



CHRIST
above all

Colossians 3:17

17 And whatever you do, in word or deed, do everything in the name of the Lord Jesus, giving thanks to God the Father through him.



EXALTING CHRIST IN ALL YOU DO

COLOSSIANS 3:18-4:1

Outline:

- Exalting Christ in Your **Marriage** (18-19)
- Exalting Christ in Your **Family** (20-21)
- Exalting Christ in Your **Vocation** (22-1)

Colossians 3:18-19

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Colossians 3:20-21

20 Children, obey your parents in everything, for this pleases the Lord.

21 Fathers, do not provoke your children, lest they become discouraged.

Colossians 3:22-24

22 Bondservants, obey in everything those who are your earthly masters, not by way of eye-service, as people-pleasers, but with sincerity of heart, fearing the Lord. **23** Whatever you do, work heartily, as for the Lord and not for men, **24** knowing that from the Lord you will receive the inheritance as your reward. You are serving the Lord Christ.

Colossians 3:25-4:1

25 For the wrongdoer will be paid back for the wrong he has done, and there is no partiality.

1 Masters, treat your bondservants justly and fairly, knowing that you also have a Master in heaven.



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- Colossians 3:17; Ephesians 5:3; 1 Cor. 7:2, 9, Hebrews 13:4.

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- Colossians 1:4, 6, 21; 2:6; 1:28; Ephesians 5:32.

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- Acts 5:29; 1 Peter 3:22; Colossians 2:10.

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- Proverbs 31:10-31.



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