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Sermon Notes

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Romans chapter 14

Scripture quoted in the sermon (in order). Please study:

Mt. 7:1-2, 15-16 Jn. 7:24 Gen. 1:31 Isa. 5:20 Ps. 104:13-15 I Cor. 8:4-7 Mt. 15:11, 17-20	Acts 10:9-16 I Cor. 6:12 I Cor. 3:21b-22 I Tim 4:1-5 I Jn. 2:15 James 1:27 Rom. 8:4-9	
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"For a Christian to abstain from any food or drink thinking he is pleasing God is to exhibit weak faith. (Since occasional fasting is commended in the Bible, this is an exception.) Out of love, we should not compel people to violate their consciences to do something they think is wrong.

"However, what goes along with that plea for the weaker brother in many fundamentalist churches is "we should see things theologically the way the weaker brother does." Well, why do you think he's called the WEAKER brother by Paul? It's because Paul doesn't agree with him. We're supposed to agree with the stronger brother and out of love have regard for the weaker brother. We're not to agree with his outlook." -- Dr. Greg Bahnsen