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**First four chapters on one topic:
CHRIST ABOVE ALL THINGS**



The image is a vertical composition. The left side shows a close-up of a hand holding a small, light-colored seed just above a mound of dark, rich soil. The right side shows a hand pouring water from its palm onto a small green seedling that has grown out of the soil. The background is a soft, out-of-focus green, suggesting an outdoor setting. The text is centered in the upper half of the image, overlaid on a dark, semi-transparent rectangular area.

3:6

I planted,
Apollos watered,
but GOD
was causing the growth.

1 Corinthians 3:6-8

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Neither the one who plants nor the one who waters is anything, but God who causes the growth.

**He who plants and he who waters are one;
but each will receive his own reward according to his own labor.**



2 Timothy 4:2 Preach the word; be ready in season and out of season

Can you FORCE or INSURE that your church will grow?

Can you FORCE or INSURE that your kids will be Christians?

**Mt. 13 Seed on road eaten by birds, seed in shallow soil withered, seed with thorns choked out
EVEN FERTILE SOIL PRODUCES 30, 60, or 100 FOLD**



What was Corinthian church's biggest problem?

ARROGANCE / CONCEIT

What flowed out of their arrogance?

DIVISION

How many chapters did Paul spend on this problem?

FOUR !

