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Παῦλος ἀπόστολος Ἰησοῦ χριστοῦ διὰ θελήματος θεοῦ, καὶ Τιμόθεος¹ ὁ 1 ἀδελφός, τοῖς ἐν Κολασσαῖς² ἁγίοις καὶ πιστοῖς ἀδελφοῖς ἐν χριστῷ: 2 χάρις ὑμῖν καὶ εἰρήνη ἀπὸ θεοῦ πατρὸς ἡμῶν καὶ κυρίου Ἰησοῦ χριστοῦ.

Εὐχαριστοῦμεν τῷ θεῷ καὶ πατρὶ τοῦ κυρίου ἡμῶν Ἰησοῦ χριστοῦ, 3 πάντοτε περὶ ὑμῶν προσευχόμενοι, ἀκούσαντες τὴν πίστιν ὑμῶν ἐν 4 χριστῷ Ἰησοῦ, καὶ τὴν ἀγάπην τὴν εἰς πάντας τοὺς ἀγίους, διὰ τὴν 5 ἐλπίδα τὴν ἀποκειμένην³ ὑμῖν ἐν τοῖς οὐρανοῖς, ἣν προηκούσατε⁴ ἐν τῷ λόγῳ τῆς ἀληθείας τοῦ εὐαγγελίου, τοῦ παρόντος⁵ εἰς ὑμᾶς, καθὼς καὶ 6 ἐν παντὶ τῷ κόσμῳ, καὶ ἔστιν καρποφορούμενον⁶ καὶ αὐξανόμενον, καθὼς καὶ ἐν ὑμῖν ἀφ' ῆς ἡμέρας ἡκούσατε καὶ ἐπέγνωτε τὴν χάριν τοῦ θεοῦ ἐν ἀληθείᾳ: καθὼς καὶ ἐμάθετε⁵ ἀπὸ Ἐπαφρᾶ¹ τοῦ ἀγαπητοῦ 7 συνδούλου¹⁰ ἡμῶν, ὅς ἐστιν πιστὸς ὑπὲρ ὑμῶν διάκονος τοῦ χριστοῦ, ὁ 8 καὶ δηλώσας¹¹ ἡμῖν τὴν ὑμῶν ἀγάπην ἐν πνεύματι.

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¹ Τιμόθεος, ου, ὁ, Timothy. ² Κολοσσαί, ὧν, ἡ, Colossae. ³ ἀπόκειμαι, be laid up, put away. ⁴προακούω, hear beforehand. ⁵πάρειμι, be present, have arrived. ⁶ καρποφορέω, bear fruit. ⊓ αὐξάνω, cause to grow, increase. Ἦμανθάνω, learn, ascertain. Ἦπαφρᾶς, ᾶ, ὁ, Epaphras. ¹¹ σύνδουλος, ου, ὁ, fellow slave, fellow servant. ¹¹ δηλόω, show, make clear.

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Διὰ τοῦτο καὶ ἡμεῖς, ἀφ' ῆς ἡμέρας ἠκούσαμεν, οὐ παυόμεθα 1 ὑπὲρ ὑμῶν 9 προσευχόμενοι, καὶ αἰτούμενοι ἵνα πληρωθῆτε τὴν ἐπίγνωσιν 2 τοῦ θελήματος αὐτοῦ ἐν πάση σοφία καὶ συνέσει 3 πνευματικῆ, 4 10 περιπατήσαι ύμᾶς ἀξίως τοῦ κυρίου εἰς πᾶσαν ἀρέσκειαν, έν παντὶ ἔργω ἀγαθῷ καρποφοροῦντες καὶ αὐξανόμενοι εἰς τὴν ἐπίγνωσιν τοῦ θεοῦ: ἐν πάση δυνάμει δυναμούμενοι κατὰ τὸ κράτος 10 τῆς δόξης αὐτοῦ, 11εἰς πᾶσαν ὑπομονὴν καὶ μακροθυμίαν 11 μετὰ χαρᾶς: εὐχαριστοῦντες 12 τῷ πατρὶ τῷ ἱκανώσαντι 12 ἡμᾶς εἰς τὴν μερίδα 13 τοῦ κλήρου 14 τῶν ἁγίων ἐν τῷ φωτί, δς ἐρρύσατο 15 ἡμᾶς ἐκ τῆς ἐξουσίας τοῦ σκότους, καὶ 13μετέστησεν 16 εἰς τὴν βασιλείαν τοῦ υἱοῦ τῆς ἀγάπης αὐτοῦ, ἐν ὧ ἔχομεν 14 τὴν ἀπολύτρωσιν, ¹⁷ τὴν ἄφεσιν ¹⁸ τῶν ἁμαρτιῶν: ὅς ἐστιν εἰκὼν ¹⁹ τοῦ 15θεοῦ τοῦ ἀοράτου, 20 πρωτότοκος 21 πάσης κτίσεως: 22 ὅτι ἐν αὐτῷ ἐκτίσθη 16 τὰ πάντα, τὰ ἐν τοῖς οὐρανοῖς καὶ τὰ ἐπὶ τῆς γῆς, τὰ ὁρατά 24 καὶ τὰ αόρατα, 20 εἴτε θρόνοι, εἴτε κυριότητες, 25 εἴτε ἀρχαί, εἴτε ἐξουσίαι: τὰ πάντα δι' αὐτοῦ καὶ εἰς αὐτὸν ἔκτισται: 23 καὶ αὐτός ἐστιν πρὸ πάντων, 17καὶ τὰ πάντα ἐν αὐτῷ συνέστηκεν. 26 Καὶ αὐτός ἐστιν ἡ κεφαλὴ τοῦ 18σώματος, τῆς ἐκκλησίας: ὅς ἐστιν ἀρχή, πρωτότοκος ἐκ τῶν νεκρῶν, ἴνα γένηται ἐν πᾶσιν αὐτὸς πρωτεύων: 27 ὅτι ἐν αὐτῷ εὐδόκησεν 28 πᾶν τὸ 19

