



Putting On Christ (Pt. 3)

Colossians 3:12–17

Theme

*If we want to live for our
glorious Savior—we must
increasingly put on Christ.*

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- I. Embrace Our New Identity (vv. 9–12a)
- II. Clothe Ourselves with Christ's Character (v. 12b)
 - A. Compassion
 - B. Kindness
 - C. Humility
 - D. Gentleness
 - E. Patience

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- II. Clothe Ourselves with Christ's Character (v. 12b)
- III. Display Christ's Conduct (vv. 13–14)
 - A. Bear with One Another (v. 13a)
 - B. Forgive One Another (v. 13b)
 - C. Love One Another (v. 14)

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C. Love One Another

- By laying down our lives for each other in sacrificial service (John 13:34)

John 13:34

“A new commandment I give to you, that you love one another, even as I have loved you, that you also love one another.”

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- By laying down our lives for each other in sacrificial service (John 13:34)
- By keeping Christ's commands (1 John 5:2)

1 John 5:2

“By this we know that we love the children of God, when we love God and observe His commandments.”

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- By speaking the truth to one another (Eph 4:15)

Ephesians 4:15

“but speaking the truth in love, we are to grow up in all aspects into Him who is the head, even Christ”

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- By practicing hospitality (3 John 5–6)

3 John 5–6

“Beloved, you are acting faithfully in whatever you accomplish for the brethren, and especially when they are strangers; and they have testified to your love before the church. You will do well to send them on their way in a manner worthy of God.”

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**“But whoever has the world’s goods,
and sees his brother in need and closes
his heart against him, how does the love
of God abide in him?”**

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Galatians 5:13

“For you were called to freedom, brethren; only do not turn your freedom into an opportunity for the flesh, but through love serve one another.”

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- By correcting sinning brethren (2 Cor 2:4)

2 Corinthians 2:4

“For out of much affliction and anguish of heart I wrote to you with many tears; not so that you would be made sorrowful, but that you might know the love which I have especially for you.”

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- By praying for one another (Col 4:12)
- By bearing and forgiving one another (Col 3:13)