

SMALL GROUPS—WEEK OF OCT. 19 (Study 6)

“The Magnificent Ministry” Colossians 1:24-29

1. In v. 24, how could Paul “rejoice in his sufferings”? What clues are found in the remainder of v. 24?

2. Have you ever experienced what Paul shares in II Cor. 11:23-29?

Is there any way in which we share in Christ’s afflictions?

3. How could Paul’s afflictions “fill up what is lacking in Christ’s afflictions”? v.24

See Acts 9:4-5 and note Jesus’ words.

4. How does Paul define “mystery” in vv. 26-27?

5. What are the elements in “proclaiming Christ” in v. 28?

6. Is ministry easy according to v. 29? What is necessary for effective ministry?
See v. 29b

