



JUNE THEME



Week Two – The promise of His redemption

Monday ~ **READ**

READ Colossians 1:12-14 in three different translations and choose the one that speaks most clearly to you. This will be our main passage this week. Then, choose three of the following Scriptures to also read and add into your meditation upon the promise of His redemption: Psalm 103:4, Ephesians 1:7, Galatians 3:13, John 10:10, Psalm 111:9, Psalm 130:7, Job 19:25-26, Psalm 49:13-15, Romans 3:23-24, Galatians 4:4-5, Titus 2:13-14

*www.Biblegateway.com is a great place to view varied translations and paraphrases of Scripture

Tuesday ~ **COPY**

COPY Colossians 1:12-14 and then also copy the three Scriptures you chose to add to your meditation this week.

Wednesday ~ **PONDER**

PONDER Colossians 1:12-14 and your 3 chosen Scriptures against the backdrop of this rich definition of redemption: **to buy back, to forgive, to free from what distresses or harms, to repair and restore, to free from debt, to exchange for something of value, to offset the bad affect of, to make worthwhile.**

- Think of something in your life that God has redeemed, and then list each part of this definition that applies to that specific redemption in your life. Beside each one, describe your redemption in further detail.
- **Colossians 1:12** – Do you ever classify yourself, or someone else as not qualified to receive God's redemption? How does verse 12 speak to that kind of thinking? Journal what you find.
- **Colossians 1:13** – What words could be used to describe your *“darkness”* before Christ *“transferred you into the kingdom of Christ”* and worked redemption in your life?
- **Colossians 1:14** – This verse says, *“in Whom we have redemption”*... meaning the promise of redemption is already delivered into our lives. So now that God's redemptive work is already active in your life, what words could be used to describe the redemption kingdom of light that you now live in?
- **3 other passages** – What is the main encouragement to you from each one?
- **All the passages** – What are some areas in your life that you know still are in need of redemption? How do the Scriptures we have meditated upon this week encourage you in regard to these things?

Thursday ~ **PRAY**

PRAY into the promise of Colossians 1:12-14, and these other Scriptures...

- **V. 12** - **THANK** God for qualifying you to share in His inheritance of redemption.
- **V. 13-14** – **THANK** God specifically for all the ways He has already redeemed you. Use the definition of redemption given above to give further richness to your expression of thankfulness to Him. Also **ASK** God to give you eyes to see all that He wants you to experience in Christ's kingdom of light.
- **For your 3 chosen verses, PRAY** as the Holy Spirit leads, incorporating **THANKFULNESS** and **REQUESTS**.

Friday ~ **LISTEN**

LISTEN to a message on Colossians 1:12-14 on our YouTube Channel, *Established Footsteps Ministry*.

*The video will be posted by Friday and the link will be sent to you via email.

Saturday ~ **SHARE**

SHARE these Scriptures and something God has redeemed in your life on one of your social media platforms.