## The Center of the Christian Message

An Exposition of 1 Corinthians 1-2 (Part 17)

The Nature of the Christian Message (Part 3)

The Nature of the Christian Message (1 Cor. 2:6-16)

- I. The Character of Our Message (2:6-9)
  - A. It is Wisdom (2:6a)
  - B. It is Supernatural (2:6b-c)
    - 1. Beyond the System (2:6b1-7)
    - 2. Beyond the People of the System (2:6b<sub>8</sub>-c)
      - passing away make ineffective, abolish, release
  - C. It is Divine (2:7)
    - 1. Hidden Away in God (2:7a)
      - hidden (krypto) secret, concealed
    - 2. Purposed by God (2:7b)
      - b. The Point of the Purpose (2:7b<sub>7-9</sub>)
      - a. The Means to the Purpose  $(2.7b_{1-6})$ 
        - predestined decide upon beforehand, determine beforehand