

Colossians 2

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2 For I would that ye knew what great conflict I have for you, and for them at Laodicea, and for as many as have not seen my face in the flesh; (conflict – can also be translated – care or concern) (Laodicea= justice for the people)

²That their hearts might be comforted, being knit together in love, and unto all riches of the full assurance of understanding, to the acknowledgement of the mystery of God, and of the Father, and of Christ; (The Father and Christ are one God in two forms – not two Gods. God came to us in the flesh to teach us and to give us salvation, if we choose it)

³In whom are hid all the treasures of wisdom and knowledge. (The Key of David – The lineage of Jesus, versus the lineage of Satan through the Kenites)

⁴And this I say, lest any man should beguile you with enticing words. (Teaching the rapture to deceive people; our job will be to stand against antichrist so that the Holy Spirit can speak through us; not to fly away when the world will most need to hear the truth)

(They have also changed Passover to Easter. Easter is taken from a heathen holiday to Ishtar – the pagan goddess of heaven and of fertility. They baked cakes, and participated in a sunrise orgy to promote fertility in their women. They decorated and rolled eggs)

⁵For though I be absent in the flesh, yet am I with you in the spirit, joying and beholding your order, and the stedfastness of your faith in Christ. (The truth is the truth. It's not negotiable or modifiable)

⁶As ye have therefore received Christ Jesus the Lord, so walk ye in him: (In your daily life; not just on Sunday morning. Include God in your life)

⁷Rooted and built up in him, and stablished in the faith, as ye have been taught, abounding therein with thanksgiving. (Be thankful for your salvation. Jesus paid a high price for it)

⁸ Beware lest any man spoil you through philosophy and vain deceit, after the tradition of men, after the rudiments of the world, and not after Christ. (rudiments of the world= the evil elements of this world) (Stay away from religious con men)

⁹ For in him dwelleth all the fulness of the Godhead bodily. (One God – many offices – The Father, Jesus, Melchizedek, thee Holy Spirit, the Angel of God; Jesus is not God’s “son” as so many preachers teach. Jesus was God in the flesh) Isaiah-7:14 (Immanuel = God with us) also John-14:9-11

¹⁰ And ye are complete in him, which is the head of all principality and power: (God <Yahoveh> is the King of the universe. There is no other god) Exodus-3:14 (I Am That I Am = Yahoveh – YHVH)

¹¹ In whom also ye are circumcised with the circumcision made without hands, in putting off the body of the sins of the flesh by the circumcision of Christ: (Religious circumcision was done away with as with all animal sacrifices. Jesus fulfilled all blood ordinances when He was crucified. HE became the Passover Lamb for all time. When we take communion, we are having the Passover meal with God)

¹² Buried with him in baptism, wherein also ye are risen with him through the faith of the operation of God, who hath raised him from the dead. (Baptism is symbolic for the crucifixion and resurrection of Jesus) (operation= energy, power – better translation) (Our faith draws power from God to strengthen us to do His work)

(Jesus is God. They could kill His flesh, but they can’t kill God. Jesus proved that to all men when He resurrected and walked with the apostles)

¹³ And you, being dead in your sins and the uncircumcision of your flesh, hath he quickened together with him, having forgiven you all trespasses; (Spiritually dead in your sins – now, having repented and being forgiven; you are made alive <quickened> spiritually)

¹⁴ Blotting out the handwriting of ordinances that was against us, which was contrary to us, and took it out of the way, nailing it to his cross; (Jesus fulfilled all the blood ordinances as the perfect sacrifice on the

cross – the Ten Commandments <the Law> are still in effect. Jesus said – “I change not one jot or tittle of the Law, until it be fulfilled”) Mathew-5:18

¹⁵ And having spoiled principalities and powers, he made a shew of them openly, triumphing over them in it. (The principalities are Satan and his Kenites; also any corrupt preachers who get rich by teaching traditions of men instead of the Word of God, chapter by chapter, verse by verse)

¹⁶ Let no man therefore judge you in meat, or in drink, or in respect of an holyday, or of the new moon, or of the sabbath days: (We no longer sacrifice meat and drink on the Sabbath or on feast days)

¹⁷ Which are a shadow of things to come; but the body is of Christ. (Today, we take communion as a sacrificial meal with God. In the Third Age, we will actually be in God’s presence)

¹⁸ Let no man beguile you of your reward in a voluntary humility and worshipping of angels, intruding into those things which he hath not seen, vainly puffed up by his fleshly mind, (Paul had a lot of competition from fake preachers, setting up their own denominations. Don’t let con men fool you with their made up doctrines. EXAMPLES – rapture doctrine, Easter instead of Passover)

¹⁹ And not holding the Head, from which all the body by joints and bands having nourishment ministered, and knit together, increaseth with the increase of God. (Jesus Christ is the head of the true Christian church; world-wide. There should be no “denominations”. Only one church, teaching the true Word of God)

²⁰ Wherefore if ye be dead with Christ from the rudiments of the world, why, as though living in the world, are ye subject to ordinances, (We’re not. We are spiritually dead in the ways of the world; and spiritually alive in Christ) (These are ordinances, not the law)

²¹ (Touch not; taste not; handle not; (Stay away from the sins and perversions of the world)

²² Which all are to perish with the using;) after the commandments and doctrines of men? (These are not the commandments of God)

²³ Which things have indeed a shew of wisdom in will worship, and humility, and neglecting of the body: not in any honour to the satisfying of the flesh. (Self worship and self humility – Holier than thou; Ego-driven fake preachers and their doctrines, preach from their own imaginations)