

GIVEN FOR YOU...

The Significance of the Lord's Supper

1 Corinthians 10:14-22; 11: 23-32

Life turns on a dime...where is your hope?

A simple meal with eternal significance

- A look backward – *"in remembrance of Me..."*
- A look forward – *"you proclaim the Lord's death until He comes..."*

"In other words..."

- The *Lord's* supper 1 Corinthians 11:20
- With *thanksgiving* (*eucharisteo*) 1 Corinthians 11:23-24
- Cup of *blessing* 1 Corinthians. 10:16
- Communion with the Body of Christ (*koinonia*) 1 Corinthians 10:16-17
- The Table of the Lord 1 Corinthians 10:21
- The meal of the New Covenant 1 Corinthians 11:25-26

Potential for Danger

So what is an *unworthy manner*? 1 Corinthians 11:27-30

Pathway for Blessing 1 Corinthians 10:15-16

Fellowship with Christ

Fellowship with Christ's body

Covenantal in Nature 1 Corinthians 11:25

- Old Covenant revealed at Sinai Exodus 24:8-10
- Old Covenant replaced Hebrews 8:13
- New Covenant ratified with Christ's blood Hebrews 9:26;10:10;
- New Covenant Mediated by Christ Hebrews 7:22; 8:6

"Given for you..." Exodus 16; John 6:47-58

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"...so whoever feeds on me, he also will live because of me."