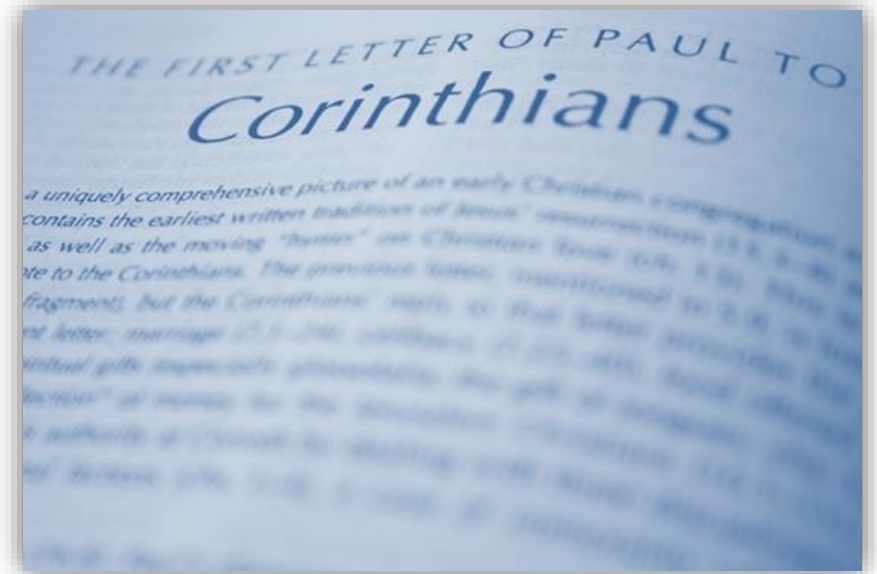


## ***Personal Application and Conversations***

1. Recall a time when you were so very thankful that you paid attention to a warning.
2. When and why have you been made aware of your own issues of pride?
3. Why do you think serious followers of Christ need to be personally warned about sin that may be lurking at the door?
4. How do you think your church handles the contagion of sin in our midst?
5. What do you think is the calling of our church?



# **We've Been Warned**

I Corinthians 4:14

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**C**an you recall a time when you were so thankful that you were saved from something because you paid attention to a warning? It's kind of fun to stop and think about all sorts of warnings. Road signs alert us to bumps on the road ahead, narrow roads, rough roads, curves, and multiple curves. Our phones warn us of unknown callers and spam, smoke detectors tweek when a battery is about to go out, and newer cars warn us when another car is in our blind spot. When we read our Bibles carefully, we realize that God warns His people of a great many threats on the road ahead. Our study today is a fresh reminder, "We've been warned" (1 Corinthians 4:14). Praise God!

***We've been warned*** (4:8-13, 14-21; 5:1-6, 7-13; Titus 3:10)

***Be careful, your arrogance is showing*** (4:18)

***Talk is cheap*** (4:20-21)

***Don't forget your calling*** (1:2)

***Sin tolerated is highly contagious, so act decisively*** (5:1-6, 7-13)