

Valley Bible Church - Sermon Study Questions

Study Aid for the Sermon from December 20, 2009
“Our Riches Came At Christ’s Expense”
2 Corinthians 8:9

Observing the text

Read Philippians 2:5-8 and make as many observations as possible.

What did Paul mean in Philippians 2:6 when he said that Christ existed in the “form” of God?

In what sense did Christ empty Himself in verse 7?

What is the significance of the phrase “being found in appearance as a man?”

Why is it important that Christ died on a cross?

Applying the sermon

How has Christ’s willingness to become poor for our sake made it possible for us to become rich?

In what ways will we become rich?

Knowing that Christ’s willingness to become poor for our sake made it possible for us to become rich, how would your appreciation of this fact cause you to grow in your love for Him?

Describe specifically how you are seeing your love for Christ resulting in you becoming more and more conformed to His image?