

✠ Unsheathing the SWORD ✠



Colossians

MEMORIZATION – Colossians 4:5 – “Be wise in the way you act toward outsiders; make the most of every opportunity.”

Chapter 1

1. From whom did the Colossians learn the gospel?
2. Who is the image of the invisible God?
3. Who is the first born over all creation?
4. By Jesus these things were created (circle all that apply):
 - a) all things
 - b) things in heaven
 - c) things on earth
 - d) visible things
 - e) invisible things
 - f) thrones
 - g) powers
 - h) rulers
 - i) authorities
5. Jesus is (circle all that apply):
 - a) the head of the body (the church)
 - b) the beginning
 - c) the firstborn from among the dead
6. Wow. “For God was pleased to have _____ dwell in Him, and through Him to _____ all

things, whether things on earth or things in heaven, by making peace
_____, shed on the cross.”

Chapter 2

1. “My purpose is that they may be encouraged in heart and united in love, so that they may have the _____ of complete understanding, in order that they may know the mystery of God, namely, _____, in whom are hidden all the treasures of _____ and _____.”

2. We are to continue to live in Christ Jesus “overflowing” with what?

3. Food, drink, religious festival, New Moon celebration, Sabbath day – what are these?

Chapter 3

1. In verse five what should be put to death?

2. In verse eight what should be gotten rid of?

3. With what are God’s chosen people to clothe themselves?

4. “Whatever you do, work at it with all your heart, _____, not for men, since you know that you will receive an inheritance from the Lord as a reward. _____ you are serving.”

Chapter 4

Extra credit: Notice those who are with Paul. Does any name surprise you? See Acts 13:1-5 and 13:15, and 15:36-41.

1. What is the name of Paul’s dear friend, the doctor?

Extra credit: Remember the pronoun changes in the book of Acts? Here in Colossians is another clue that Luke accompanied Paul on some of his journeys.

2. In verses 3, 10 and 18 we have a reminder that Paul's life was full of challenges.

- a) "...for which I am _____."
- b) "My _____..."
- c) "Remember my _____."

Extra credit: Paul was writing to the Colossians from what city and under what circumstance?

3. True or false: Paul signs off in his own handwriting.

4. Write out the last sentence of this book.

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