

The Elect's Warnings and Dangers



1 Corinthians 10:1-5

For I do not want you to be ignorant of the fact, brothers and sisters, that our ancestors were all under the cloud and that they all passed through the sea. ² They were all baptized into Moses in the cloud and in the sea. ³ They all ate the same spiritual food ⁴ and drank the same spiritual drink; for they drank from the spiritual rock that accompanied them, and that rock was Christ. ⁵ Nevertheless, God was not pleased with most of them; their bodies were scattered in the wilderness.

1 Corinthians 10:6-10

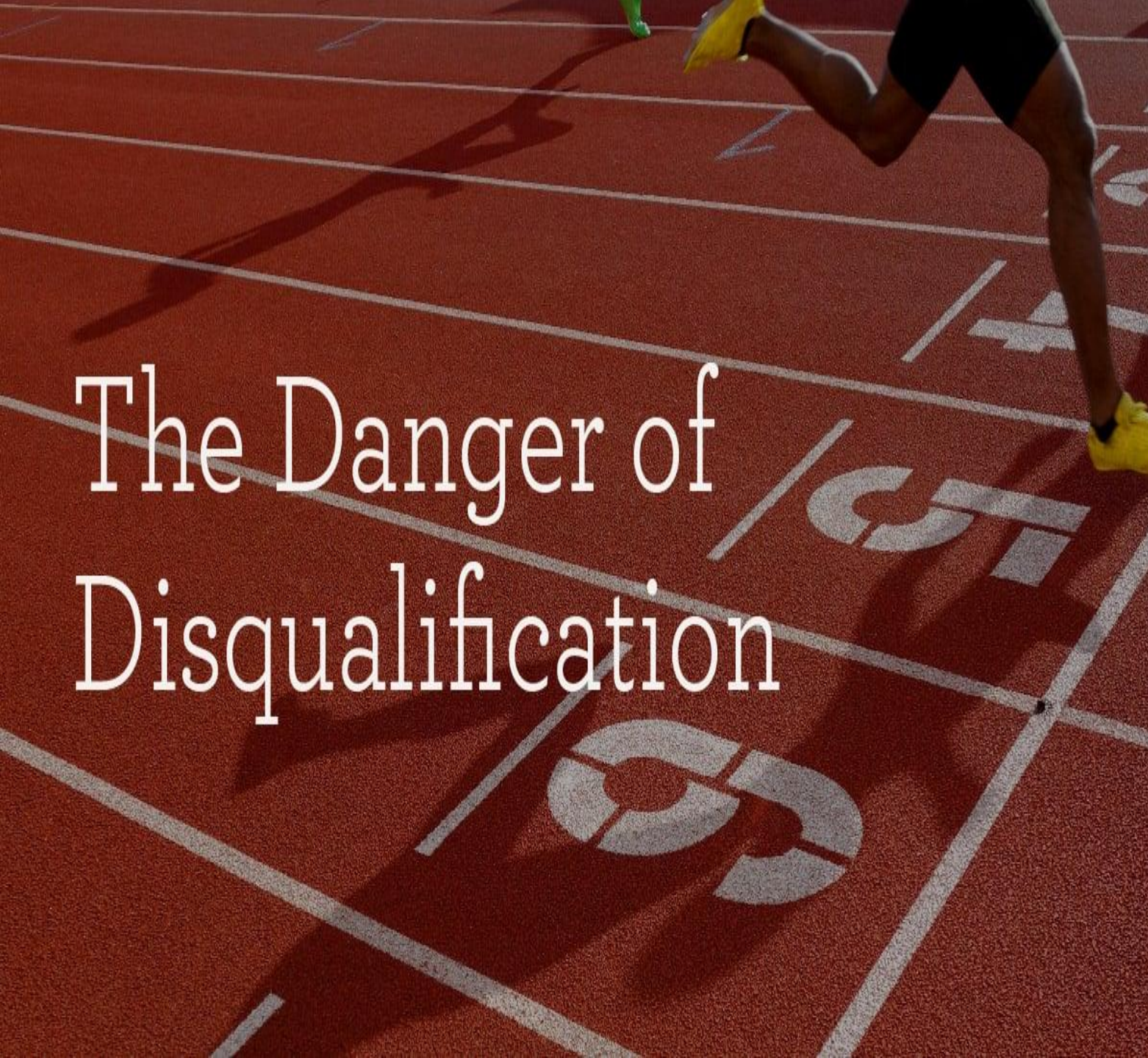
⁶ Now these things occurred as examples to keep us from setting our hearts on evil things as they did. ⁷ Do not be idolaters, as some of them were; as it is written: “The people sat down to eat and drink and got up to indulge in revelry.” ⁸ We should not commit sexual immorality, as some of them did—and in one day twenty-three thousand of them died. ⁹ We should not test Christ, as some of them did—and were killed by snakes. ¹⁰ And do not grumble, as some of them did—and were killed by the destroying angel.

