

OUR INWARD LIFE: ITS NEGATIVE ASPECTS Pt. 2 (Colossians 3:8-11)

V. THE PROBLEM OF AND PROTECTION FROM FALSE TEACHING (2:4-2:23)

VI. THE PURSUIT AND PRACTICE OF THE CHRISTIAN LIFE (3:1-4:6)

A. GENERALLY (3:1-4)

B. SPECIFICALLY (3:5-4:6)

1. Negatively – Applications Regarding Your Personal Sins (vv. 5-11)

a. **Command #1:** “*PUT to DEATH your members...*” (v. 5)

b. **Command #2:** “_____ *all these (5 sins) ...*” (v. 8)

1) The five sins of wicked hate to be laid aside are...

a) “*anger*”

b) “*wrath*”

c) “*malice*”

d) “*blasphemy*”

e) “*filthy language*”

* Principle to Remember:

c. **Command #3:** “Do _____ to one another...” (v. 9a)

1) The recipients of this particular sin were _____.

2) Two reasons for fulfilling these commands are...

a) Because “you have _____ (aorist part.) *the old man with his* _____.” (v. 9b)

b) Because you “have _____ (aorist part.) *the new man...*” (v. 10)

* What is this to result in?

* What is the means of this?

*Principle to Remember:

3) The ramifications of having put on the “*new man*” is positional oneness with all other believers in Christ and breaking down all natural barriers (v. 11), such as...

a) _____: “*neither Greek nor Jew...*”

b) _____: “*neither circumcised nor uncircumcised...*”

c) _____: “*neither barbarian or Scythian...*”

d) _____: “*neither slave nor free...*”

* How can you personally apply these truths in your own life?