



# “Building People”

To the Glory of God  
I Corinthians 10:23-33

## **Building with:**

### **I. Desire** – “Let no man seek his own” (vs. 23-26)

*It's a matter of:*

- A. **Be** \_\_\_\_\_ – “but all things are not expedient”
- B. **Bu** \_\_\_\_\_ – “but all things edify not”
- C. **Be** \_\_\_\_\_ – “for the earth is the Lord’s and the fulness thereof”

### **II. Deference** – “why is my liberty judged of another” (vs. 27-30)

*It's a matter of:*

- A. **Co** \_\_\_\_\_ – “whatsoever is set before you, eat”
- B. **Co** \_\_\_\_\_ – “eat not for his sake that showed it”
- C. **Co** \_\_\_\_\_ – “conscience, I say, not thine own,”

### **III. Doxology** - “that for which I give thanks” (vs. 30-33)

*It's a matter of the:*

- A. **G** \_\_\_\_\_ - “For if I by grace be a partaker”
- B. **G** \_\_\_\_\_ – “do all to the glory of God”
- C. **G** \_\_\_\_\_ – “the profit of many that they may be saved”

## Sentence Sermon

**“The church is not called to build up programs  
but to build up people.”**

## Additional Verses

- **I Corinthians 6:12; 9:19-22; 10:33**
- **Acts 10:15**
- **Psalm 24:1**
- **Romans 14:16**
- **Acts 20:32**
- **II Corinthians 12:19**
- **Ephesians 4:12**
- **Romans 15:2**
- **I Thessalonians 5:11**
- **I Corinthians 14:12**
- **Galatians 1:10**

## Questions to Ponder:

1. What are the key words or phrases in this passage?
2. Who are the central characters of the passage?
3. What does it mean to seek another man’s good? (verse 24)
4. What are things that can be abstained from for the benefit of others?
5. What are things that edify? In particular that have edified you?
6. Why did Paul quote Psalm 24:1 two times? (verses 26 & 28)
7. Are believers responsible for the conscience of others? Explain.
8. How do we “do all to the glory of God?” Give some examples.
9. What is the difference between “pleasing all men” and appeasement?
10. How do we seek the profit of many that will lead them to be saved?
11. What are some ways that people in the past have “built” you up?
12. How do you build others up? Could you describe situations you do it?