

## The Balance of Power

1 Corinthians 4:14-21

1. \_\_\_\_\_ Over \_\_\_\_\_ (14-17)
  - (14) Paul makes it clear his intention is not to \_\_\_\_\_ but to \_\_\_\_\_.
  - (15) Paul points out they had a lot of people show them \_\_\_\_\_, but only Paul himself was their spiritual \_\_\_\_\_ in the faith.
    - Galatians 4:19, Philemon 9-10.
  - (16) Paul urges them to \_\_\_\_\_ him and sent Timothy to help lead them.
    - Jesus tells us to imitate \_\_\_\_\_: John 13:15.
    - Paul tells us to imitate \_\_\_\_\_: Ephesians 4:31-5:2.
    - The author of Hebrews tells us to imitate \_\_\_\_\_ who have gone before us: Hebrews 6:11-12.
  - (17) Paul tells them Timothy will act as his \_\_\_\_\_ since Paul himself can't be there.
2. \_\_\_\_\_ Over \_\_\_\_\_ (18-21)
  - (18) Paul was not afraid to confront them about things that were not \_\_\_\_\_ to the \_\_\_\_\_.
  - (19) Paul says he will deal with those \_\_\_\_\_ people by seeing how strong their \_\_\_\_\_ were, rather than how big their \_\_\_\_\_ was.
    - 1 Corinthians 4:6, 8:1, 13:4, Colossians 2:18-19.
  - (20) The power of a church \_\_\_\_\_ is found in the power of God working rather than just in their talk.
    - James 3:13
  - (21) Paul uses one rhetorical question to those who are acting in non-\_\_\_\_\_ ways in the Corinthian church: do they want him to come with a \_\_\_\_\_ or with \_\_\_\_\_ and \_\_\_\_\_?

***Order in the Chaos***

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