

The Sufficiency of Christ

Colossians 2:9-15

Introduction:

John 10:10 *The thief comes only to steal, and kill, and destroy; I came that they might have life, and might have it abundantly.*

Ephesians 1:3 *Blessed be the God and Father of our Lord Jesus Christ, who has blessed us with every spiritual blessing in the heavenly places in Christ,*

#1-The _____ of Christ 9-10

John 1:16 *For of His fulness we have all received, and grace upon grace.*

Ephesians 3:19 *and to know the love of Christ which surpasses knowledge, that you may be filled up to all the fulness of God.*

Ephesians 4:13 *until we all attain ... to the measure of the stature which belongs to the fulness of Christ.*

2 Peter 1:4 *He has granted to us His precious and magnificent promises, in order that by them you might become partakers of the divine nature, having escaped the corruption that is in the world by lust*

Romans 13:1 *Let every person be in subjection to the governing authorities. For there is no authority except from God, and those which exist are established by God.*

2 Peter 1:3, *seeing that His divine power has granted to us everything pertaining to life and godliness, through the true knowledge of Him who called us by His own glory and excellence.*

#2-The _____ of Being in Christ

1st –Total _____ 11-12

1-Christ breaks the _____ of sin 11

Jeremiah 4:4 *Circumcise yourselves to the Lord and remove the foreskins of your heart, Men of Judah*

Acts 7:51 *You men who are stiff-necked and uncircumcised in heart and ears are always resisting the Holy Spirit; you are doing just as your fathers did.*

Romans 2:29 *he is a Jew who is one inwardly; and circumcision is that which is of the heart, by the Spirit, not by the letter...*

Romans 6:6 *knowing this, that our old self was crucified with Him, that our body of sin might be done away with, that we should no longer be slaves to sin.*

2 Corinthians 5:17 *if any man is in Christ, he is a new creature; the old things passed away; behold, new things have come.*

Luke 1:37 *For nothing will be impossible with God.*

Phil 4:13 *I can do all things through Him who strengthens me.*

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2-Christ gives us a new _____ 12

1 Corinthians 12:13 *For by one Spirit we were all baptized into one body, whether Jews or Greeks, whether slaves or free, and we were all made to drink of one Spirit.*

Romans 10:9 *if you confess with your mouth Jesus as Lord, and believe in your heart that God raised Him from the dead, you shall be saved;*

2nd – Complete _____ 13-14

1-Christ makes the dead _____ 13

Ephesians 2:1 And you were dead in your trespasses and sins,

*** Transgressions**

*** Our fallen nature that wants to sin**

2-Christ makes the guilty _____ 14

Romans is 6:11 Even so consider yourselves to be dead to sin, but alive to God in Christ Jesus.

3rd – Finished _____ 15

Romans 8:37-39 *But in all these things we overwhelmingly conquer through Him who loved us. 38 For I am convinced that neither death, nor life, nor angels, nor principalities, nor things present, nor things to come, nor powers, 39 nor height, nor depth, nor any other created thing, shall be able to separate us from the love of God, which is in Christ Jesus our Lord.*

Conclusion:

#1-By Faith, Practice your _____ in Christ

#2-Repent of any _____ apart from Christ

#3-Trust in Christ for _____