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Ephesians 4:23

Ephesians 4:23 (NKJV)

23 and be renewed in the spirit of your mind,

Colossians 3:1 (NKJV)

1 If then you were raised with Christ, seek those things which are above, where Christ is, sitting at the right hand of God.

Colossians 3:2 (NKJV)

2 Set your mind on things above, not on things on the earth.

Colossians 3:10 (NKJV)

10 and have put on the new man who is renewed in knowledge according to the image of Him who created him,

1 Corinthians 2:9 (NKJV)

9 But as it is written: "Eye has not seen, nor ear heard, Nor have entered into the heart of man The things which God has prepared for those who love Him."

1 Corinthians 2:10 (NKJV)

10 But God has revealed them to us through His Spirit. For the Spirit searches all things, yes, the deep things of God.

1 Corinthians 2:11 (NKJV)

11 For what man knows the things of a man except the spirit of the man which is in him? Even so no one knows the things of God except the Spirit of God.

1 Corinthians 2:12 (NKJV)

12 Now we have received, not the spirit of the world, but the Spirit who is from God, that we might know the things that have been freely given to us by God.

1 Corinthians 2:13 (NKJV)

13 These things we also speak, not in words which man's wisdom teaches but which the Holy Spirit teaches, comparing spiritual things with spiritual.

1 Corinthians 2:14 (NKJV)

14 But the natural man does not receive the things of the Spirit of God, for they are foolishness to him; nor can he know them, because they are spiritually discerned.

1 Corinthians 2:15 (NKJV)

15 But he who is spiritual judges all things, yet he himself is rightly judged by no one.

1 Corinthians 2:16 (NKJV)

16 For "who has known the mind of the LORD that he may instruct Him?" But we have the mind of Christ.

Ephesians 4:25 (NKJV)

25 Therefore, putting away lying, "Let each one of you speak truth with his neighbor," for we are members of one another.

Ephesians 4:26 (NKJV)

26 "Be angry, and do not sin": do not let the sun go down on your wrath,

Ephesians 4:27 (NKJV)

27 nor give place to the devil.

Ephesians 4:28 (NKJV)

28 Let him who stole steal no longer, but rather let him labor, working with his hands what is good, that he may have something to give him who has need.

Ephesians 4:29 (NKJV)

29 Let no corrupt word proceed out of your mouth, but what is good for necessary edification, that it may impart grace to the hearers.

Ephesians 4:30 (NKJV)

30 And do not grieve the Holy Spirit of God, by whom you were sealed for the day of redemption.

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Ephesians 4:31 (NKJV)

31 Let all bitterness, wrath, anger, clamor, and evil speaking be put away from you, with all malice.

Ephesians 4:32 (NKJV)

32 And be kind to one another, tenderhearted, forgiving one another, even as God in Christ forgave you.

1) Lying is to be replaced by telling the truth, since Christians are fellow members of one another

John 8:44 (NKJV)

44 You are of your father the devil, and the desires of your father you want to do. He was a murderer from the beginning, and does not stand in the truth, because there is no truth in him. When he speaks a lie, he speaks from his own resources, for he is a liar and the father of it.

2) Sinful anger is replaced by (briefly held), Righteous indignation, that the devil may not be given opportunity

Romans 12:17 (NKJV)

17 Repay no one evil for evil. Have regard for good things in the sight of all men.

Romans 12:18 (NKJV)

18 If it is possible, as much as depends on you, live peaceably with all men.

Romans 12:19 (NKJV)

19 Beloved, do not avenge yourselves, but rather give place to wrath; for it is written, "Vengeance is Mine, I will repay," says the Lord.

Romans 12:20 (NKJV)

20 Therefore "If your enemy is hungry, feed him; If he is thirsty, give him a drink; For in so doing you will heap coals of fire on his head."

Romans 12:21 (NKJV)

21 Do not be overcome by evil, but overcome evil with good.

3) Stealing is to be replaced by honest work, in order that one may have the means to meet the needs of others

Luke 14:13 (NKJV)

13 But when you give a feast, invite the poor, the maimed, the lame, the blind.

Luke 14:14 (NKJV)

14 And you will be blessed, because they cannot repay you; for you shall be repaid at the resurrection of the just."

Acts 20:33 (NKJV)

33 I have coveted no one's silver or gold or apparel.

Acts 20:34 (NKJV)

34 Yes, you yourselves know that these hands have provided for my necessities, and for those who were with me.

Acts 20:35 (NKJV)

35 I have shown you in every way, by laboring like this, that you must support the weak. And remember the words of the Lord Jesus, that He said, "It is more blessed to give than to receive."

2 Thessalonians 3:10 (NKJV)

10 For even when we were with you, we commanded you this: If anyone will not work, neither shall he eat.

2 Thessalonians 3:11 (NKJV)

11 For we hear that there are some who walk among you in a disorderly manner, not working at all, but are busybodies.

1 Timothy 5:8 (NKJV)

8 But if anyone does not provide for his own, and especially for those of his household, he has denied the faith and is worse than an unbeliever.

4) Foul language is to be replaced by gracious speech, that it may edify others and not grieve the spirit

Colossians 4:6 (NKJV)

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6 Let your speech always be with grace, seasoned with salt, that you may know how you ought to answer each one.

5) Resentment and wrath is to be replaced with kindness and forgiveness, since God has forgiven us.