¹παύω, cause to cease. ² ἐπίγνωσις, εως, ἡ, knowledge, discernment. ³ σύνεσις, εως, ἡ, understanding, insight. ⁴πνευματικός, spiritual. ⁵ ἀξίως, worthily, in a manner worthy of. ⁶ ἀρέσκεια, ας, ἡ, pleasing, willing service. ⁷ καρποφορέω, bear fruit. ⁸ αὐξάνω, cause to grow, increase. ⁹ δυναμόω, strengthen, enable. ¹⁰ κράτος, ους, τό, power, dominion. ¹¹ μακροθυμία, ας, ἡ, long-suffering, patience. ¹² ἱκανόω, make sufficient, qualify. ¹³ μερίς, ίδος, ἡ, part, portion. ¹⁴ κλῆρος, ου, ὁ, lot, portion. ¹⁵ ῥύομαι, rescue, save. ¹⁶ μεθίστημι, remove, turn away. ¹⁷ ἀπολύτρωσις, εως, ἡ, redemption, deliverance. ¹⁸ ἄφεσις, εως, ἡ, release, forgiveness. ¹⁹ εἰκών, όνος, ἡ, image, likeness. ²⁰ ἀόρατος, invisible, unseen. ²¹ πρωτότοκος, first-born. ²² κτίσις, εως, ἡ, creation, creature. ²³ κτίζω, create, form. ²⁴ ὁρατός, visible. ²⁵ κυριότης, ητος, ἡ, lordship, dominion. ²⁶ συνίστημι, commend (transitive), stand with. ²⁷ πρωτεύω, be first, have first place. ²⁸ εὐδοκέω, think it good, be well pleased with.

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πλήρωμα¹ κατοικήσαι, καὶ δι' αὐτοῦ ἀποκαταλλάξαι² τὰ πάντα εἰς 20 αὐτόν, εἰρηνοποιήσας³ διὰ τοῦ αἴματος τοῦ σταυροῦ⁴ αὐτοῦ, δι' αὐτοῦ, εἴτε τὰ ἐπὶ τῆς γῆς, εἴτε τὰ ἐπὶ τοῖς οὐρανοῖς. Καὶ ὑμᾶς ποτὲ ὄντας 21 ἀπηλλοτριωμένους⁵ καὶ ἐχθροὺς τῆ διανοίᾳ⁶ ἐν τοῖς ἔργοις τοῖς πονηροῖς, νυνὶⁿ δὲ ἀποκατήλλαξεν² ἐν τῷ σώματι τῆς σαρκὸς αὐτοῦ διὰ 22 τοῦ θανάτου, παραστῆσαι ὑμᾶς ἀγίους καὶ ἀμώμους⁵ καὶ ἀνεγκλήτους⁰ κατενώπιον¹⁰ αὐτοῦ: εἴγε¹¹ ἐπιμένετε¹² τῆ πίστει τεθεμελιωμένοι¹³ καὶ 23 ἑδραῖοι,¹⁴ καὶ μὴ μετακινούμενοι¹⁵ ἀπὸ τῆς ἐλπίδος τοῦ εὐαγγελίου οὖ ἠκούσατε, τοῦ κηρυχθέντος ἐν πάση τῆ κτίσει¹⁶ τῆ ὑπὸ τὸν οὐρανόν, οὖ ἐγενόμην ἐγὼ Παῦλος διάκονος.

Νῦν χαίρω ἐν τοῖς παθήμασιν¹⁷ ὑπὲρ ὑμῶν, καὶ ἀνταναπληρῶ¹⁸ τὰ 24 ὑστερήματα¹⁹ τῶν θλίψεων τοῦ χριστοῦ ἐν τῆ σαρκί μου ὑπὲρ τοῦ σώματος αὐτοῦ, ὅ ἐστιν ἡ ἐκκλησία: ἡς ἐγενόμην ἐγὼ διάκονος, κατὰ 25 τὴν οἰκονομίαν²⁰ τοῦ θεοῦ τὴν δοθεῖσάν μοι εἰς ὑμᾶς, πληρῶσαι τὸν λόγον τοῦ θεοῦ, τὸ μυστήριον²¹ τὸ ἀποκεκρυμμένον²² ἀπὸ τῶν αἰώνων 26 καὶ ἀπὸ τῶν γενεῶν: νυνὶ⁷ δὲ ἐφανερώθη τοῖς ἀγίοις αὐτοῦ, οἷς 27 ἡθέλησεν ὁ θεὸς γνωρίσαι²³ τί τὸ πλοῦτος²⁴ τῆς δόξης τοῦ μυστηρίου²¹

¹πλήρωμα, τος, τό, fullness, fulfillment. ²ἀποκαταλλάσσω, reconcile. ³εἰρηνοποιέω, make peace, reconcile. ⁴σταυρός, οῦ, ὁ, cross. ⁵ἀπαλλοτριόομαι, alienate, estrange. ⁶διάνοια, ας, ἡ, mind, understanding. ⁷νυνί, now, already. ⁸ἄμωμος, without blemish, blameless. ⁹ἀνέγκλητος, above reproach, blameless. ¹⁰ κατενώπιον, before, in the presence of (gen). ¹¹εἴγε, if indeed, seeing that. ¹²ἐπιμένω, continue, remain. ¹³θεμελιόω, lay a foundation, found. ¹⁴ἑδραῖος, steadfast, firm. ¹⁵μετακινέω, shift, remove. ¹⁶κτίσις, εως, ἡ, creation, creature. ¹⁷πάθημα, τος, τό, suffering, passion. ¹⁸ ἀνταναπληρόω, fill up in turn. ¹⁹ὑστέρημα, τος, τό, that which is lacking, need. ²⁰οἰκονομία, ας, ἡ, stewardship, administration. ²¹μυστήριον, ου, τό, secret, mystery. ²²ἀποκρύπτω, hide, conceal. ²³γνωρίζω, make known, declare. ²⁴πλοῦτος, ου, ὁ, wealth, riches.

