

Sermon Date: May 13, 2007
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Small Group Questions

1. What pictures come to your mind when you think of powerful, successful people?
2. Is there any wisdom you pursue that is missing the message of the cross? Are there political commentators, celebrities, or intellectuals to whom you are sure to pay attention? Talk about the benefits and liabilities of such influence. Should Christians turn them off or keep listening? (1 Corinthians 1:18-25)
3. Joe shared about a man who claimed it was hard for him to go back to church, having sat under two phenomenal Bible teachers for so long. Hypothetically, do you believe such a person could be a genuine follower of Jesus Christ? Look at 1 Corinthians 2:1-5.
4. Take some time to “boast in the Lord.” Do you know how to do that, or what to say? (1 Corinthians 1:26-31)
5. Perhaps the best “proofs” for Christianity are through changed lives, as opposed to intellectual arguments. Tell a story of someone – maybe you – who was changed by the simple message of the cross. (1 Corinthians 1:18, 2:4)