

# 1 CORINTHIANS 2:1-5

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God's wisdom for His Church, which lived(es) amidst a prosperous, arrogant and aggressively rebellious culture, yet is commanded by God to become and remain holy (moral and separate).

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*1 Corinthians 1:18, 24 (NASB95)*

<sup>18</sup> For the word of the cross is foolishness to those who are perishing, but to us who are being saved it is the power of God.

<sup>24</sup> but to those who are the called, both Jews and Greeks, Christ the power of God and the wisdom of God.

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*1 Corinthians 2:1-5 (NASB95)*

<sup>1</sup> And when I came to you, brethren, I did not come with superiority of speech or of wisdom,

proclaiming to you the testimony of God.

*1 Corinthians 11:23 (NASB95)*

<sup>23</sup> For I received from the Lord that which I also delivered to you, . . .

*1 Corinthians 15:3 (NASB95)*

<sup>3</sup> For I delivered to you as of first importance what I also received, . . .

<sup>2</sup> For I determined to know nothing among you except Jesus Christ, and Him crucified.

*1 Timothy 4:13 (NASB95)*

<sup>13</sup> Until I come, give attention to the public reading of Scripture, to exhortation and teaching.

*2 Timothy 2:15 (NASB95)*

<sup>15</sup> Be diligent to present yourself approved to God as a workman who does not need to be ashamed, accurately handling the word of truth.

<sup>3</sup> I was with you in weakness and in fear and in much trembling,

<sup>4</sup> and my message and my preaching were not in persuasive words of wisdom,

but in demonstration of the Spirit and of power,

<sup>5</sup> so that your faith would not rest on the wisdom of men, but on the power of God.