

**The Gospel is Worthy 9-30-18** “The true mark of the saint is that he can waive his own rights and obey the Lord Jesus.” *My Utmost for His Highest*, Oswald Chambers  
1 Corinthians 9:1-23 Paul’s was being questioned

—50% of the churches in the United States and Canada have or fewer in attendance. —v. 14 “...the Lord commanded that those who proclaim the gospel should get their living by the gospel.”

—To Paul, the Good News was worthy of his right to a salary.

—“Jesus primary consideration is my absolute annihilation of my right to myself and my identification with Him, which means having a relationship with Him in which there are no other relationships.” *My Utmost for His Highest*, Oswald Chambers

—Paul was willing to all rights for the Gospel.

—What priority does the gospel have in your life?

—Romans 1:16 —“No man is really free who does not possess the power to forego his freedom.” *The Wesleyan Bible Commentary*, Charles W. Carter —1 Corinthians 15:3-4 —John 3:16 16

—Do you believe this? —Do your actions prove that you believe this?