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τούτου ἐν τοῖς ἔθνεσιν, ὅς ἐστιν χριστὸς ἐν ὑμῖν, ἡ ἐλπὶς τῆς δόξης: ὅν 28 ἡμεῖς καταγγέλλομεν, νουθετοῦντες πάντα ἄνθρωπον, καὶ διδάσκοντες πάντα ἄνθρωπον ἐν πάσῃ σοφίᾳ, ἴνα παραστήσωμεν πάντα ἄνθρωπον τέλειον ἐν χριστῷ Ἰησοῦ: εἰς ὅ καὶ κοπιῶ, 29 ἀγωνιζόμενος κατὰ τὴν ἐνέργειαν αὐτοῦ, τὴν ἐνεργουμένην ἐν ἐμοὶ ἐν δυνάμει.

Θέλω γὰρ ὑμᾶς εἰδέναι ἡλίκον ἀγῶνα ἔχω περὶ ὑμῶν καὶ τῶν ἐν 2 Λαοδικείᾳ, αλί ὅσοι οὐχ ἑωράκασιν τὸ πρόσωπόν μου ἐν σαρκί, ἵνα 2 παρακληθῶσιν αἱ καρδίαι αὐτῶν, συμβιβασθέντων ἐν ἀγάπη, καὶ εἰς πάντα πλοῦτον τῆς πληροφορίας τῆς συνέσεως, ἐν ῷ εἰσὶν πάντες οἱ 3 θησαυροὶ τῆς σοφίας καὶ τῆς γνώσεως ἀπόκρυφοι. Τοῦτο δὲ λέγω, 4 ἵνα μή τις ὑμᾶς παραλογίζηται ἐν πιθανολογίᾳ. Εἰ γὰρ καὶ τῆ σαρκὶ 5 ἀπειμι, ἐν ἀλλὰ τῷ πνεύματι σὺν ὑμῖν εἰμί, χαίρων καὶ βλέπων ὑμῶν τὴν τάξιν, ἐν καὶ τὸ στερέωμα τῆς εἰς χριστὸν πίστεως ὑμῶν.

¹ καταγγέλλω, proclaim, declare openly. ² νουθετέω, admonish, exhort. ³ τέλειος, complete, perfect. ⁴ κοπιάω, toil, labor. ⁵ ἀγωνίζομαι, contend, struggle. ⁶ ἐνέργεια, ας, ἡ, operative power, working. ⁷ ἐνεργέω, work, effect. ⁸ ἡλίκος, how great, how small. ⁹ ἀγών, ῶνος, ὁ, struggle, fight. ¹⁰ Λαοδικεία, ας, ἡ, Laodicea. ¹¹ συμβιβάζω, hold together, instruct. ¹² πλοῦτος, ου, ὁ, wealth, riches. ¹³ πληροφορία, ας, ἡ, full assurance, certainty. ¹⁴ σύνεσις, εως, ἡ, understanding, insight. ¹⁵ ἐπίγνωσις, εως, ἡ, knowledge, discernment. ¹⁶ μυστήριον, ου, τό, secret, mystery. ¹⁷ θησαυρός, οῦ, ὁ, storehouse, treasure. ¹⁸ γνῶσις, εως, ἡ, wisdom, knowledge. ¹⁹ ἀπόκρυφος, hidden, secret. ²⁰ παραλογίζομαι, deceive, mislead. ²¹ πιθανολογία, ας, ἡ, persuasive speech. ²² ἄπειμι, go away, depart. ²³ τάξις, εως, ἡ, arranging, order. ²⁴ στερέωμα, τος, τό, firmament, firmness.

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Ως οὖν παρελάβετε τὸν χριστὸν Ἰησοῦν τὸν κύριον, ἐν αὐτῷ περιπατεῖτε, 6 ἐρριζωμένοι¹ καὶ ἐποικοδομούμενοι² ἐν αὐτῷ, καὶ βεβαιούμενοι³ ἐν τῇ πίστει, καθὼς ἐδιδάχθητε, περισσεύοντες ἐν αὐτῇ ἐν εὐχαριστίᾳ.⁴

