctrine which ye have learned; **and avoid them**. <u>Romans 16:18</u> For they that are such serve not our Lord Jesus Christ, but their own belly; and by good words and fair speeches deceive the hearts of the simple.
- <u>1 Timothy 6:5</u> Perverse disputings of men of corrupt minds, and destitute of the truth, supposing that gain is godliness: **from such withdraw thyself.**
- <u>2 Timothy 3:5</u> Having a form of godliness, but denying the power thereof: **from such turn away.**
- <u>2 John 9</u> Whosoever transgresseth, and abideth not in the doctrine of Christ, hath not God. He that abideth in the doctrine of Christ, he hath both the Father and the Son. <u>2 John 10 If</u> there come any unto you, and bring not this doctrine, receive him <u>not</u> into your house, <u>neither</u> bid him God speed: <u>2 John 11 For</u> he that biddeth him God speed is partaker of his evil deeds.