

Colossians: Fighting Heresy and Preserving Purity  
(Part 12) Somebody IS Watching You

(Colossians 3:22-4:1) Regeneration in the workplace

(v.22-25) Christian \_\_\_\_\_ in spite of circumstances

(v.22) In the Greek culture slave (*doulos*) usually referred to the involuntary, permanent service of a slave.

By Roman times, slavery was so extensive that in the first century \_\_\_\_\_ out of every \_\_\_\_\_ people was a slave!

This was so pervasive that even \_\_\_\_\_, teachers and secretaries of the Roman emperors were slaves!

Many were \_\_\_\_\_ slaves working for the most part for \_\_\_\_\_ masters.

Active and cheerful discharge of all duty \_\_\_\_\_ the worker, promotes his comfort, and \_\_\_\_\_ Christianity.

(v.23) Submitting to authority involves a change of \_\_\_\_\_,

(v.24) Personal relationships must be dictated by the awareness that Jesus Christ is an unseen but ever-present guest.

Serving the Lord by serving man, anticipates a \_\_\_\_\_ and \_\_\_\_\_ from Him

(v.25) Dishonesty and lack of integrity will bring real \_\_\_\_\_ here and in the spiritual realm

(4:1) Requirements for believers who are in \_\_\_\_\_

Treat employees equally or as if they have equal \_\_\_\_\_.

Some of us may be masters on earth, but with the full understanding that we too are but servants of the Lord Who is Master over all.

(4:2-6) God's love opens many doors for \_\_\_\_\_

(v.2) Our devotion to \_\_\_\_\_ affects everything in our lives.

To devote ourselves to prayer involves time, resources, and sacrifice.

(v.3-4) Our prayers should not be only for our benefit

Our requests should be \_\_\_\_\_ and related to the ministry of the Word.

(v.5) Unbelievers are more interested in our \_\_\_\_\_ than in our \_\_\_\_\_ Col.1:10)

There are two related aspects of Christian witness – behavioral (walk) and verbal (talk)

A Christian's conduct can have a powerful evangelizing influence on the \_\_\_\_\_