



# Study of Colossians

A Doctrinal Statement of the Deity and  
Supremacy of Jesus Christ

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	<b>Christ Is Our Lord</b>		<b>... Our Life</b>	<b>... Our Love</b>
	Lord of creation <hr/>	Lord of our walk <hr/>	Our mind <hr/>	Love for "outsiders" <hr/>
	Lord of the church <hr/>	Lord of our salvation <hr/>	Our body <hr/>	Love for believers <hr/>
	Lord of ministry <hr/>	Lord of our growth <hr/>	Our attitude <hr/>	
	Our actions <hr/>			
	<i>CHAPTER</i> 1	<i>CHAPTER</i> 2	<i>CHAPTER</i> 3	<i>CHAPTER</i> 4
<b>Subject</b>	Instruction	Warnings	Exhortations	Reminders
<b>Christ</b>	His person and work		His peace and presence	
<b>Emphasis</b>	Doctrinal and corrective		Practical and reassuring	
<b>Theme</b>	Christ is our supreme Lord and sufficient Savior.			
<b>Key Verses</b>	2:9–10			
<b>Christ in Colossians</b>	Jesus is the supreme Lord of the church and the world, the all-sufficient Savior in whom the fullness of Deity dwells (1:13–20; 2:9).			

**What was the understanding of the heart during this time?**

**What are Paul's concerns?**

**What is knit together in Love?**

**Why is it important that we do not remain isolated?**

**What things are hidden?**

**Colossians 2:1-3** <sup>1</sup> For I want you to know what a great conflict I have for you and those in Laodicea, and *for* as many as have not seen my face in the flesh, <sup>2</sup> that their hearts may be encouraged, being knit together in love, and *attaining* to all riches of the full assurance of understanding, to the knowledge of the mystery of God, both of the Father and of Christ, <sup>3</sup> in whom are hidden all the treasures of wisdom and knowledge.

**What are persuasive words?**

**What does it mean to be absent in the flesh but with them in spirit?**

**What does Paul mean that they are in good order and steadfast?**

**How do they walk with Christ?**

**Colossians 2:4-7** <sup>4</sup> Now this I say lest anyone should deceive you with persuasive words. <sup>5</sup> For though I am absent in the flesh, yet I am with you in spirit, rejoicing to see your *good* order and the steadfastness of your faith in Christ. <sup>6</sup> As you therefore have received Christ Jesus the Lord, so walk in Him, <sup>7</sup> rooted and built up in Him and established in the faith, as you have been taught, abounding in it with thanksgiving.

**What is the definition of philosophy?**

**Where might the heresy have originated?**

**What are basic principles of the world?**

**Paul uses the word fullness that the Gnostics loved. What was their use of this word?**

**How does the fullness of God dwelling bodily refute Gnosticism?**

**Colossians 2:8-10** <sup>8</sup> Beware lest anyone cheat you through philosophy and empty deceit, according to the tradition of men, according to the basic principles of the world, and not according to Christ.

<sup>9</sup> For in Him dwells all the fullness of the Godhead bodily; <sup>10</sup> and you are complete in Him, who is the head of all principality and power.

**Thank you**