1 Corinthians 10:11-13

¹¹ These things happened to them as examples and were written down as warnings for us, on whom the culmination of the ages has come. ¹² So, if you think you are standing firm, be careful that you don't fall! ¹³ No temptation has overtaken you except what is common to mankind. And God is faithful; he will not let you be tempted beyond what you can bear. But when you are tempted, he will also provide a way out so that you can endure it.

1 Corinthians 10:12

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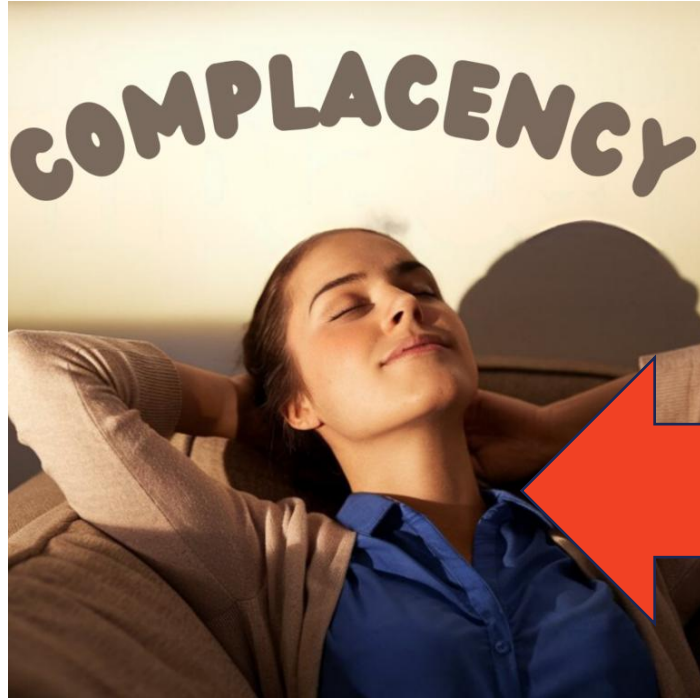


The Danger of Disqualification

1 Corinthians 9:27

I discipline my body and bring it into subjection, lest when I preached to others, I myself should become disqualified.

