

SAFEGUARDS AGAINST DISQUALIFICATION

1 Corinthians 10:1-13

(continued from past several Sundays)

Independent Baptist Church
Keseville, NY
Sunday @ 10:00 am - June 9th, 2010

Introduction: The past several weeks we have Paul has been reminding the church in Corinth of Israel's past history. In spite of their great privileges and advantages (10:1-5) they fell into terrible sin (10:6-11). The whole experience of Israel, Paul relates, is full of instruction for us who live in an entirely different age and culture. In particular this evening we want to briefly look at Paul's solemn warning against self-confidence (10:12) and at his message of great encouragement to all believers in all ages that one never need fall though tempted (10:13).

I. Remember Israel's HISTORY - 10:1-13

"...NOW THESE THINGS BECAME OUR EXAMPLE..."

A. The PRIVILEGES of God's people - vvs 1-5

1. All were under the Cloud - GOD'S GUIDANCE
2. All passed through the sea - CHRIST'S DELIVERANCE
3. All were baptized into Moses - SPIRIT'S BAPTISM
4. All ate the same spiritual food - GOD'S WORD
5. All drank the same drink - GOD'S SPIRIT

B. The FAILURES of God's people - vvs 6-11

AND YOU...

1. Lusting after EVIL THINGS
2. Involved in IDOLATRY
3. Engaged in IMMORALITY
4. Engaged in TEMPTING CHRIST
5. Engaged in COMPLAINING

IF SO - THEN YOU ARE IN DANGER OF BEING DISQUALIFIED

II. Regard Paul's _____ - 10:12

"...TAKE HEED..."

III. Apply God's _____ - 10:13
"...GOD IS FAITHFUL..."

A. No temptation you face is _____

B. No temptation you face is _____

C. No temptation you face is _____

CONCLUSION