Βλέπετε μή τις ὑμᾶς ἔσται ὁ συλαγωγῶν ὁ διὰ τῆς φιλοσοφίας καὶ κενῆς δαπάτης, κατὰ τὴν παράδοσιν τῶν ἀνθρώπων, κατὰ τὰ στοιχεῖα τοῦ κόσμου, καὶ οὐ κατὰ χριστόν: ὅτι ἐν αὐτῷ κατοικεῖ πᾶν τὸ πλήρωμα τοῦ τῆς θεότητος σωματικῶς, καὶ ἐστε ἐν αὐτῷ πεπληρωμένοι, ὅς ἐστιν ἡ τοῦ κεφαλὴ πάσης ἀρχῆς καὶ ἐξουσίας: ἐν ῷ καὶ περιετμήθητε περιτομῆ τοῦ αρκός, ἐν τῆ ἀπεκδύσει τοῦ σώματος τῶν ἀμαρτιῶν τῆς σαρκός, ἐν τῆ περιτομῆ τοῦ χριστοῦ, συνταφέντες αὐτῷ ἐν τῷ τοῦ θεοῦ, τοῦ ἐγείραντος αὐτὸν ἐκ τῶν νεκρῶν. Καὶ ὑμᾶς, νεκροὺς τοῦ θεοῦ, τοῦ ἐγείραντος αὐτὸν ἐκ τῶν νεκρῶν. Καὶ ὑμᾶς, νεκροὺς τοῦ θεοῦς παραπτώμασιν καὶ τῆ ἀκροβυστία τῆς σαρκὸς ὑμῶν, συνεζῷοποίησεν ὑμᾶς σὺν αὐτῷ, χαρισάμενος ἡμῖν πάντα τὰ παραπτώματα, ἐξαλείψας τὸ καθ ἡμῶν χειρόγραφον τοῖς δόγμασιν, τοῦ ἡν ὑπεναντίον ἡμῖν: καὶ αὐτὸ ἡρκεν ἐκ τοῦ μέσου, προσηλώσας τοῦς δήν ὑπεναντίον ἐκ ἡμῖν: καὶ αὐτὸ ἡρκεν ἐκ τοῦ μέσου, προσηλώσας ἐν τοῖς παραπτώματας τοὶ καὶ ἀντὸ ἡρκεν ἐκ τοῦ μέσου, προσηλώσας ἐν τοῦς καὶ ἀντὸς ἡμῖν: καὶ αὐτὸ ἡρκεν ἐκ τοῦ μέσου, προσηλώσας ἐν τοῦς δόγμασιν, τοὶ ἐν τοῦς καὶ ἀντὸς ἡρκεν ἐκ τοῦ μέσου, προσηλώσας ἐν τοῦς δόγμασιν, τοὶ ἐξαλείνας ἐν τοὶς ἀντὸς ἡρκεν ἐκ τοῦ μέσου, προσηλώσας ἐν τοῦς δὸν καὶ ἀντὸς ἡρκεν ἐκ τοῦ μέσου, προσηλώσας ἐν τοῦς δὸν καὶ ἀντὸς ἡρκεν ἐκ τοῦ μέσου, προσηλώσας ἐν τοῦς δὸν καὶ ἀντὸς ἡρκεν ἐκ τοῦ μέσου, προσηλώσας ἐν τοῦς δὸν καὶ ἀντὸς ἡρκεν ἐκ τοῦ μέσου, προσηλώσας ἐν τοῦς δὸν καὶ ἀντὸς ἡρκεν ἐκ τοῦ μέσου, προσηλώσας ἐν τοῦς δὸν καὶ ἀντὸς ἡρκεν ἐκ τοῦ μέσου, προσηλώσας ἐν τοῦς δὸν καὶ ἀντὸς ἡρκεν ἐκ τοῦ μέσου, προσηλώσας ἐν τοῦς δὸν καὶ ἀντὸς ἡρκεν ἐκ τοῦ μέσου, προσηλώσος ἐν τοῦς δὸν καὶ ἀντὸς ἡρκεν ἐκ τοῦ μέσου, προσηλώσος ἐν τοῦς δὸν καὶ ἀντὸς ἡρκεν ἐν τοῦς μέσου καὶ καὶ τὰ ἐν τοῦς ἐν τοῦς δὸν καὶ ἀντὸς ἡρκεν ἐν τοῦς μέσου καὶ καὶ καὶ καὶ τὰ ἀντὸς ἡρκεν ἡρκεν

¹ ῥιζόω, root, fix by the root. ² ἐποικοδομέω, build upon, build upon a foundation. ³ βεβαιόω, confirm, secure. ⁴ εὐχαριστία, ας, ἡ, thanksgiving, thankfulness. ⁵ συλαγωγέω, make captive of, carry off as spoil. ⁶ φιλοσοφία, ας, ἡ, philosophy, love of wisdom. ⁻ κενός, empty, vain. ⁶ ἀπάτη, ης, ἡ, deceit, deceitfulness. ٶπαράδοσις, εως, ἡ, tradition, instruction. ¹¹ στοιχεῖον, τό, elementary principles, elements. ¹¹ πλήρωμα, τος, τό, fullness, fulfillment. ¹² θεότης, ητος, ἡ, divine nature, deity. ¹³ σωματικώς, in bodily form, bodily. ¹⁴ περιτέμνω, circumcize, circumcise. ¹⁵ ἀχειροποίητος, not made with hands, not made by hand. ¹⁶ ἀπέκδυσις, εως, ἡ, removal, stripping off. ¹⁻ συνθάπτω, bury along with. ¹⁶ βάπτισμα, τος, τό, baptism, rite or ceremony of baptism. ¹⁰ συνεγείρω, raise up with, raise along with. ²⁰ ἐνέργεια, ας, ἡ, operative power, working. ²¹ παράπτωμα, τος, τό, trespass, falling away. ²² ἀκροβυστία, ας, ἡ, uncircumcision, foreskin. ²³ συζωοποιέω, make alive together with someone. ²⁴ χαρίζομαι, give freely, forgive. ²⁵ ἐξαλείφω, wipe out, erase. ²⁶ χειρόγραφον, ου, τό, account, record of debts. ²⁻ δόγμα, τος, τό, a public decree, ordinance. ²ఠ ὑπεναντίος, opposed, contrary. ²ٶ προσηλόω, nail (fast), nail to.

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αὐτὸ τῷ σταυρῷ: 1 ἀπεκδυσάμενος τὰς ἀρχὰς καὶ τὰς ἐξουσίας, 15 ἐδειγμάτισεν 3 ἐν παρρησία, θριαμβεύσας 4 αὐτοὺς ἐν αὐτῷ.

