

## PUTTING ON YOUR NEW SELF

Colossians 3:5-17 // Dr. Ron Jones

Are you dressed for \_\_\_\_\_?

1. Put off the \_\_\_\_\_ of the \_\_\_\_\_.

*Put to death therefore what is earthly in you: sexual immorality, impurity, passion, evil desire, and covetousness, which is idolatry. <sup>6</sup> On account of these the wrath of God is coming. <sup>7</sup> In these you too once walked, when you were living in them. <sup>8</sup> But now you must put them all away: anger, wrath, malice, slander, and obscene talk from your mouth. <sup>9</sup> Do not lie to one another, seeing that you have put off the old self with its practice ... COLOSSIANS 3:5-9; ROMANS 6:11-12; HEBREWS 12:1-2; MATTHEW 5:29*

These sins belong to the old life and have no place in our new life in Christ. WARREN WIERSBE

2. Put on the \_\_\_\_\_ of the \_\_\_\_\_.

*Put on then, as God's chosen ones, holy and beloved, compassionate hearts, kindness, humility, meekness, and patience, <sup>13</sup> bearing with one another and, if one has a complaint against another, forgiving each other; as the Lord has forgiven you, so you also must forgive. <sup>14</sup> And above all these put on love, which binds everything together in perfect harmony. COL. 3:10-14*

3. Embrace your \_\_\_\_\_ in Christ.

*Put on then, as God's chosen ones, holy and beloved ... as the Lord has forgiven you.* COLOSSIANS 3:12f

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4. Renew your \_\_\_\_\_ with the \_\_\_\_\_.

*And have put on the new self, which is being renewed in knowledge after the image of its creator.* COLOSSIANS 3:10 ESV

*Let the word of Christ dwell in you richly, teaching and admonishing one another in all wisdom, singing psalms and hymns and spiritual songs, with thankfulness in your hearts to God.* COLOSSIANS 3:16 ESV

5. Get connected in \_\_\_\_\_.

*Here there is not Greek and Jew, circumcised and uncircumcised, barbarian, Scythian, slave, free; but Christ is all, and in all.*

- “one another” v. 13 and 16
- “one body” v. 15