

## COOCHIE COOCHIE COO

I Cor. 3:1-4

Paul is saying "I had to talk to you in baby talk". That makes me think of going up to a baby, tickling him under his chin and saying "coochie coochie coo".

"brethren" = were saved / "carnal" = pertaining to the flesh

1. **BABIES ARE DELIGHTFUL** v. 1 "brethren"

nothing better than a new born Christian

THEIR APPEARANCE / APPETITE / ACTIONS

2. **BABIES ARE DEPENDANT** v. 1 "could not speak unto you as spiritual"

v. 2 I have fed you with milk, and not with meat: for hitherto ye were not able *to bear it*, neither yet now are ye able.

Heb 5:12 For when for the time ye ought to be teachers, ye have need that one teach you again which *be* the first principles of the oracles of God; and are become such as have need of milk, and not of strong meat.

Jn 16:12 I have yet many things to say unto you, but ye cannot bear them now.

If you still can't feed yourself, you're in trouble

Have you learned to dig out truths from the bible on your own?

3. **BABIES ARE DIFFICULT** v. 3 "ye are yet carnal"

carnal = pertaining to the flesh

pouting / pacifiers / play pens / potties / pampers / poop / puke  
bibs / basinetts / blankies / booties / buggies / burps / bottles / boogers

A baby comes into this world screaming "take care of me" and "how do you plan to make me happy today"

IF YOU THINK YOU'RE THE ONLY ONE IN THE HOUSE THAT MATTERS YOU MIGHT BE A BABY

If a baby decides to cry at midnight he does. He doesn't care that mama has had a long day and needs sleep.

IF YOU HAVE TO BE HANDLED TENDERLY YOU MIGHT BE A BABY

A baby is easily offended. If someone doesn't speak to them in church they get offended.

IF YOU'RE YOUR CUTEST WHEN YOU'RE ASLEEP YOU MIGHT BE A BABY

v. 3 "walk as men" = you're acting a like lost person

YOU MAKE A MESS AND EXPECT SOMEONE ELSE TO CLEAN IT UP YOU MIGHT BE A BABY

YOU FALL DOWN A LOT YOU MIGHT BE A BABY

If the devil can trip you up with the same trap he has been using for years, you're a baby.

4. **BABIES ARE DISCIPLINED** v. 3

A loving parent will start disciplining their child as soon as it is old enough to understand

THEY DO IT BECAUSE OF LOVE the parent loves their child

THEY DO IT BECAUSE OF LIFE that child will have to face life soon. If they don't discipline it, it won't be ready for what life will demand.

5. **BABIES ARE DEVELOPING** v. 9 "ye are God's husbandry, ye are God's building"

Both the "husbandry" and the "building" speak of things that grow or are being developed.

HOW DO WE DEVELOP?

LIVE

Just live another day. Development takes time

LOOK

Watch others who are more mature. Find a godly saint to hang around

LISTEN

Listen to daddy. He really does know best

LEARN

Don't just hear, but apply what God says. Put it to practice