

# **1 Corinthians 9:19-27 “Winning Souls”**

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### **Pleasing God, Reaching The Lost**

- Personal Freedoms
- The Greatest Miracle

### **Corinth Was A Resort Town**

- An Evangelist Builds Bridges
- Set Aside His Rights to Win Souls

## **1 Corinthians 9:19-23**

### **Free... But A Servant**

- Limiting Self to Win Others
- Flexible in Method but Not in Message

### **Contextualization**

- Hudson Taylor
- Jesus : Made Like Us To Save Us

### **1. To The Jew**

- Adapted, Took Part, Limited His Freedoms

### **2. To The Gentile**

- Didn't Force but Didn't Sin
- Guided By The Holy Spirit
- Holding Hands

### **3. To The Weak or New Believers**

- Paul Slowed Down to Help

### **Meat and Masks**

- The Science, The Benefit

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- The Policy of Love

## **1 Corinthians 9:24-27**

### **Athletes and Isthmus Games**

- Main Event: Short, Medium, Long
- The Reward: A Leafy Wreath

### **#1 A Personal Race to Run**

- God’s Plan, His Will and Your Race
- Be Faithful and Well Done

### **#2 Run With Temperance**

- Self Control, Priority and Moderation
- Free But Careful
- A Life of Yes and No

### **#3 Run With Discipline**

- Get Control Your Body
- Fighting: Purposeful and Forceful

### **Enjoy Your Freedoms, Don’t Forget the Lost**

- Acts 9 The Shoe on The Other Foot
- Enter Barnabas the Reconciler