

THE SIN OF DEMANDING YOUR OWN RIGHTS

1 CORINTHIANS 6:1-11

I. The Problem (vv.1-2)

A. The problem is not that believers had been wronged, but that they took their disagreements outside the body of Christ.

B. The unrighteous do not have the mind of Christ.

C. God has His own system for dealing with issues between believers.

II. The Misunderstanding (vv. 3-6)

A. How will you judge angels and the world when you can't handle simple problems between yourselves?

B. Do not take your brothers and sisters in Christ to court.

III. The Solution (vv.7-11)

A. If you will go to the cross and give your troubles to Jesus, He will protect your witness.

B. The solution, "Why do you not rather accept wrong? Let yourselves be cheated."