Μὴ οὖν τις ὑμᾶς κρινέτω ἐν βρώσει ἡ ἐν πόσει, ἡ ἐν μέρει ἑορτῆς ἡ 16 νουμηνίας ἡ σαββάτων: ἄ ἐστιν σκιὰ τῶν μελλόντων, τὸ δὲ σῶμα 17 χριστοῦ. Μηδεὶς ὑμᾶς καταβραβευέτω θέλων ἐν ταπεινοφροσύν ἡ 18 καὶ θρησκείᾳ τῶν ἀγγέλων, ἃ μὴ ἑώρακεν ἐμβατεύων, ἐεἰκῆ φυσιούμενος ὑπὸ τοῦ νοὸς τῆς σαρκὸς αὐτοῦ, καὶ οὐ κρατῶν τὴν 19 κεφαλήν, ἐξ οὖ πᾶν τὸ σῶμα, διὰ τῶν ἀφῶν τὰ καὶ συνδέσμων ἐπιχορηγούμενον καὶ συμβιβαζόμενον, αὐξει τὴν αὐξησιν τοῦ θεοῦ.

Εἰ ἀπεθάνετε σὺν χριστῷ, ἀπὸ τῶν στοιχείων²³ τοῦ κόσμου, τί ὡς ζῶντες 20 ἐν κόσμῳ δογματίζεσθε,²⁴ Μὴ ἄψη, μηδὲ γεύση,²⁵ μηδὲ θίγης²⁶ – ἄ ἐστιν 21 πάντα εἰς φθορὰν²γ τῆ ἀποχρήσει²δ – κατὰ τὰ ἐντάλματα²9 καὶ διδασκαλίας³0 τῶν ἀνθρώπων; Ἡτινά ἐστιν λόγον μὲν ἔχοντα σοφίας ἐν 23 ἐθελοθρησκείᾳ³1 καὶ ταπεινοφροσύνη ταὶ ἀφειδίᾳ³2 σώματος, οὐκ ἐν

¹ σταυρός, οῦ, ὁ, cross. ² ἀπεκδύομαι, strip off, disarm. ³ δειγματίζω, make a show of, expose. ⁴ θριαμβεύω, lead in a triumphal procession. ⁵ βρῶσις, εως, ἡ, eating, food. ⁶ πόσις, εως, ἡ, drinking, drink. ⁷ έορτή, ῆς, ἡ, feast, festival. ⁸ νουμηνία, ας, ἡ, new moon as a festival. ⁹ σκιά, ᾶς, ἡ, shadow, thick darkness. ¹⁰ καταβραβεύω, rob of a prize, decide against. ¹¹ ταπεινοφροσύνη, ης, ἡ, lowliness of mind, humility. ¹² θρησκεία, ας, ἡ, religion, worship. ¹³ ἐμβατεύω, enter into, enter. ¹⁴ εἰκῆ, without cause or reason, vainly. ¹⁵ φυσιόω, puff or blow up, be arrogant. ¹⁶ νοῦς, ὁ, mind, reasoning faculty. ¹⁷ ἀφἡ, ῆς, ἡ, joint, band. ¹⁸ σύνδεσμος, ου, ὁ, bond, fetter. ¹⁹ ἐπιχορηγέω, supply, provide. ²⁰ συμβιβάζω, hold together, instruct. ²¹ αὐξάνω, cause to grow, increase. ²² αὔξησις, εως, ἡ, growth, increase. ²³ στοιχείον, τό, elementary principles, elements. ²⁴ δογματίζω, subject to regulations, decree. ²⁵ γεύομαι, taste, experience. ²⁶ θιγγάνω, touch, handle. ²⁷ φθορά, ᾶς, ἡ, destruction, corruption. ²⁸ ἀπόχρησις, εως, ἡ, consuming, using up. ²⁹ ἔνταλμα, τος, τό, precept, commandment. ³⁰ διδασκαλία, ας, ἡ, teaching, doctrine. ³¹ ἐθελοθρησκεία, ας, ἡ, arbitrary worship. ³² ἀφειδία, ας, ἡ, unsparing treatment, severity.

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τιμῆ τινὶ πρὸς πλησμονὴν τῆς σαρκός.

Εἰ οὖν συνηγέρθητε² τῷ χριστῷ, τὰ ἄνω³ ζητεῖτε, οὖ⁴ ὁ χριστός ἐστιν ἐν 3 δεξιᾳ τοῦ θεοῦ καθήμενος. Τὰ ἄνω³ φρονεῖτε,⁵ μὴ τὰ ἐπὶ τῆς γῆς. 2 ἀπεθάνετε γάρ, καὶ ἡ ζωὴ ὑμῶν κέκρυπται⁶ σὺν τῷ χριστῷ ἐν τῷ θεῷ. 4 Ὅταν ὁ χριστὸς φανερωθῆ, ἡ ζωὴ ἡμῶν, τότε καὶ ὑμεῖς σὺν αὐτῷ φανερωθήσεσθε ἐν δόξη.

