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for Personal Study and Small Groups

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  - Paul does not want these believers to be ignorant of something...what is it?
  - How does he instruct them through this quick history lesson? Why do you think he picked the highlights that he did? Can you make the connections from his examples to the gospel?
  - What is the good news found in verses 11-13? What truths in this passage shine more light and give you hope for your own struggles, temptations, and idols?
- *Read 10:14-22...Flee from Idolatry--share in Christ*
  - What do these verses teach you about the Lord's Supper? (i.e. the spiritual dynamic of worship that is taking place)
  - What do these verses teach you about idol worship? (i.e. the spiritual dynamic of worship that is taking place)
  - Why is verse 21 so important? What does it look like for you to have nothing more to do with your idols and flee from them?
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  - *What am I afraid of? What is my greatest fear?*
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  - *Where do I run for comfort when life squeezes me?*

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