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2 Corinthians: Authentic Ministry
2 Corinthians 10:7–11
“The Right Kind of Leadership”

See *Isaiah 53:1–5*.

1. SPIRITUAL LEADERS MIGHT LOOK DIFFERENT THAN YOU EXPECT. (10:7)

Our tendency: to judge by the outside.

The reality: we are _____ by our relationship to Christ.

Appearances vs. Reality:

Temporary and Eternal (2 Cor. 4:16–18)

Weakness and Strength (2 Cor. 12:9; 13:3–4)

Man’s Wisdom and God’s Wisdom (1 Cor. 1:18–25)

2. SPIRITUAL LEADERS WILL WORK TO EDIFY. (10:8–10)

The purpose of authority: to _____.

To build up = to _____.

See *Rom. 14:19; 15:2; 1 Cor. 3:9; 14:3, 5, 12, 26; 2 Cor. 12:19; 13:10; Eph. 2:21; 4:12, 16, 29*.

The danger of authority: to _____.

See *John 10:11–15*.

The temptation for Christians: to _____.

3. SPIRITUAL LEADERS MUST BE _____ (10:11)

See *John 1:10–13; 2 Cor. 6:3–10*.