

# Message Notes

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*A BETTER WAY: Conflict Resolution*  
(1 Corinthians 6:1-11)  
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◆How do we handle \_\_\_\_\_ in a \_\_\_\_\_ as the church?

## Calling Up

If any of you has a dispute with another, do you dare take it before the ungodly for judgment instead of before the Lord's people? **1 Cor. 6:1**

❶ He reminds them of their \_\_\_\_\_. (1 Cor 1:2; Rom 1:7; Eph 1:3-14)

◆ They are "\_\_\_\_\_" who are washed, \_\_\_\_\_ & justified. (v.11)

◆ Our new \_\_\_\_\_ launches us into a new \_\_\_\_\_. (Eph 4:1)

❷ He reminds them of their \_\_\_\_\_. (Dan 7:22; Mt 19:28; Rev 2:26)

◆ In light of our \_\_\_\_\_ we should handle \_\_\_\_\_ conflict.

❸ He reminds them of their \_\_\_\_\_. (Mt 5:13-16; Php 2:14-16; 1 Pet 3:15)

◆ We have an \_\_\_\_\_ to demonstrate the power of \_\_\_\_\_.

❹ He reminds them they are \_\_\_\_\_. (1 Cor 6:7-8; Gal 6:10; 1 Pet 2:17)

The very fact that you have lawsuits among you means you have been completely defeated already. Why not rather be wronged? Why not rather be cheated? **1 Corinthians 6:7**

◆ As a \_\_\_\_\_ we should model \_\_\_\_\_. (Jn 13:34-35; Ro 13:8; Eph 4:2)

## A Better Way to Handle Conflict

❶ \_\_\_\_\_ the \_\_\_\_\_ 18 Principle. (Mt 18:15-17)

◆ *Step 1:* Go \_\_\_\_\_ to the person & speak the \_\_\_\_\_ in \_\_\_\_\_.

◆ *Step 2:* Bring another "\_\_\_\_\_ or \_\_\_\_\_" into the conversation.

◆ *Step 3:* If it's \_\_\_\_\_ & continues, bring it to the church for \_\_\_\_\_.

❷ Sometimes it's better to "\_\_\_\_\_ the other \_\_\_\_\_." (Mt 5:38-40)

◆ Who am I in \_\_\_\_\_ with? How can I pursue \_\_\_\_\_?

*The Word became flesh and made His dwelling among us. We have seen His glory, the glory of the one and only Son, who came from the Father, full of grace and truth. John 1:14*

