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## *The Corinthian Letters*

Lamplighters Women's Bible Study

April 2, 2014



# Announcements

- Introduce Thomas Daniel—neighborhood coffees to get to know him. Sign up the end of this week.
- Picnic next week at the Skaggs' Ranch.
- All church picnic on Sunday, May 4. 4:00. Bring your family and friends!



# On-line Registration for Next Year

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# Grace, Love, Fellowship

## 2 Cor. 12 & 13

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| 1. Grace—the 3 <sup>rd</sup> heaven | 2 Cor. 12:1-10  |
| 2. Love—the 3 <sup>rd</sup> visit   | 2 Cor. 12:11-21 |
| 3. Fellowship—final thoughts        | 2 Cor. 13:1-14  |



# Grace—the 3<sup>rd</sup> heaven—2 Cor. 12:1-10

- God honored Paul with visions and revelations.
- God humbled Paul with a thorn in the flesh.
- God helped Paul—His grace is sufficient.



# Grace—the 3<sup>rd</sup> heaven—2 Cor. 12:1-10

“My grace is sufficient for you. My power is made perfect in weakness.”



# Love—the 3<sup>rd</sup> visit—2 Cor. 12:11-21

- Paul's apostleship authenticated by:
  - the Corinthians themselves
  - the insignia—signs, wonders, miracles
  - his sacrifice
  - his fears





# Fellowship—final thoughts—2 Cor. 13

- Warnings 13:1-4
- Test 13:5-6
- Prayer 13:7-9



# Fellowship—final thoughts—2 Cor. 13

- Benediction

13: 11-14

v. 11—admonitions

v. 12-13—greetings

v. 14—benediction



“May the grace of the Lord Jesus Christ,  
and the love of God, and the fellowship  
of the Holy Spirit be with you all.”