Νεκρώσατε οὖν τὰ μέλη ὑμῶν τὰ ἐπὶ τῆς γῆς, πορνείαν, ἀκαθαρσίαν, 5 πάθος, 10 ἐπιθυμίαν κακήν, καὶ τὴν πλεονεξίαν, 11 ἤτις ἐστὶν εἰδωλολατρεία, 12 δι' ὰ ἔρχεται ἡ ὀργὴ τοῦ θεοῦ ἐπὶ τοὺς υἰοὺς τῆς 6 ἀπειθείας: 13 ἐν οἶς καὶ ὑμεῖς περιεπατήσατέ ποτε, ὅτε ἐζῆτε ἐν αὐτοῖς. 7 Νυνὶ 14 δὲ ἀπόθεσθε 15 καὶ ὑμεῖς τὰ πάντα, ὀργήν, θυμόν, 16 κακίαν, 17 βλασφημίαν, 18 αἰσχρολογίαν 19 ἐκ τοῦ στόματος ὑμῶν: μὴ ψεύδεσθε 20 εἰς 9 ἀλλήλους, ἀπεκδυσάμενοι 21 τὸν παλαιὸν 22 ἄνθρωπον σὺν ταῖς πράξεσιν αὐτοῦ, καὶ ἐνδυσάμενοι 24 τὸν νέον, 25 τὸν ἀνακαινούμενον 26 εἰς 10 ἐπίγνωσιν 27 κατ' εἰκόνα 28 τοῦ κτίσαντος 29 αὐτόν: ὅπου οὐκ ἔνι 30 Έλλην 31 11 καὶ Ἰουδαῖος, περιτομὴ καὶ ἀκροβυστία, 32 βάρβαρος, 33 Σκύθης, 34 δοῦλος,

¹ πλησμονή, ῆς, ἡ, indulgence, satisfaction. ² συνεγείρω, raise up with, raise along with. ³ ἄνω, up, above. ⁴ οὖ, where, when. ⁵ φρονέω, think, judge. ⁶ κρύπτω, conceal, hide. ⁷ νεκρόω, put to death, render weak. ⁸ πορνεία, ας, ἡ, fornication, idolatry. ⁹ ἀκαθαρσία, ας, ἡ, uncleanness, impurity. ¹⁰ πάθος, ους, τό, suffering, pain. ¹¹ πλεονεξία, ας, ἡ, covetousness, avarice. ¹² εἰδωλολατρεία, ας, ἡ, worship or service of an image. ¹³ ἀπείθεια, ας, ἡ, disobedience, willful unbelief. ¹⁴ νυνί, now, already. ¹⁵ ἀποτίθημι, put off, lay aside. ¹⁶ θυμός, ου, ό, wrath, outburst of passion. ¹⁷ κακία, ας, ἡ, malice, evil. ¹⁸ βλασφημία, ας, ἡ, blasphemy, reproach. ¹⁹ αἰσχρολογία, ας, ἡ, obscene speech, dirty talk. ²⁰ ψεύδομαι, lie. ²¹ ἀπεκδύομαι, strip off, disarm. ²² παλαιός, old, ancient. ²³ πρᾶξις, εως, ἡ, deed, function. ²⁴ ἐνδύω, put on, clothe. ²⁵ νέος, new, young. ²⁶ ἀνακαινόω, renew, amend. ²⁷ ἐπίγνωσις, εως, ἡ, knowledge, discernment. ²⁸ εἰκών, όνος, ἡ, image, likeness. ²⁹ κπίζω, create, form. ³⁰ ἔνι, there is in, is present. ³¹ Ἑλλην, ηνος, ὁ, Greek, Hellene. ³² ἀκροβυστία, ας, ἡ, uncircumcision, foreskin. ³³ βάρβαρος, barbarous, barbarian. ³⁴ Σκύθης, ου, ὁ, Scythian.

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ἐλεύθερος: ἀλλὰ τὰ πάντα καὶ ἐν πᾶσιν χριστός.

Ένδύσασθε² οὖν, ὡς ἐκλεκτοὶ³ τοῦ θεοῦ, ἄγιοι καὶ ἡγαπημένοι, σπλάγχνα⁴ 12 οἰκτιρμοῦ, ὅχρηστότητα, ὅταπεινοφροσύνην, ὅπραότητα, ὅμακροθυμίαν: ⁰ ἀνεχόμενοι¹¹ ἀλλήλων, καὶ χαριζόμενοι¹¹ ἑαυτοῖς, ἐάν τις πρός τινα ἔχη 13 μομφήν: ਖαθὼς καὶ ὁ χριστὸς ἐχαρίσατο¹¹ ὑμῖν, οὕτως καὶ ὑμεῖς: ἐπὶ 14 πᾶσιν δὲ τούτοις τὴν ἀγάπην, ἥτις ἐστὶν σύνδεσμος¹³ τῆς τελειότητος. ⁴ 15 Καὶ ἡ εἰρήνη τοῦ θεοῦ βραβευέτω¹⁵ ἐν ταῖς καρδίαις ὑμῶν, εἰς ἢν καὶ ἐκλήθητε ἐν ἐνὶ σώματι: καὶ εὐχάριστοι ⁴ γίνεσθε. Ὁ λόγος τοῦ χριστοῦ 16 ἐνοικείτω¹΄ ἐν ὑμῖν πλουσίως ⁴ ἐν πάση σοφία: διδάσκοντες καὶ νουθετοῦντες ⁴ ἑαυτούς, ψαλμοῖς, ² καὶ ὕμνοις, ² καὶ ῷδαῖς² πνευματικαῖς, ² ἐν χάριτι ἄδοντες ² ἐν τῆ καρδία ὑμῶν τῷ κυρίῳ. Καὶ 17 πᾶν ὅ τι ἄν ποιῆτε, ἐν λόγῳ ἢ ἐν ἔργῳ, πάντα ἐν ὀνόματι κυρίου Ἰησοῦ, εὐχαριστοῦντες τῷ θεῷ καὶ πατρὶ δι' αὐτοῦ.

