

Called To be
Saints

STUDIES IN FIRST CORINTHIANS

***Disciplining an
Immoral Christian***

1 Corinthians 5:1-5

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- 2. God calls us to confront a fellow believer who is openly engaged in obvious sin.**

Galatians 6:1

“Brethren, if a man be overtaken in a fault, ye which are spiritual, restore such an one in the spirit of meekness; considering thyself, lest thou also be tempted.”

- 3. God calls the church to cast out a believer who refuses to repent and who persists in sin.**
- 4. God uses church discipline to provoke a sinning believer to repent.**

1 Timothy 1:19-20

“Holding faith, and a good conscience; which some having put away concerning faith have made shipwreck: 20 Of whom is Hymenaeus and Alexander; whom I have delivered unto Satan, that they may learn not to blaspheme.”

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