

## **How Not to Ruin Communion**

1 Corinthians 11:17-34

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### **1. Don't ruin Communion by causing division**

- They had turned a sacred remembrance into a mindless routine
- Communion isn't just about your vertical relationship with God
- Communion is about your horizontal relationships in the Church

### **2. Don't ruin Communion by forgetting who it's about**

- **Luke 22:14-23**
- Communion is not a requirement for obtaining redemption
- Communion is a reminder for the redeemed
- You ruin Communion when you forget it's about Jesus

### **3. Don't ruin Communion by coming in an unworthy manner**

- Paul didn't say you must be worthy
- Paul did say don't participate in an unworthy manner

Examine yourself. Are you treating others with contempt? Are you trying to divide the body of Christ? Don't ruin communion. Go to that brother or sister and make it right.