

1 ☐ **Colossians**

Lesson Ten 2:18-23

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18 Let no man beguile you of your reward in a voluntary humility and worshipping of angels, intruding into those things which he hath not seen, vainly puffed up by his fleshly mind, 19 And not holding the Head, from which all the body by joints and bands having nourishment ministered, and knit together, increaseth with the increase of God. 20 Wherefore if ye be dead with Christ from the rudiments of the world, why, as though living in the world, are ye subject to ordinances, 21 (Touch not; taste not; handle not; 22 Which all are to perish with the using;) after the commandments and doctrines of men? 23 Which things have indeed a shew of wisdom in will worship, and humility, and neglecting of the body; not in any honour to the satisfying of the flesh. Colossians 2:18-23

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Verse 18

Let no man beguile you of your reward (2:4)

*in a voluntary humility and worshipping of angels, [*v. 23 will worship*]

intruding into those things which he hath not seen, (UW #82)

vainly puffed up by his fleshly mind, (1 Co 4:6, 8:1)

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#82 Intruding. First appeared in BIS and maintained by the KJB translators.

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Verse 19

And not holding the Head, (Eph 4:15)

from which all the body by joints and bands having nourishment ministered, (Eph 4:16, Heb 4:12, Pro 3:8)

and knit together, (2:2, FM: Jg 20:11)

increaseth with the increase of God.

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The Head

- Ephesians 4:15 But speaking the truth in love, may grow up into him in all things, which is the head, even Christ:

Joints and Bands

- Ephesians 4:16 From whom the whole body fitly joined together and compacted by that which every joint supplieth, according to the effectual working in the measure of every part, maketh increase of the body unto the edifying of itself in love.
- Hebrews 4:12 For the word of God is quick, and powerful, and sharper than any twoedged sword, piercing even to the dividing asunder of soul and spirit, and of the joints and marrow, and is a discernor of the thoughts and intents of the heart.
- Proverbs 3:8 It shall be health to thy navel, and marrow to thy bones.

Knit Together

- Judges 20:11 So all the men of Israel were gathered against the city, knit together as one man.

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Verse 20

Wherefore if ye be dead with Christ (Ro 6:8)

from the rudiments of the world, (Ga 4:9)

why, as though living in the world,

are ye subject to ordinances, (v. 14)

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Verses 21-22

(Touch not; taste not; handle not; (v.16; 1 Co 7:1; 1 Ti 4:3)

22 Which all are to perish with the using;

after the commandments and doctrines of men? (Mt 15:9)

- Matthew 15:9 But in vain they do worship me, teaching for doctrines the commandments of men.

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Verse 23

Which things have indeed a shew of wisdom in will worship, (v. 18)

and humility, and neglecting of the body;

not in any honour to the satisfying of the flesh. (Ga 6:12)

- Galatians 6:12 As many as desire to make a fair shew in the flesh, they constrain you to be circumcised; only lest they should suffer persecution for the cross of Christ.