

**“Bought by Christ”
S.O.A.P. Bible Study**

S=Scripture: 1 Corinthians 7:17-24

O=Observation: After carefully reading this text, answer the following questions:
What is Paul’s main theme in this section? Paul is writing to a church which is located in the busiest seaport in the ancient world, full of economic opportunity and instability. Why would this section be important in such an environment? What might it mean for Paul to say “he should not become uncircumcised”? Why is the virtue of contentment so important to the Christian life? What does Paul ground his appeal to? See verse 23 and 1 Corinthians 6:20.

A=Application: What is God saying to you about your station in life, your assignment from God? How are you doing with contentment?

P=Prayer: Write out a prayer based on your meditation on this passage: