

RESET

Studies in 1 Corinthians

The Importance of Thinking Accurately

1 Corinthians 1:1-3

Hebrews 11:13 "All these people were still living by faith when they died. They did not receive the things promised; they only saw them and welcomed them from a distance. And they admitted that they were aliens and strangers on earth."

1 Peter 2:11 "Dear friends, I urge you, <u>as aliens and strangers in the world</u>, to abstain from sinful desires, which war against your soul"

I need to think accurately ...

- 1. I need to think accurately about MYSELF 1:1 (Exemplified in Paul)
 - God has a PLAN for me I am SIGNIFICANT
 - Called implies relationship and task
 - > Apostle Delegate, Messenger, sent one on mission

Paul states ... I know who I am; I know whose I am; I know where I am going.

- It's about God's <u>WILL</u> not mine I am <u>SURRENDERED</u>
 - O Devoted to His will above my own
 - O God is ultimate appraiser of my life and ministry
 - O He calls the shots in all we do
- I'm part of TEAM I am SOLIDLY CONNECTED
 - Paul had others ... He was not a soloist
 - Sosthenes Probably was scribe for Paul writing 1 Corinthians
 - World stresses independence.
 - Church key is interdependence. (1 Cor. 12)

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• Each one of us are ______ people

Resources:

1. Thinking Rightly about Ourselves:



2. Thinking Rightly about the Church

