

The Carnal Christian Exposed

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1 Corinthians 3:1-3 Brothers, I could not address you as spiritual but as worldly--mere infants in Christ. 2 I gave you milk, not solid food, for you were not yet ready for it. Indeed, you are still not ready. 3 You are still worldly. For since there is jealousy and quarreling among you, are you not worldly? Are you not acting like mere men?

There are not nor ever were three categories of man

1. The Teaching - There Are Three Categories of Man in 1 Cor. 2:14-3:4

The Natural man - 2:14

The Spiritual man - 2:15

The Carnal man - 3:1-4

2. The Result of This Teaching

At home with sin

Optional holiness - Eph. 2:8-9 & James 2:26

No transformation

3. The Proper Approach to Understanding This Teaching

Follow two principles of sound Bible interpretation

Non-contradiction

See the obscure through the eyes of the clear

Look at the "CLEAR" passages on this subject

Romans 8:1-14

Galatians 5:16-25

Romans 6:15-22

Psalms 1

There are only two categories of man...which one are you?