

2 Corinthians

CHAPTER 6

1 We then, *as* workers together *with Him*, beseech *you* also that you receive not the grace of God in vain.

2 (For He says, I have heard you in a time accepted, and in the day of salvation have I helped you: behold, now *is* the accepted time; behold, now *is* the day of salvation.)

3 Giving no offence in any thing, that the ministry be not blamed:

4 But in all *things* approving ourselves as the ministers of God, in much patience, in afflictions, in necessities, in distresses,

5 In stripes, in imprisonments, in tumults, in labours, in watchings, in fastings;

6 By pureness, by knowledge, by longsuffering, by kindness, by the Holy Spirit, by love unfeigned,

7 By the word of truth, by the power of God, by the armour of righteousness on the right hand and on the left,

8 By honour and dishonour, by evil report and good report: as deceivers, and *yet* true;

9 As unknown, and *yet* well known; as dying, and, behold, we live; as chastened, and not killed;

10 As sorrowful, yet always rejoicing; as poor, yet making many rich; as having nothing, and *yet* possessing all things.

11 O *you* Corinthians, our mouth is open unto you, our heart is enlarged.

12 You are not straitened in us, but you are straitened in your own bowels.

13 Now for a recompence in the same, (I speak as unto *my* children,) be also enlarged.

14 Be not unequally yoked together with unbelievers: for what fellowship has righteousness with unrighteousness? and what communion has light with darkness?

15 And what concord has Christ with Belial? or what part has he that believes with an infidel?

16 And what agreement has the temple of God with idols? for you are the temple of the living God; as God has said, I will dwell in them, and walk in *them*; and I will be their God, and they shall be My people.

17 Wherefore come out from among them, and be separate, says the Lord, and touch not the unclean *thing*, and I will receive you,

18 And will be a Father unto you, and you shall be my sons and daughters, says the Lord Almighty.