



Lesson 26: Bracing for a rebuke

Read 1 Corinthians 3:1-9. According to Paul, here, who gives growth? What type of growth is he talking about here?

Read 1 John 4:1-5. Why are we supposed to test the spirits? How will we know if something is from God or not? What might these false ones look like? Is there a particular religion that comes to mind when considering who might reject Jesus as the One and Only Son of God?

Read Psalm 78:5-8. What did God establish?(verse 5) What was the command given? (verse 5) Why? (verse 6-7) What will knowing God's Law help to prevent from re-occurring? (verse 8)

Read Hebrews 12:5-11. What does this section talk about? How do we know that God views us as His sons and daughters? What is the purpose of God's disciplining us?

God is the One who changes hearts and brings growth to His glory. He does this because He loves us, even when we disobey. Spend some time today, simply thanking Him for the loving discipline that He gives to you, His precious child, because He *does* love you.