

Week of April 30, 2023 | 1 Corinthians 14:20-28

- 1. Thinking back on this week's sermon, was there anything you heard for the first time or that caught your attention, challenged, or confused you?
- 2. Where do you see childish thinking or actions in the Church today?
- 3. Are there ways in which Valley Bible Church needs to mature spiritually? If so, what can be done to pursue such maturity?
- 4. Verse 21 quotes from Isaiah 28:11-12, where God uses language as part of a judgment. If believers today experience hardships in their life, when should they consider whether those hardships are discipline or punishment from God, if ever?
- 5. Why does Paul say that tongues is for unbelievers and prophecy is for believers in verse 23, but then seem to say the opposite in verses 24-25?
- 6. Verse 25 describes some who fall on their face to worship God. What impact does posture have in worship, and how can we better utilize posture in our worship?
- 7. Based on verse 26, should churches proactively try to include as many people as possible in active roles during a worship service? If so, how?
- 8. Verse 26 tells us that all things should be done for edification. What other motivations do you find common for those attending worship?
- 9. How can you prepare to be a blessing to someone during next Sunday's gathering for worship?