

Walking in Faith



Colossians 2:6-15

⁶Therefore, as you received Christ Jesus the Lord, so walk in him, ⁷rooted and built up in him and established in the faith, just as you were taught, abounding in thanksgiving.

⁸See to it that no one takes you captive by philosophy and empty deceit, according to human tradition, according to the elemental spirits of the world, and not according to Christ. ⁹For in him the whole fullness of deity dwells bodily, ¹⁰and you have been filled in him, who is the head of all rule and authority. ¹¹In him also you were circumcised with a circumcision made without hands, by putting off the body of the flesh, by the circumcision of Christ, ¹²having been buried with him in baptism, in which you were also raised with him through faith in the powerful working of God, who raised him from the dead. ¹³And you, who were dead in your trespasses and the uncircumcision of your flesh, God made alive together with him, having forgiven us all our trespasses, ¹⁴by canceling the record of debt that stood against us with its legal demands. This he set aside, nailing it to the cross. ¹⁵He disarmed the rulers and authorities and put them to open shame, by triumphing over them in him.

1. Look at 2 Corinthians 11:4 and Galatians 1:6. What is Paul's point in Colossians 2:6??

2. What does Paul mean when he says "walk" in Christ?

3. How does our “walk” in Christ progress? (Field Trip)

4. What does Paul warn them about? Where might we encounter this?

5. What does 2 Corinthians 10:5 say about these thoughts and philosophy?

6. What is the contrast in verses eight and nine between emptiness and fullness?

7. What was circumcision? Read Romans 2:29 and Ephesians 2:11. What happened in our circumcision?

8. What did the Lord do for us who were dead in trespasses?

9. What did the Lord do to His enemies?
