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Remains of the Temple of Apollo at Corinth [Picture the NT] 7 Of 38 cols. left

Baldwin Hills Baptist Church
 Sunday, May 31, 2020
Sermon Outline

**“The Problem Of Divisions In
 The Church At Corinth!” –Pt. 2**
 - Acts 18:1-17; 1 Cor. 1:1-3, 10-15; 3:1-9 -
 (2019-20 Problems In The Church Series)

I. THE HISTORY OF THE CITY AND THE CHURCH

- A. The City Was Known For Its Immorality!
 --The Temple of Aphrodite (Greek goddess of love) had a thousand religious prostitutes who lived and worked there.
- B. The Church Was Established On Paul’s Second Missionary Journey, Acts 18:1-5
- C. Jewish Resistance Caused Paul To Turn To The Gentiles There, v-6-8
- D. The Lord Jesus Encouraged Paul In His Decision, v-9, 10
- E. Paul Settled At Corinth (18 mos.), v-11
- F. The Jews Mounted A Unified Attack On Paul, v-12-17
 - C. Paul Sends Grace And Peace To Them From God Our Father And The Lord Jesus Christ, v-3

**III. THE PROBLEM INITIALLY ADDRESSED,
 1 Cor. 1:10-16**

- A. Paul Calls the Church To Unity, v-10
 - 1. He exhorts them by the authority of our Lord Jesus Christ, v-10a
 - 2. He exhorts them to agree together, v-10b
 - 3. He exhorts them to stop the divisions, v-10c
 - 4. He exhorts them to be of the same mind and same judgment, v-10d
- B. He Reveals to Them Who Informed Him Of Their Quarrels –Chloe’s Family, v-11
- C. Paul Reveals The Four Personalities They Were Divided Over ,–Paul, Apollos, Cephas, and Christ, v-12