

Worship Guide: May 24, 2020

Colossians 1:15-20 "*Jesus Christ: Supremacy in All Things Pt. 2*"

Introduction: (Verse 15-17)

Christ's Supremacy as Creator and Firstborn Over Creation

The Son is... (Verse 18)

- 1) The _____ of the body.
 - a. Who is the body?

- 2) The _____ from among the dead.
 - a. Who are the dead?

There is no state of existence that Christ is not Supreme.

The Unique Person of Christ (Verse 19)

- 1) Jesus is one _____ with two _____.
 - a. He is fully _____.
 - b. He is fully _____.

- 2) Because He is both man and God, He is...
 - a. _____ with your sufferings and temptations.
 - b. _____ us in our weakness.
 - c. _____ death and its power.

The Only Reconciler of God and Man (Verse 20)

- 1) The effects of the fall are _____.

- 2) The peace of the cross goes _____.

- 3) Could God have done it a different way?

*There is no other way to God, than through the peace that Christ gives.
And there is no way to make that peace, than through the precious blood
of the God Man, Jesus Christ.*

Conclusion:

The gospel proclaims peace to all mankind. A peace that surpasses every earthly trial. It begins with total submission to the Supremacy of Christ.

May we find peace, with God and man, in submission to Jesus.

Activities for Kids

- 1) Who is Jesus according to this week *and* last week's sermon?

- 2) Try to explain how Jesus is both fully God and fully man.

- 3) Draw a picture of God's relationship with us as enemies, and His relationship with us after being reconciled.

- 4) What is one way you can submit to Christ this week at home?

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Questions for Families, Couples, and Friends

Colossians 1:15-20

- 1) **(Reflection)** For two weeks we have looked at the supremacy of Christ. Given Jesus' greatness in all things, what surprises you most about having a personal relationship with Him?

- 2) **(The Person of Christ)** How would you explain who Jesus is to someone who was struggling with the idea that Jesus is both man and God?

- 3) **(The Person of Christ)** Because Jesus is fully man, He is sympathetic, gracious, and helpful in our fight with the weakness of the flesh. Where is that an encouragement in your life right now?

- 4) **(Reconciliation)** What is the reason for there not being another way to salvation other than through the God-Man Jesus Christ?

- 5) **(Peace with God)** Having peace with God is the greatest good news that there is for sinful men. How does peace with God affect your life right now? Does that good news permeate your life as much as you would like it to? How might you experience greater peace in life through the gospel?