

The Importance Of Christ

Colossians 2:1-15

1. Paul is in the midst of a great struggle on behalf of the Christians in Colosse (2:1). What does he hope will be the outcome of his struggle (2:2)?
2. Why is it so advantageous to have a full understanding of Jesus Christ (2:2-3)?
3. Describe, in your own words, how you and I need to live our Christian lives if we follow the example of the Colossians (2:5) and the exhortation of Paul (2:6-7).
4. Evidently some people were trying to deceive the Colossian Christians (2:4, 8). In what ways do people today attempt to deceive us?
5. How would you rephrase, in your own words, the statement of 2:9?
6. Why do we not need an alternative philosophy (2:10)?
7. In 2:11-13 there are five things that are true of us Christians because of our position in Christ and His having died on the Cross. What are they?
 - a.
 - b.
 - c.
 - d.
 - e.
8. What did Jesus' death on the cross do for us in regard to the LAW that had damned us (2:14)?
9. How was Jesus' death and resurrection a triumph over evil (2:15)?
10. What about our position as a believer in Christ is most meaningful to you personally?

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