

Valley Bible Church - Sermon Study Questions

**Study Aid for the Sermon from August 1, 2010
“Reconciliation”
2 Corinthians 5:20**

Observing the text

Read 2 Corinthians 5:20 carefully and make as many observations as possible.

How does this verse fit into the flow of the text?

What did Paul mean when he said, “We are ambassadors for Christ?”

In what sense is God making an appeal through Paul and his associates?

What is the significance of the word “beg?”

Applying the sermon

What are you most passionate about in this life?

Are these passions a reflection of God, or are they a reflection of you?

Do you believe that you are an ambassador of Christ? If you believe that you are an ambassador of Christ, how passionate are you about the ministry and message you have been given?

If your passion has been lacking, then confess your sin and ask God for the grace to execute the ministry and proclaim the message of reconciliation that you have been given.