

- Paul tells the Christians in Corinth to sing with the spirit and understanding.
- That does not mean an understanding of music in general!
- Today we will discuss why it is so important to sing with understanding.

• Singing with understanding is

EDUCATIONAL

- Colossians 3:16
- Do you know what you are singing?
- Are we sure that what we are singing is validated by Scripture?

• Singing with understanding is

EDIFYING

- I Corinthians 14:12
- Colossians 3:16
 - Admonish
 - Encourage, warn
 - Build up

Singing with understanding is

EXPECTED

- Corinthians 14:15
- This is acceptable worship to God
- We praise and offer thanksgiving to God through song. How empty is our worship when we don't pay attention to what we are singing?