

GOOD MANNERS

1 CORINTHIANS 13:4-7

1 CORINTHIANS 13:5

- does not act unbecomingly; (1 Cor. 13:5 NAU)
- or rude. (1 Cor. 13:5 ESV)
- It does not dishonor others, (1 Cor. 13:5 NIV)

SCHEMA

- as what may be known from without about a person or thing; (1) of persons *outward appearance, form, bearing* (PH 2.7); (2) of a way of life (*distinctive*) *form, nature, present scheme of things* (IC 7.31) (Friberg)
- ‘bearing, manner, deportment’ (BDAG)
- everything in a person which strikes the senses, the figure, bearing, discourse, actions, manner of life, etc., (Thayer)

THE WORD

- Being found in appearance as a man, He humbled Himself by becoming obedient to the point of death, even death on a cross. (Phil. 2:8 NAU)
- and those who use the world, as though they did not make full use of it; for the form of this world is passing away. (1 Cor. 7:31 NAU)

ASCHEMA

- 1) the noun σχῆμα refers to someth. that has a pattern or form, freq. of a type that the public considers standard or laudable; to act contrary to the standard=**behave disgracefully, dishonorably, indecently** (BDAG)
- 1) as defying moral standards *act disgracefully, behave improperly* (1C 7.36); (2) as defying social standards *be ill-mannered or rude* (1C 13.5) (Friberg)

ASCHEMA

- "He may beat him forty times *but* no more, so that he does not beat him with many more stripes than these and your brother is not degraded in your eyes. (Deut. 25:3 NAU)
- “naked and bare” – Ezekiel several passages
- I Cor. 7:36 & 13:5

LOVE IS...

- does not act unbecomingly; it does not seek its own, is not provoked, does not take into account a wrong *suffered*, (1 Cor. 13:5 NAU)
- Never pay back evil for evil to anyone. Respect what is right in the sight of all men. (Rom. 12:17 NAU)

IS THIS LOVE?

- Matthew 15:7, 12-14
- Matthew 23
- Acts 13:10
- To fail to correct can be the unloving thing to do.