

# 2 CORINTHIANS 6:14-18

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## 2 Corinthians 2:15-3:6

<sup>15</sup> For we are a fragrance of Christ to God . . .

## 2 Corinthians 6:11-13

<sup>11</sup> Our mouth has spoken freely to you, O Corinthians, our heart is opened wide. <sup>12</sup> You are not restrained by us, but you are restrained in your own affections. <sup>13</sup> Now in a like exchange — I speak as to children — open wide *to us* also.

## 1 Corinthians 10:19-22

<sup>19</sup> What do I mean then? That a thing sacrificed to idols is anything, or that an idol is anything? <sup>20</sup> *No*, but *I* say that the things which the Gentiles sacrifice, they sacrifice to demons and not to God; and I do not want you to become sharers in demons. <sup>21</sup> You cannot drink the cup of the Lord and the cup of demons; you cannot partake of the table of the Lord and the table of demons. <sup>22</sup> Or do we provoke the Lord to jealousy? We are not stronger than He, are we?

## Luke 16:13

<sup>13</sup> "No servant can serve two masters; for either he will hate the one and love the other, or else he will be devoted to one and despise the other. You cannot serve God and wealth."

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<sup>14</sup> Do not be bound together with unbelievers;

for what partnership have righteousness and lawlessness, or what fellowship has light with darkness?

<sup>15</sup> Or what harmony has Christ with Belial,

or what has a believer in common with an unbeliever?

<sup>16</sup> Or what agreement has the temple of God with idols?

For we are the temple of the living God; just as God said,

**"I WILL DWELL IN THEM AND WALK AMONG THEM; AND I WILL BE THEIR GOD, AND THEY SHALL BE MY PEOPLE.**

### John 14:18-24

<sup>18</sup> "I will not leave you as orphans; I will come to you. . . . <sup>20</sup> "In that day you will know that I am in My Father, and you in Me, and I in you. <sup>21</sup> "He who has My commandments and keeps them is the one who loves Me; and he who loves Me will be loved by My Father, and I will love him and will disclose Myself to him." . . . <sup>23</sup> Jesus answered and said to him, "If anyone loves Me, he will keep My word; and My Father will love him, and We will come to him and make Our abode with him. <sup>24</sup> "He who does not love Me does not keep My words; and the word which you hear is not Mine, but the Father's who sent Me.

<sup>17</sup> "Therefore, COME OUT FROM THEIR MIDST AND BE SEPARATE," says the Lord.

"AND DO NOT TOUCH WHAT IS UNCLEAN;

### 1 Corinthians 5:9-11

<sup>9</sup> I wrote you in my letter not to associate with immoral people; <sup>10</sup> I did not at all mean with the immoral people of this world, or with the covetous and swindlers, or with idolaters, for then you would have to go out of the world. <sup>11</sup> But actually, I wrote to you not to associate with any so-called brother if he is an immoral person, or covetous, or an idolater, or a reviler, or a drunkard, or a swindler—not even to eat with such a one.

And I will welcome you. <sup>18</sup> "And I will be a father to you, And you shall be sons and daughters to Me," Says the Lord Almighty.

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## HEIDELBERG CATECHISM -- (1563)

Q. 107. Is it then enough that we do not kill our neighbor in any such way?

A. No: for in condemning envy, hatred, and anger, God requires us to love our neighbor as ourselves, to show patience, peace, meekness, mercy and kindness towards him, and, so far as we have power, to prevent his hurt; also to do good even unto our enemies.

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