

**COMMUNION – “TILL HE COME”**  
**1 Corinthians 11:23-34**

**Introduction:**

**A.** Communion (The Lord’s Supper) is a way for Christians to express thanks to God for Jesus Christ and His sacrifice on the Cross for our sins. Christ’s body was broken so we could be made whole and His Blood was shed for the forgiveness of our sins – This is Salvation and a testimony of His Second Coming.

- I. Christians are to Participate in Communion “Till He Come”** (vv. 23-26)
  - A.** Jesus instituted Communion to memorialize His death
  - B.** Communion is fulfillment of the Passover
  - C.** The New Covenant replaced the Old Covenant
  
- II. The Message of the Cross will Last “Till He Come”** (v. 26)
  - A.** Times bring about change but not the message
  - B.** The shedding of the Blood of Christ for Salvation will not change
  - C.** The Cross outlives its critics (1 Cor 1:18)
  
- III. The Power of the Cross will Transform Lives “Till He Come”** (v. 26)
  - A.** The Cross is the power of God unto Salvation (Rom 1:16)
  - B.** The blood of Christ cleanses us from all Sin (1 John 1:7)
  - C.** The Cross has the power to create in us a desire for righteousness – live holy lives
  - D.** The Cross has the power to cause us to love one another just as Jesus loves us.
  - E.** Communion will always be significant (Important)

**Conclusion:**

- A.** Communion is a remembrance of what Christ did for us and a celebration of what we receive because of His sacrifice.
  
- B.** Communion is for those who have been born again.
  
- C.** Communion is a time to make things right with God and other people.
  
- D.** There is pow’r, pow’r, wonder-working power in the blood of the Lamb; There is pow’r, pow’r, wonder-working pow’r in the precious blood of the Lamb.
  
- E.** Romans Road to Salvation (Rom 3:10, 23; 5:8; 10:9, 13)

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**“...the word of our God shall stand for ever”** (Isa 40:8).