

**Complete in Christ (Colossians 2:6-10)**

Command	How?	Why?
_____ in Him (vv. 6-7)		
See that no one takes you _____ (vv. 8-10)		

**Take-Away**

We are to \_\_\_\_\_ in Christ – as we received Him

- We received Him \_\_\_\_\_ in Him (Jn. 1:12; 20:31)
- We walk by \_\_\_\_\_ – the “\_\_\_\_\_” Christian life
- Why should faith be “normal” for the believer?
  - 1) Our roots are \_\_\_\_\_ (through faith in Him)
  - 2) We \_\_\_\_\_ / are sanctified by \_\_\_\_\_ in Him (Rom. 1:17)
  - 3) Everything we receive from God is through \_\_\_\_\_  
 2 Cor. 5:7 / Gal. 2:20 / Gal. 5:16 / Heb. 12:1-2
- \*\* Living by faith takes \_\_\_\_\_  
 Never give up on seeking the Lord by faith \_\_\_\_\_

**Theology** \_\_\_\_\_

- Christ is \_\_\_\_\_ – human philosophy is not
- \_\_\_\_\_ of deity is in Christ – human philosophy is \_\_\_\_\_
- I am \_\_\_\_\_ in Him
- Watch out for \_\_\_\_\_ ideas in my life
- Watch out for deceptive philosophy and \_\_\_\_\_ in the church
- \*\* Deception can be avoided if...

**Discussion Questions: Colossians 2:6-10**

1. Read the following passages that speak of how the Christian is to walk (Gk. *peripate'o*). Then explain how each directive is connected to living by faith.
  - Galatians 5:16
  - Ephesians 5:2
  - Colossians 1:10
  - 1 Thessalonians 4:1
  - 1 John 1:6-7
  - Romans 8:4
  - 2 Corinthians 5:7
  
2. Read Colossians 2:8-10 again.
  - a) What are some steps we can take to apply this to the education of our children?
  
  - b) What are some steps I discern I need to take in my own life learning?
  
3. What is *one thing* you definitely want to take away with you from today’s message?

How do you plan to follow through on that *one thing*?