

Colossians

“Christ the Fullness of God”

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Col 2:11 When you came to Christ, you were “circumcised,” but not by a physical procedure. Christ performed a spiritual circumcision—the cutting away of your sinful nature. *(Dt 10:16, 30:6, Jer 4:4, 9:26)*

12 For you were buried with Christ when you were baptized. And with Him you were raised to new life because you trusted the mighty power of God, who raised Christ from the dead. *(Rom 6:3-8)*

13 You were dead because of your sins and because your sinful nature was not yet cut away. Then God made you alive with Christ, for He forgave all our sins.

Col 2:11 En él también fuisteis circuncidados con una circuncisión no hecha con manos, al despojaros del cuerpo pecaminoso carnal mediante la circuncisión que viene de Cristo.

12 Fuisteis sepultados juntamente con él en el bautismo, en el cual también fuisteis resucitados juntamente con él, por medio de la fe en el poder de Dios que lo levantó de entre los muertos.

13 Mientras vosotros estabais muertos en los delitos y en la incircuncisión de vuestra carne, Dios os dio vida juntamente con él, perdonándonos todos los delitos.

avoid Spiritism

2:14-19

Col 2:14 He canceled the record of the charges against us and took it away by nailing it to the cross.

15 In this way,

He disarmed the spiritual rulers and authorities.

He shamed them publicly

by His victory over them on the cross.

16 So don't let anyone condemn you for what you eat or drink, or for not celebrating certain holy days or new moon ceremonies or Sabbaths. (*Law/Torah*)

17 For these rules are only shadows of the reality yet to come. And Christ himself is that reality.

Col 2:14 El anuló el acta que había contra nosotros, que por sus decretos nos era contraria, y la ha quitado de en medio al clavarla en su cruz.

15 También despojó a los principados y autoridades, y los exhibió como espectáculo público, habiendo triunfado sobre ellos en la cruz.

16 Por tanto, nadie os juzgue en asuntos de comida o de bebida, o respecto a días de fiesta, lunas nuevas o sábados.

17 Todo ello es sólo una sombra de lo porvenir, pero la realidad pertenece a Cristo.

1 - Ex 20:3 You shall have no other gods before Me.

#2 - Ex 20:4 You shall not make to yourselves any graven image,
or any likeness of anything that is in the heavens above,
or that is in the earth beneath,
or that is in the water under the earth.

5 You shall not bow yourself down to them, nor serve them.

For I Jehovah your God am a jealous God,
visiting the iniquity of the fathers upon the sons
to the third and fourth generation of those that hate me,

6 and showing mercy to thousands of those
that love Me and keep My commandments. (MKJV)

#1 - Ex 20:3 "No tendrás otros dioses delante de mí.

#2 - Ex 20:4 "No te harás imagen,
ni ninguna semejanza de lo que esté arriba en el cielo,
ni abajo en la tierra, ni en las aguas debajo de la tierra.

5 No te inclinarás ante ellas ni les rendirás culto,
porque yo soy Jehovah tu Dios,

un Dios celoso que castigo la maldad de los padres sobre los hijos,
sobre la tercera y sobre la cuarta generación de los que me
aborrecen.

6 Pero muestro misericordia por mil generaciones
a los que me aman y guardan mis mandamientos.

Dt 4:23 Take heed to yourselves, lest you forget the covenant of Jehovah your God, which He made with you, and make you a graven image, a likeness of anything which Jehovah your God has forbidden you.

24 For Jehovah your God is a consuming fire, a jealous God.

25 When you father sons and sons of sons, and when you shall have remained long in the land and have dealt corruptly by making a graven image, the likeness of anything, and shall do evil in the sight of Jehovah your God, to provoke Him to anger,

26 I call Heaven and earth to witness against you this day,

De 4:23 Cuidaos, pues, no sea que olvidéis el pacto de Jehovah vuestro Dios, que él ha establecido con vosotros, y os hagáis imágenes o cualquier semejanza, como te ha prohibido Jehovah tu Dios.

24 Porque Jehovah tu Dios es fuego consumidor, un Dios celoso.

25 "Cuando hayáis engendrado hijos y nietos, y hayáis envejecido en la tierra, y os corrompáis, y hagáis imágenes o cualquier semejanza, y hagáis lo malo ante los ojos de Jehovah tu Dios, enojándole,

26 yo pongo hoy por testigos a los cielos y a la tierra,

Gal 3:17 This is what I am trying to say: The agreement God made with Abraham could not be canceled 430 years later when God gave the law to Moses. God would be breaking his promise.

18 For if the inheritance could be received by keeping the law, then it would not be the result of accepting God's promise. But God graciously gave it to Abraham as a promise. (Gen 12, 15, 17)

19 Why, then, was the law given? It was given alongside the promise to show people their sins. But the law was designed to last only until the coming of the child who was promised.

*God gave His law through angels to Moses,
who was the mediator between God and the people. (1Cor 6:3)*

Ga 3:17 And I say this, A covenant having been ratified to Christ by God in Christ, the Law (coming into being four hundred and thirty years after) does not annul the promise, so as to abolish it.

18 For if the inheritance is of Law, it is no more of promise; but God gave it to Abraham by way of promise.

19 Why then the Law? It was added because of transgressions, until the Seed should come to those to whom it had been promised, being ordained through angels in the Mediator's hand.

*Jos 24:15 And if it seems evil to you to serve Jehovah,
choose this day whom you will serve,
whether the gods which your fathers served
beyond the River,
or the gods of the Amorites
in whose land you live.
But as for me and my house,
we will serve Jehovah. (MKJV)*

*Jos 24:15 Pero si os parece mal servir a Jehovah,
escogeos hoy a quién sirváis:
si a los dioses a los cuales servían vuestros padres
cuando estaban al otro lado del Río,
o a los dioses de los amorreos
en cuya tierra habitáis.
Pero yo y mi casa
serviremos a Jehovah.*

Col 2:18 Don't let anyone condemn you by insisting on pious self-denial or the worship of angels, saying they have had visions about these things. Their sinful minds have made them proud,
19 and they are not connected to Christ, the head of the body. For He holds the whole body together with its joints and ligaments, and it grows as God nourishes it.

Col 2:18 Nadie os prive de vuestro premio, fingiendo humildad y culto a los ángeles, haciendo alarde de lo que ha visto, vanamente hinchado por su mente carnal;
19 y no aferrándose a la cabeza, de la cual todo el cuerpo, nutrido y unido por coyunturas y ligamentos, crece con el crecimiento que da Dios.

Col 2:20 You have died with Christ, and He has set you free from the spiritual powers of this world. So why do you keep on following the rules of the world, such as,

21 “Don’t handle! Don’t taste! Don’t touch!”?

22 Such rules are mere human teachings about things that deteriorate as we use them.

23 These rules may seem wise because they require strong devotion, pious self-denial, and severe bodily discipline. But they provide no help in conquering a person’s evil desires.

Col 2:20 Siendo que vuestra muerte con Cristo os separó de los principios elementales del mundo, ¿por qué, como si aún vivieseis en el mundo, os sometéis a ordenanzas como:

21 "No uses, ni gustes, ni toques"?

22 Tales cosas son destinadas a perecer con el uso, pues son según los mandamientos y las doctrinas de hombres.

23 De hecho, semejantes prácticas tienen reputación de ser sabias en una cierta religiosidad, en la humillación y en el duro trato del cuerpo; pero no tienen ningún valor contra la sensualidad.

