

*2 Corinthian Series: "Learning to Lean on God"*

**"The YES of Christ"**

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2 Corinthians 1:12-22

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***Introduction:***

- A. Promises...so easy to \_\_\_\_\_, so hard to \_\_\_\_\_.
- B. Whether it be politics, business, sports, or \_\_\_\_\_, it seems that at every turn our \_\_\_\_\_ is not merely being violated, it is being \_\_\_\_\_.

***I. \_\_\_\_\_ the Word.***

- A. They must have been saying that there was more in Paul's \_\_\_\_\_ than met the eye.
- B. There must have been those who were attributing hidden \_\_\_\_\_ to Paul.
- C. There were some who were saying that Paul didn't \_\_\_\_\_ what he \_\_\_\_\_.
- D. The accusations about Paul's words took on a specific form—Paul makes \_\_\_\_\_ he doesn't \_\_\_\_\_.
- E. The powerful and beautiful thing that Paul did in verses 18-22 was to point their attention toward \_\_\_\_\_.
- F. "Amen" means "So \_\_\_\_\_ it \_\_\_\_\_" and "\_\_\_\_\_, I \_\_\_\_\_"
- G. The gift of the Holy Spirit is God's \_\_\_\_\_ and \_\_\_\_\_ of still greater things to come.

***II. \_\_\_\_\_ the Word.***

- A. We should strive to be people who \_\_\_\_\_ our \_\_\_\_\_.
- B. Even if people are \_\_\_\_\_, God is always \_\_\_\_\_.
1. Do we need to be reminded about God's promises about our \_\_\_\_\_? (Ps. 103:2-3, 12; Eph. 1:7-8)
  2. Do we need to be reminded about God's promises about our \_\_\_\_\_? (Isaiah 43:1-3; Heb. 13:5-6)
  3. Do we need to be reminded about God's promises about our \_\_\_\_\_? (Rev. 22:12; John 14:1-3)
- C. Promises...God \_\_\_\_\_ them and God \_\_\_\_\_ them!

Answer Key: Intro. A. make, keep. B. ministry, trust, shattered. I. Understanding. I.A. conduct. I.B. motives. I.C. mean, said. I.D. promises, keep. I.E. God. I.F. let, be, Yes, agree. I.G. token, pledge. II. Applying. II.A. keep, word. II.B. unfaithful, faithful. II.B.1. past. II.B.2. present. II.B.3. future. II.C. makes, keeps.