

Colossians Series

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COLOSSIANS:
Jesus Christ is All-Sufficient

Prayer, Wisdom, Final Greetings
Colossians 4:2–18

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Mark 3:9, “So He told His disciples that a small boat should be kept ready for Him because of the multitude, lest they should crush Him.”

Acts 10:7, “And when the angel who spoke to him had departed, Cornelius called two of his household servants and a devout soldier from among those who waited on him continually.”

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Acts 2:42, “And they continued steadfastly in the apostles’ doctrine and fellowship, in the breaking of bread, and in prayers.”

Acts 6:4, “but we [the apostles] will give ourselves continually to prayer and to the ministry of the word.”

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**Rom. 12:12, “rejoicing in hope, patient in tribulation,
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γρηγορέω *grēgoreō*

pres act part masc plur nom

to be or become alert, awake

Matt. 24:42, “Watch therefore, for you do not know what hour your Lord is coming.

Matt. 24:43, “But know this, that if the master of the house had known what hour the thief would come, he would have watched and not allowed his house to be broken into.”

Matt. 25:13, “Watch therefore, for you know neither the day nor the hour in which the Son of Man is coming.”

Mark 14:34, “Then He said to them, ‘My soul is exceedingly sorrowful, even to death. Stay here and watch.’ ”

Mark 14:37, “Then He came and found them sleeping, and said to Peter, ‘Simon, are you sleeping? Could you not watch one hour?’ ”

Mark 14:38, “ ‘Watch and pray, lest you enter into temptation. The spirit indeed is willing, but the flesh is weak.’ ”

1 Cor. 16:13, “Watch, stand fast in the faith, be brave, be strong.”

1 Pet. 5:8, “Be sober, be vigilant; because your adversary the devil walks about like a roaring lion, seeking whom he may devour.”

Phil. 4:6, “Be anxious for nothing, but in everything by prayer and supplication, with thanksgiving, let your requests be made known to God;”

1 Tim. 2:1, “Therefore I exhort first of all that supplications, prayers, intercessions, and giving of thanks be made for all men,”

1 Thess. 5:17, “pray without ceasing,

1 Thess. 5:18, “in everything give thanks; for this is the will of God in Christ Jesus for you.”

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