Examine Yourself



COMPLACENCY

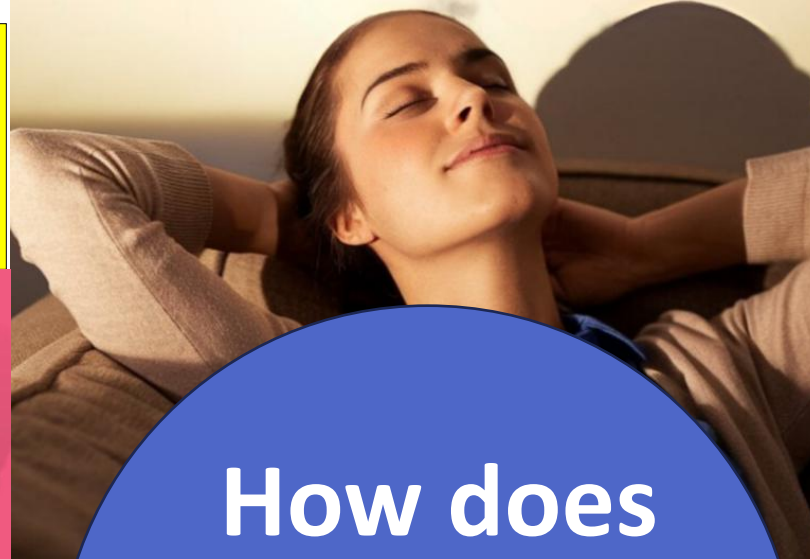


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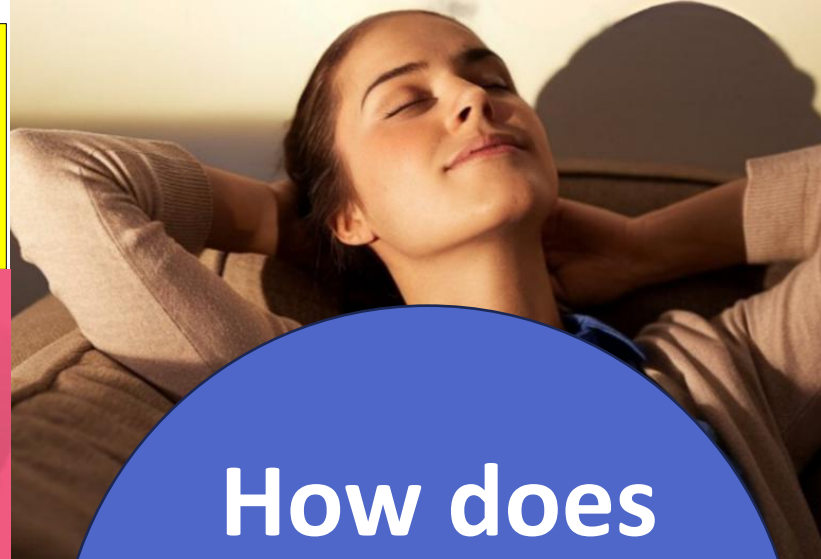
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COMPLACENCY



**Staying out of
battle**



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3 Signs of Complacency

I am standing firm

presumptuous



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No self-examination

Self
Examination



I don't need to examine myself

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I don't need to examine myself

Lukewarmness

NEITHER COLD NOR HOT



I am comfortable where I am

Compromise



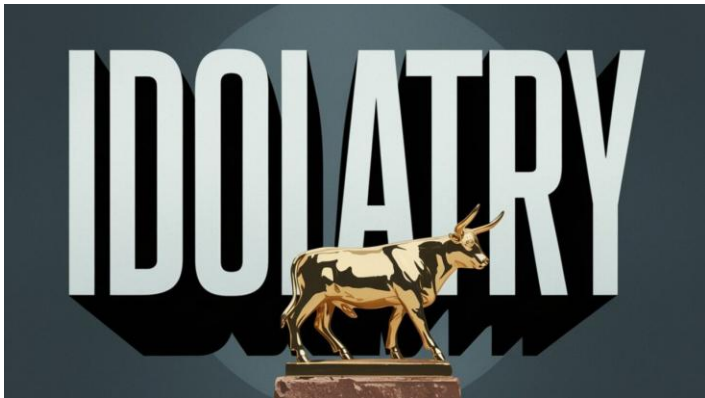


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**I want something
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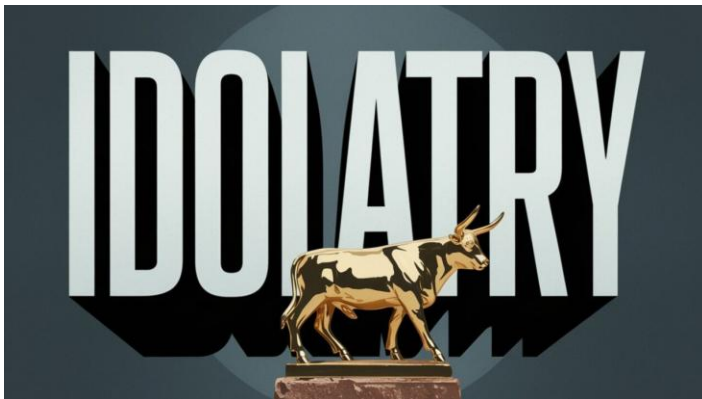




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What am I afraid of losing?



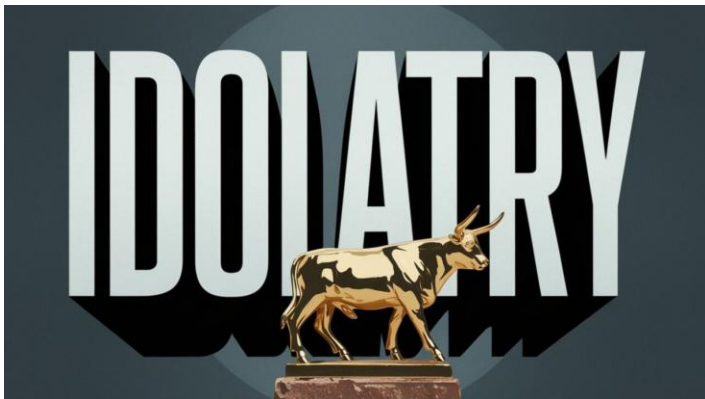
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What if I can believe something different?

COMPLAINTS



Pride



I want things my way



Pride



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COMPLAINTS

2 Signs



Offence



I don't like what has happened



Jesus and His teaching



BODY OF CHRIST
FELLOWSHIP CHURCH



Complacency

Compromise

Complaint

Spiritual decline

Falling away