

Across the Ages SERMON NOTES

LIVE HONESTLY AND HOPEFULLY
2 CORINTHIANS 1:12-22 | JULY 2, 2017
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A C R O S S T H E A G E S

Intro:

1. Be _____ and God honoring as you live before men. (12-14)

2. Let your " _____ " be "yes," and your "no" be "no." (15-19)

3. _____ living the "yes life" that Jesus has promised. (20-22)

Conclusion:

WEEKLY READING PLAN:

Monday, July 3rd - John 18:12-24

The illegal trial

Tuesday, July 4th - John 18:25-32

The rooster crows

Wednesday, July 5th - John 18:33-40

My kingdom is not of this world

Thursday, July 6th - John 19:1-16

Our Savior rejects

Friday, July 7th - 2 Corinthians 1:23-2:11

Live in a True and Forgiving Way

STUDY QUESTIONS

KEY PASSAGE: 2 Corinthians 1:12-22

Opening: Read 2 Corinthians 1:12-22. From the passage/sermon, what truths impacted you the most?

1. Paul makes a declaration to the Corinthians regarding how he has been living. How are you called to live in the same way as Paul in the following areas? What does each area look like in action?

a. "Simplicity" (single-mindedness)

b. "Sincerity"

c. "Not by earthly wisdom but by the grace of God"

2. "Do I make my plans according to the flesh...?" (verse 17)

a. How can you be guilty of making your plans according to the flesh?

b. How can you guard against doing this?

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3. List the promises you see in verses 20-22. Take time to thank God for these.

Application: Think of your response to question 2a. Is there any need for confession in this area? How can you surrender this area to the Lord and live it out these plans according to God's plan instead of your flesh?