

# **Because I Believe**

## Part 4: Staying with the Lord

### **THE CORINTHIAN CONFLICT**

- A. Paul was writing to the church, to believers **(1 Corinthians 1:2 NKJV)**
  - 1. Sanctified, separated to God in Christ - called saints
  - 2. Same church, different words **(1 Corinthians 3:1-3 NKJV)**
  - 3. He called on the church to change **(1 John 1:9 NKJV)**

### **STAYING WITH THE LORD**

- A. What helps us stay **(Acts 11:23 NKJV)**
  - 1. Purpose of heart
  - 2. Make church a priority **(Hebrews 10:24-25 NKJV)**
  - 3. Don't allow offenses to move you away **(2 Corinthians 11:29 KJV)**
  - 4. Don't live in two worlds **(2 Corinthians 6:16-18 NKJV)**  
**(2 Peter 2:7-8 NKJV)**
  - 5. Place a high value on God's Word **(Hebrews 4:12 NKJV)**  
**(2 Timothy 3:16 NKJV)**  
**(Psalm 1:2-3 NKJV)**