



“Let No One”  
Colossians 2:16-19  
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Questions for Application and Fellowship

### MY STORY

1. Have you ever been made to feel inferior due to your faith in Christ? Has anyone ever judged or condescended your trust in Jesus?

### QUICK REVIEW

Having expressed his gratitude for the Colossian church, and having presented a clear picture of the supremacy and sufficiency of Christ (chapter 1), Paul explicitly warns the Colossians against a heresy spreading in their city (chapter 2). They must take heed lest they exchange their focus on the all-sufficient Christ for religious practices with no power to save or sanctify. Paul urges the churches in Colossae and California with two strong exhortations of “LET NO ONE.”

**Let no one judge your trust in Jesus, because**

1. True spiritual \_\_\_\_\_ is found in Christ (2:16-17)
2. True spiritual \_\_\_\_\_ is found in Christ (2:18-19)

Was any point in this weekend’s message or portion of Scripture particularly challenging, encouraging or helpful for you?

Why did God want you to hear this message now?

## DIGGING DEEPER

1. Colossians 2:17 is a critical verse giving the New Covenant understanding of the Old Testament Ceremonial Law. Read Hebrews 10:1-10. How do these passages combine fill out your knowledge and understanding of how the OT rites were a shadow of things to come? How is your faith in Christ strengthened?
2. What do you believe about the Sabbath? How should we experience it in view of this text? What's its primary application? What related wisdom can be derived as far as taking a day off? (See also Genesis 2:1-3; Deuteronomy 5:12-15)
3. The Colossians heretics were longing for elevated experiences of worship that involved visions and angelic worship. Have you longed for mystical or sensational experiences with God? What do the following passages teach us about the nature of Christian worship? Can you think of others?

Psalm 95

Romans 12:1-2

Colossians 3:12-17

4. The false teachers had puffed up, sensual minds. When have you been tempted to judge other Christians based on your fasting or sacrifices you've made? How can we rightly encourage one another on the path of worship?