

STUDIES ON COLOSSIANS

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Lesson 3

A SOARING PRAYER

Colossians 1:9--14

Introduction

I. Doctrinal: the person and work of Christ 1:1--2:3

A. Introduction 1:1--14

- 1. The salutation 1:1--2**
- 2. The thanksgiving 1:3--8**
- 3. The prayer 1:9--14**
 - a. The occasion 1:9a**

b. The petitions 1:9b--12

- 1) The primary petition 1:9b**

- 2) The second petition: a consequence of the first petition 1:10--14**

NB: Four characteristics of a worthy walk

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c. The bases of the petitions 1:13--14

1) Deliverance from darkness 1:13a

2) Transferral to the kingdom of the beloved Son 1:13b

3) Possession of redemption 1:14

Conclusion and application

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