

Valley Bible Church
Sermon Notes for December 16, 2007

Christmas, To The Glory of God
1 Corinthians 10:31-33
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As in all things, Christmas should be done for God's glory (1 Corinthians 10:31).

Myth: Christmas is Jesus' birthday

Fact: Christmas is the day people celebrate the birth of Jesus

Myth: Christmas is a Christian Holy Day

Fact: There are no Christian Holy Days

Myth: The meaning of Christmas is in the Bible

Fact: Christmas is not in the Bible

Myth: Jesus is the reason for the season

Fact: Jesus is not, never was and never will be the reason for the season

Myth: Christmas is so worldly that we should not participate in it.

Fact: Jesus does not want us out of the world (John 17:15)

Myth: Jesus came to earth to bring peace on earth (Luke 2:14)

Fact: Jesus did not come to bring peace but a sword (Matthew 10:34)

Christmas should be done for God's glory by giving no offense.

Christmas should be done for God's glory by seeking the profit of others.

Christmas should be done for God's glory so that others can be saved.