Αἱ γυναῖκες, ὑποτάσσεσθε τοῖς ἰδίοις ἀνδράσιν, ὡς ἀνῆκεν²⁵ ἐν κυρίῳ. Οἱ 18 ἄνδρες, ἀγαπᾶτε τὰς γυναῖκας, καὶ μὴ πικραίνεσθε²⁶ πρὸς αὐτάς. Τὰ 20 τέκνα, ὑπακούετε²⊓ τοῖς γονεῦσιν²8 κατὰ πάντα: τοῦτο γάρ ἐστιν

¹ ἐλεύθερος, free, delivered from obligation. ² ἐνδύω, put on, clothe. ³ ἐκλεκτός, chosen, elect. ⁴ σπλάγχνα, ων, τά, bowels, compassion. ⁵ οἰκτιρμός, οῦ, ὁ, compassion, pity. ⁴ χρηστότης, ητος, ἡ, goodness, kindness. ⁻ ταπεινοφροσύνη, ης, ἡ, lowliness of mind, humility. ⊓ πραΰτης, mildness, gentleness. ² μακροθυμία, ας, ἡ, long-suffering, patience. ¹¹ ἀνέχομαι, endure, bear with. ¹¹ χαρίζομαι, give freely, forgive. ¹² μομφή, ῆς, ἡ, blame, (cause for) complaint. ¹³ σύνδεσμος, ου, ὁ, bond, fetter. ¹⁴ τελειότης, ητος, ἡ, perfection, completeness. ¹⁵ βραβεύω, be judge, rule. ¹⁶ εὐχάριστος, thankful, grateful. ¹⁻ ἐνοικέω, dwell in, am settled in. ¹ョ πλουσίως, richly, abundantly. ¹ョ νουθετέω, admonish, exhort. ²□ ψαλμός, οῦ, ὁ, song of praise, psalm. ²¹ ΰμνος, ου, ὁ, song of praise, hymn. ²² ὡδή, ῆς, ἡ, song, ode. ²³ πνευματικός, spiritual. ²⁴ ἄδω, sing. ²⁵ ἀνήκω, be fit, be proper. ²⁶ πικραίνω, make bitter, embitter. ²⁻ ὑπακούω, obey, listen. ²² γονεύς, έως, ὁ, parent.

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εὐάρεστον¹ ἐν κυρίῳ. Οἱ πατέρες, μὴ ἐρεθίζετε² τὰ τέκνα ὑμῶν, ἵνα μὴ 21 ἀθυμῶσιν.³ Οἱ δοῦλοι, ὑπακούετε⁴ κατὰ πάντα τοῖς κατὰ σάρκα κυρίοις, 22 μὴ ἐν ὀφθαλμοδουλείαις⁵ ὡς ἀνθρωπάρεσκοι, ἀλλ' ἐν ἀπλότητι καρδίας, φοβούμενοι τὸν θεόν: καὶ πᾶν ὅ τι ἐὰν ποιῆτε, ἐκ ψυχῆς 23 ἐργάζεσθε, ὡς τῷ κυρίῳ καὶ οὐκ ἀνθρώποις: εἰδότες ὅτι ἀπὸ κυρίου 24 λήψεσθε τὴν ἀνταπόδοσιν τῆς κληρονομίας: τῷ γὰρ κυρίῳ χριστῷ δουλεύετε.¹ Ὁ δὲ ἀδικῶν¹ κομιεῖται² ὁ ἠδίκησεν: καὶ οὐκ ἔστιν 25 προσωποληψία.¹3

Οἱ κύριοι, τὸ δίκαιον καὶ τὴν ἰσότητα 14 τοῖς δούλοις παρέχεσθε, 15 εἰδότες $\mathbf{4}$ ὅτι καὶ ὑμεῖς ἔχετε κύριον ἐν οὐρανοῖς.

Τῆ προσευχῆ προσκαρτερεῖτε, 16 γρηγοροῦντες 17 ἐν αὐτῆ ἐν εὐχαριστία: 18 2 προσευχόμενοι ἄμα 19 καὶ περὶ ἡμῶν, ἵνα ὁ θεὸς ἀνοίξῃ ἡμῖν θύραν τοῦ λόγου, λαλῆσαι τὸ μυστήριον τοῦ χριστοῦ, δι' ὁ καὶ δέδεμαι: ἵνα 4 φανερώσω αὐτό, ὡς δεῖ με λαλῆσαι. Έν σοφία περιπατεῖτε πρὸς τοὺς 5 ἔξω, τὸν καιρὸν ἐξαγοραζόμενοι. 10 λόγος ὑμῶν πάντοτε ἐν χάριτι, 6 ἄλατι 122 ἠρτυμένος, 23 εἰδέναι πῶς δεῖ ὑμᾶς ἑνὶ ἑκάστῳ ἀποκρίνεσθαι.

¹ εὐάρεστος, well-pleasing, acceptable. ² ἐρεθίζω, arouse, provoke. ³ ἀθυμέω, be discouraged, disheartened. ⁴ ὑπακούω, obey, listen. ⁵ ὀφθαλμοδουλεία, ας, ἡ, service rendered only while the master watches. ⁶ ἀνθρωπάρεσκος, people pleaser. ⁻ ἀπλότης, ητος, ἡ, singleness, hence simplicity. ⁶ ἀνταπόδοσις, εως, ἡ, recompense, reward. ⁶ κληρονομία, ας, ἡ, inheritance. ¹⁰ δουλεύω, serve, am a slave. ¹¹ ἀδικέω, do wrong, harm. ¹² κομίζω, receive, bring. ¹³ προσωποληψία, ας, ἡ, partiality, favoritism. ¹⁴ ἰσότης, ητος, ἡ, equality, fairness. ¹⁵ παρέχω, offer, afford. ¹⁶ προσκαρτερέω, continue in or with, persist. ¹⁻ γρηγορέω, watch, keep watch. ¹ፄ εὐχαριστία, ας, ἡ, thanksgiving, thankfulness. ¹⁰ ἄμα, at the same time. ²⁰ μυστήριον, ου, τό, secret, mystery. ²¹ ἐξαγοράζω, redeem, make the most of. ²² ἄλας, ατος, τό, salt. ²³ ἀρτύω, season, make salty.

