

Colossians. Structure of section Cb, The Creations

- C a I :9-12. Prayer for worthy walk. Made worthy of and placed in inheritance,
b I:13-22. Christ pre-eminent
- D I:23-27. HID, the MYSTERY, God's will. Christ.
- E I:28-2:I. Paul's labour; Preaching WARNING, goal PERFECTION assurance
- F 2:2,3. HID. Treasures of wisdom and knowledge. Christ.
- G 2:4-23. WATCH OUT. Warnings and Defenses. Complete in Christ
- F 3:1-4. HID. Your life, with Christ.
- C b 3:5-15. Christ is all and in all.
 - a 3:16-4:2. Indwelling word brings worthy walk. Reward of inheritance.
 - D 4:3-11. The (hidden)MYSTERY, manifested by Paul, bondage, open door.
 - E 4:12,13. Epaphras's labour in prayer to stand PERFECT, mature, will of God.

C. b. 1:13-22 The Lord Christ, all things by Him and in Him

- 1. 1:13-14 US. Translation, from darkness to kingdom of the Son,
redemption thru His Blood, forgiveness
- 2. 1:15-17 IMAGE, invisible God.
Firstborn of all creation.
- 3. 1:16-17 Creation, by Him, heaven & earth, all things. Before all, in Him all subsists
- 2. 1:18 The BEGINNING, Head of the church which is His Body
Firstborn from the dead. Pre-eminent in all
- 3. 1:19-20 In Him all fullness. Peace & reconciliation of all in heaven & earth
- 1. 1:21-22 US. Alienated & enemies, Presentation, holy, without blemish, charge, in the light
through his flesh, death

C. b. 3:5-15. The Lord Christ, all things in our walk.

- 1. 3:5-9. US. Put to death, put off, once walked
- 2. 3:10 IMAGE, creation, put on
- 3. 3:11 Christ is all things in all, reconciliation of Jews & Gentiles
- 2. 3:12-14 Elect of God, put on, above all love the bond of maturity
- 1. 3:15 US, peace, called in one body,