

Paying Preachers

I Corinthians 9:1-12a

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Spiritual Freedom in Christ is a BIG deal!

How do we balance our freedom in Christ with our obligation to others?

Three levels of the Christian Life

Tier 1: Doctrine
Tier 2: Beliefs
Tier 3: Behavior

**Pride is often the problem.
Love is always the solution.**

Why is it a good thing to take care of those who take care of our souls?

01 **Because it is Permitted by The Lord v.1-6 (13-14)**
Ephesians 4:11-12; Acts 1:21-22; Acts 9:13-15; 2 Corinthians 10:10

02 **Because it is the Pattern of Labor v.7**

03 **Because it is a Principle from The Law v.8-12a**
Galatians 6:6

To the church member:
Be grateful
Be generous

To the church leader:
Be generous
Be wise

To the pastor/church staff:
Be grateful
Be worth it!

Assignment:

Bless a servant of The Lord who is not the senior pastor this week in some way