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Τὰ κατ' ἐμὲ πάντα γνωρίσει¹ ὑμῖν Τυχικός,² ὁ ἀγαπητὸς ἀδελφὸς καὶ 7 πιστὸς διάκονος καὶ σύνδουλος³ ἐν κυρίῳ: ὃν ἔπεμψα πρὸς ὑμᾶς εἰς 8 αὐτὸ τοῦτο, ἵνα γνῷ τὰ περὶ ὑμῶν καὶ παρακαλέσῃ τὰς καρδίας ὑμῶν: 9 σὺν Ὀνησίμῳ⁴ τῷ πιστῷ καὶ ἀγαπητῷ ἀδελφῷ, ὅς ἐστιν ἐξ ὑμῶν. Πάντα ὑμῖν γνωριοῦσιν¹ τὰ ὧδε.

'Ασπάζεται ὑμᾶς Ἀρίσταρχος ὁ συναιχμάλωτός μου, καὶ Μάρκος ὁ 10 ἀνεψιὸς Βαρνάβα, περὶ οἱ ἐλάβετε ἐντολάς – ἐὰν ἔλθη πρὸς ὑμᾶς, δέξασθε αὐτόν: καὶ Ἰησοῦς ὁ λεγόμενος Ἰοῦστος, οἱ ὁντες ἐκ 11 περιτομῆς: οἱτοι μόνοι συνεργοὶ εἰς τὴν βασιλείαν τοῦ θεοῦ, οἴτινες ἐγενήθησάν μοι παρηγορία. Ασπάζεται ὑμᾶς Ἐπαφρᾶς δἱ ἐξ ὑμῶν, 12 δοῦλος χριστοῦ, πάντοτε ἀγωνιζόμενος ὑπὲρ ὑμῶν ἐν ταῖς προσευχαῖς, ἴνα στῆτε τέλειοι καὶ πεπληρωμένοι ἐν παντὶ θελήματι τοῦ θεοῦ. 13 Μαρτυρῶ γὰρ αὐτῷ ὅτι ἔχει ζῆλον πολὺν ὑπὲρ ὑμῶν καὶ τῶν ἐν Λαοδικεία καὶ τῶν ἐν Ἱεραπόλει. Ασπάζεται ὑμᾶς Λουκᾶς ὁ ἱατρὸς 14 ὁ ἀγαπητός, καὶ Δημᾶς. Ασπάσασθε τοὺς ἐν Λαοδικεία άδελφούς, 15 καὶ Νυμφᾶν, καὶ τὴν κατ' οἶκον αὐτοῦ ἐκκλησίαν. Καὶ ὅταν 16 ἀναγνωσθῆ παρ' ὑμῖν ἡ ἐπιστολή, ποιήσατε ἵνα καὶ ἐν τῆ Λαοδικαίων

¹ γνωρίζω, make known, declare. ² Τυχικός, οῦ, ὁ, Tychicus. ³ σύνδουλος, ου, ὁ, fellow slave, fellow servant. ⁴ Ονήσιμος, ου, ὁ, Onesimus. ⁵ Άρίσταρχος, ου, ὁ, Aristarchus. ⁶ συναιχμάλωτος, ου, ὁ, fellow prisoner, fellow captive. ⁷ Μᾶρκος, ου, ὁ, Mark. ⁸ ἀνεψιός, οῦ, ὁ, cousin. ⁹ Βαρνάβας, ὁ, Barnabas. ¹⁰ Τοῦστος, ου, ὁ, Justus. ¹¹ συνεργός, οῦ, ὁ, fellow worker. ¹² παρηγορία, ας, ἡ, comfort, encouragement. ¹³ Έπαφρᾶς, ᾶ, ὁ, Epaphras. ¹⁴ ἀγωνίζομαι, contend, struggle. ¹⁵ τέλειος, complete, perfect. ¹⁶ ζῆλος, ου, ὁ, zeal, jealousy. ¹⁷ Λαοδικεία, ας, ἡ, Laodicea. ¹⁸ Τεράπολις, εως, ἡ, Hierapolis. ¹⁹ Λουκᾶς, ᾶ, ὁ, Luke, Lucas. ²⁰ ἰατρός, οῦ, ὁ, physician. ²¹ Δημᾶς, ᾶ, ὁ, Demas. ²² Νυμφᾶς, α, ὁ, Nymphas. ²³ ἐπιστολή, ῆς, ἡ, letter, dispatch. ²⁴ Λαοδικεύς, έως, ὁ, Laodicean.

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ἐκκλησίᾳ ἀναγνωσθῆ, καὶ τὴν ἐκ Λαοδικείας¹ ἵνα καὶ ὑμεῖς ἀναγνῶτε. 17 Καὶ εἴπατε Ἀρχίππῳ,² Βλέπε τὴν διακονίαν ἣν παρέλαβες ἐν κυρίῳ, ἵνα αὐτὴν πληροῖς.

Ο ἀσπασμὸς τῆ ἐμῆ χειρὶ Παύλου. Μνημονεύετέ μου τῶν δεσμῶν. Ἡ 18 χάρις μεθ ὑμῶν. Ἀμήν.

 $^{^{1}}$ Λαοδικεία, ας, ή, Laodicea. 2 Άρχιππος, ου, ὁ, Archippus. 3 ἀσπασμός, οῦ, ὁ, greeting, salutation. 4 μνημονεύω, remember, make mention of. 5 δεσμός, οῦ, ὁ, chain, bond.