

Colossians 3:18-4:1 Overview

Christ as Lord of the Home – Part 1

- I. In the immediate context of the Colossians
 - A. In the book of Colossians as a whole
 - B. In Colossians 3 in particular
 - C. In the historical/cultural context of Colossians
- II. In the greater context of creation (Genesis 1-3)
 - A. Created to rule (Genesis 1:26-28)
 1. Substantively (v. 1:26a)
 2. Functionally (v. 1:26b, 28)
 3. Mutually (vv. 1:27-28)
 - B. Roles in ruling
 1. The paradigm (2:18, 21-22)
 - a. Monogamous
 - b. Heterosexual
 2. The responsibilities
 - a. Husband – lead lovingly
 - b. Wife – help willingly
 - C. The effects of Sin (Genesis 3)
 1. Leading selfishly
 2. Rebelling selfishly