



LifeGroup Questions  
March 13, 2022  
2 Corinthians 11:16-33

- 1) Throughout 2 Corinthians, and especially in chapters 10 and 11, Paul has utilized sarcasm heavily.  
Why do you think he includes this type of sarcastic exchange in his letter to the Corinthian believers?
  
- 2) In 2 Corinthians 11:22-28 Paul shares his service record for Christ in “boastful confidence”.  
Why does he consistently refer to this kind of boasting (which he does himself) as foolish?
  
- 3) Often spiritual résumés include accomplishments or achievements that we’ve done for God: positions we’ve held, ministries we’ve volunteered for, length of time serving in a ministry, people we’ve cared for, etc. Instead of sharing those kinds of things Paul lists everything he has suffered as proof of being a servant of Christ. Why do you think Paul does this?
  
- 4) Read Colossians 2:16-23... How did the false teachers try to maintain control of the believers?
  
- 5) Read 2 Corinthians 11:28-29 and Romans 12:15... Paul’s love and concern for the people he’d ministered to caused him to respond emotionally whenever they suffered or were led astray. How can we foster that kind of community at FBC? Who is someone you should come alongside that is suffering?