

**JESUS**  
the only Answer

# **Loyalty in Home, Work, and Heart**

**Colossians 3:18-4:1**

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Loyal - someone who willingly submits and sacrifices with undivided allegiance to someone or something

*"Loyalty means nothing unless it has at its heart the absolute principle of self-sacrifice."* —Woodrow Wilson

**Timeless Truth: *The Lord is pleased by His loyal servants.***

## **WHAT LOYALTY TO CHRIST LOOKS LIKE**

### **1. Developing loving submission to Christ in our homes (vv 18-21)**

"put on love" (Colossians 3:14) -

Wives & Husbands -

Submission -

Agape (sacrificial, serving love) -

Children under their parents' roof -

***Psalm 127:3***

Fathers -



Marriage  
Workshop

## 2. Demonstrating wholehearted obedience to Christ at work (vv 22 & 4:1)

As Jesus' Employees –

As Jesus' Employers –

## 3. Deepening our loyalty to Christ by serving from the heart (vv 23-25)

Do you know, or do you wonder about the reward of an inheritance the Lord has for you? Why?

### ***Revelation 22:12***

Loyalty to Christ as His church isn't based on what we get from Him, but that we are His loyal servants.

How is the Holy Spirit speaking to you about deepening your loyalty to Christ?

Who has your loyalty right now?