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**THE GLORY OF THE  
LORD JESUS CHRIST!**

Col. 1:19-23

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<sup>19</sup> For it was the Father's good pleasure for all the fullness to dwell in Him, <sup>20</sup> and through Him to reconcile all things to Himself, having made peace through the blood of His cross; through Him, I say, whether things on earth or things in heaven. <sup>21</sup> And although you were formerly alienated and hostile in mind, engaged in evil deeds, <sup>22</sup> yet He has now reconciled you in His fleshly body through death, in order to present you before Him holy and blameless and beyond reproach—

## Colossians 1:19-23 contd.

<sup>23</sup> if indeed you continue in the faith firmly established and steadfast, and not moved away from the hope of the gospel that you have heard, which was proclaimed in all creation under heaven, and of which I, Paul, was made a minister.

### **Focal Truth:**

The Lord Jesus Christ is the reconciler of Holy God to sinful man.

1. God the Father is well pleased with the Lord Jesus Christ - the reconciler.

For it was the Father's good pleasure for all the fullness to dwell in Him, and through Him to reconcile all things to Himself, having made peace through the blood of His cross; through Him, I say, whether things on earth or things in heaven. Col. 1:19-20

- All the fullness of God is in Him. –  
Col. 1:19
- He brings peace through the cross. –  
Col. 1:20

## 2. Sinful man lives separated from Holy God.

And although you were formerly alienated and hostile in mind, engaged in evil deeds.

Col. 1:21

But God demonstrates His own love toward us, in that while we were yet sinners, Christ died for us. Rom. 5:8

- Alienated from God
- Hostile in mind
- Living in evil deeds

### 3. Reconciled sinners have a new relationship with God.

...yet He has now reconciled you in His fleshly body through death, in order to present you before Him holy and blameless and beyond reproach. Col. 1:22

Now all these things are from God, who reconciled us to Himself through Christ and gave us the ministry of reconciliation.

2 Cor.5:18

### 3. Reconciled sinners have a new relationship with God.

- Reconciled to God by the death of Christ
- A holy one to God
- A blameless one to God
- A faultless one to God

## Daily Use: Col. 1:23

- Be reconciled to God by faith in the Lord Jesus Christ.
- Live confidently in your relationship with God.
- Thank the Lord for His work of reconciling you to God.



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