

Series "Route 66"
"2 Corinthians"
Book-47

In **1 Corinthians** we are looking at **The Corinthians**. **2 Corinthians** we are looking at **The Apostle Paul**.

The Background:

2 Corinthians 2:1

2 Corinthians 2:4

Who Planted the Church?

The Author – 2 Corinthians 1:1

When Written – Winter 56 AD

Where it was Written – The location:

Purpose –

1. Why was Paul having so many problems in the ministry?
2. Why did he change his travel plans?
3. Why was his ministry so different from the false teachers?
4. Why was he receiving an offering? To follow up on the offering for Jerusalem.
5. Why was Paul so silent about his spiritual accomplishments?

Theme – *"Power Out Of Weakness"* It is standing firm in the faith.

Key Words – **"Comfort" Encouragement** is used in one form or another **29 times**. **Boast**, or **Glorify** – 20 times.

Key Chapter – 2 Corinthians 8-9

Key Passage – 2 Corinthians 4:1

2 Corinthians 4:6

Outline –

1. 2 Corinthians. 1-5 Paul's Explanation Of His Ministry:
2. 2 Corinthians. 6-9 Paul's Exhortation To The Church:
3. 2 Corinthians. 10-13 Paul's Vindication Of His Apostleship:

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2 Corinthians 1:1-11

2 Corinthians 1:12-2:11 Paul was misunderstood:

2 Corinthians 1:12-22 A Clear Conscience: 2 Corinthians 1:12

2 Corinthians 2:5-11 A Forgiving Heart: 2Cor 2:5-8

1 Corinthians 5

2 Corinthians. 2:12-3:18 The Sufficiency Of Jesus Christ: 2
Corinthians 3:1-6

1 Samuel 17:38-39

2 Corinthians 3:17-18

2 Corinthians 4:1-6 A Glorious Ministry:

Paul rejected 3 faulty areas of motivation of the false teachers:

1. But we have renounced the things hidden because of shame, – *"to be ashamed, to handle with unclean hands."* We can speak the truth but be living a lie!
2. Not walking in craftiness – *"The fisherman that uses bait to lure away a fish, to do whatever one please to achieve a certain goal."* "The End Justifies The Means!"
3. Or adulterating the word of God, the word adulterating – *"deceiving, to make corrupt."* *Lies, half-truths, mixture, little truth with a big lie!*

2 Corinthians 4:3-7

2 Corinthians 4:7-18 The Treasure In A Jar:

2 Corinthians 5:1-8 What Happens When I Die? From the body and to be at home with the Lord.

2 Corinthians 5:17-21 The Love and Calling Of God:

2. 2 Corinthians. 6-9 Paul's Exhortation To The Church:

2 Corinthians. 6:1-10 Hardships of The Ministry:

2 Corinthians 6:11-7:1 The Christian Separation:

2 Corinthians. 7:2-16 Genuine Repentance:

2 Corinthians. 8-9 Giving God's Way:

2 Corinthians 8:1-9 The Example In Giving:

2 Corinthians 8:10-24 The Encouragement in Giving:

2 Corinthians 9:1-15 The Effects in Giving:

3. 2 Corinthians. 10-13 Paul's Vindication Of His Apostleship:

Why is Paul's Apostleship so important?

2 Corinthians 10:1-6 The Secret Weapon:

2 Corinthians 10:7-18 Paul, The Real Thing:

2 Corinthians 11:1-15 Sincere Service:

2 Corinthians 11:16-33 The Cost of Love:

2 Corinthians 12:1-10 Privilege and Pain: Paul's thorn in his flesh.

2 Corinthians 12:11-21 Faith and Practice:

2 Corinthians 13:1-14 Admonition:

2 Corinthians 13:5-7 Be Sure That You Are Saved:

2 Corinthians 13:8-10 Be Obedient To God's Word:

2 Corinthians 13:11-14 Be Mature In Your Faith:

Application:

"Power Out Of Weakness" God loves broken things. God loves to show His power thru our weakness. God will show Himself sufficient in every need and thru every situation.

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2 Corinthians 12:9-10