

GROWING STRONG IN CHRIST

A STUDY OF COLOSSIANS

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THE VALUE OF ASSURANCE

Colossians 2:2-5

Introduction: One of the favorite hymns of all time is “Blessed Assurance.” But what is it about the assurance of our salvation that is so blessed? In the passage this morning, Paul explains the value of being certain about our relationship to Jesus Christ.

I. The Definition of Assurance (Matthew 7:22-23)

II. The Benefits of Assurance (Colossians 2:2)

A. We Inherit _____ (Psalm 73:26)

B. We Inherit _____ (John 17:21, 23)

C. We Inherit the _____ (Ephesians 1:14)

D. We Inherit _____ (1 Peter 1:5)

E. We Inherit the _____ (Matthew 25:34)

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III. The Subjects of Assurance (Colossians 2:2-3)

A. The _____ of Christ

B. The _____ of Christ

IV. The Adversaries of Assurance (Colossians 2:4)

A. F_____ D_____

B. C_____ D_____

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V. The Consequences of Assurance (Colossians 2:5)

A. F_____

B. S_____

Conclusion