

## 2 **Colossians: Introduction**

E. Outline of the book:

1. Walk worthy of the Lord unto all pleasing 1:10
2. Ye are complete in Him 2:10
3. Christ is all and in all 3:11
4. That ye may stand perfect and complete 4:12

## 3 **Colossians Lesson Two 1:9-13**

9 For this cause we also, since the day we heard it, do not cease to pray for you, and to desire that ye might be filled with the knowledge of his will in all wisdom and spiritual understanding; 10 That ye might walk worthy of the Lord unto all pleasing, being fruitful in every good work, and increasing in the knowledge of God; 11 Strengthened with all might, according to his glorious power, unto all patience and longsuffering with joyfulness; 12 Giving thanks unto the Father, which hath made us meet to be partakers of the inheritance of the saints in light: 13 Who hath delivered us from the power of darkness, and hath translated us into the kingdom of his dear Son: Colossians 1:9-13

## 4 **Colossians Lesson Two 1:9-13**

Verse 9

For this cause we also, (1 Th 2:13; 1 Ti 1:16)

since the day we heard it,

do not cease to pray for you, *[sevenfold prayer follows]*

and to desire that ye might be filled with the knowledge of his will in all wisdom and spiritual understanding; (2:2; Eph 1:8; 2 Ti 2:7)

## 6 **Colossians Lesson Two 1:9-13**

Verse 10

That ye might walk worthy of the Lord unto all pleasing, being fruitful in every good work, and increasing in the knowledge of God;

- Ephesians 4:1 I therefore, the prisoner of the Lord, beseech you that ye walk worthy of the vocation wherewith ye are called,
- 1 Thessalonians 2:12 That ye would walk worthy of God, who hath called you unto his kingdom and glory.
- 1 Thessalonians 4:1 Furthermore then we beseech you, brethren, and exhort you by the Lord Jesus, that as ye have received of us how ye ought to walk and to please God, so ye would abound more and more.

## 7 **Colossians Lesson Two 1:9-13**

Verse 11

Strengthened with all might, (Eph 3:16)

according to his glorious power,

unto all patience and longsuffering with joyfulness;

- Isaiah 51:11 Therefore the redeemed of the LORD shall return, and come with singing unto Zion; and everlasting joy shall be upon their head: they shall obtain gladness and joy; and sorrow and mourning shall flee away.

## 8 **Colossians Lesson Two 1:9-13**

Verse 12

Giving thanks unto the Father, (Col 3:17)  
which hath made us meet (Eph 1:6)  
to be partakers of the inheritance of the saints in light: (3:24; Eph 1:11; 18)

10  **Colossians Lesson Two 1:9-13**

Verse 13

Who hath delivered us from the power of darkness,  
and hath translated us into the kingdom of <sup>t</sup>his dear Son:

- Ephesians 1:6 To the praise of the glory of his grace, wherein he hath made us accepted in the beloved.

11  **Colossians Lesson Two 1:9-13**

Some other things we have been delivered from:

- Wrath to come: 1 Thessalonians 1:10 And to wait for his Son from heaven, whom he raised from the dead, even Jesus, which delivered us from the wrath to come.
- Death: 2 Corinthians 1:10 Who delivered us from so great a death, and doth deliver: in whom we trust that he will yet deliver us;
- From unreasonable men: 2 Thessalonians 3:2 And that we may be delivered from unreasonable and wicked men: for all men have not faith.
- From the Law: Romans 7:6 But now we are delivered from the law, that being dead wherein we were held; that we should serve in newness of spirit, and not in the oldness of the letter.