

**Introduction to Colossians**  
(Colossians 1:1-3)

1. The Book of Colossians was a letter written by Paul the Apostle to a small-town \_\_\_\_\_ church located in Colossae (Col. 1:1-3)
2. Where is Colossae and what do we need to know about this town?
3. This church was led by a man named Epaphras who came to Paul for \_\_\_\_\_ and was imprisoned with him in Rome (Col. 1:7; 4:12; Phile. 1:23).
4. Paul wrote the Colossian letter between \_\_\_\_\_ along with the letters to the Ephesians, Philippians, and Philemon from prison in Rome.
5. The theme of Colossians is the \_\_\_\_\_ and the \_\_\_\_\_ of Jesus Christ.
6. The message of this letter is to encourage the believers in Colossae, and the neighboring churches, to continue with a full understanding of the supremacy and sufficiency of Jesus Christ, and that nothing else is needed because the Christian is complete in Him! Therefore, the Christian is encouraged to exhibit a \_\_\_\_\_ life as we focus upon our unchangeable position in Christ.

7. The key verses of Colossians are \_\_\_\_\_ and \_\_\_\_\_.

8. The keyword found in the letter to the Colossians is \_\_\_\_\_.

9. The letters to the Ephesians and to the Colossians are similar in nature but with a different \_\_\_\_\_.

10. Why does this book matter to me?

- Every Christian must to know their \_\_\_\_\_ in Christ and that we are \_\_\_\_\_ in Him.
- Every Christian must know the \_\_\_\_\_ good enough to detect the deception of false teaching.
- Every Christian must should live \_\_\_\_\_ in light of the truth of our position in Christ.