

**YOU WALK LIKE YOU THINK!**  
**Colossians 1:3-14**

**A. THE CAUSE FOR THANKSGIVING AND PRAYER (v. 3-5)**

**1. Paul and Timothy thanked God for the Colossian's: (v. )**

- a. \_\_\_\_\_ by \_\_\_\_\_. (v. 4a)
- b. \_\_\_\_\_ for the saints. (v. 4b)
- c. \_\_\_\_\_ due to what \_\_\_\_\_ them in heaven. (v. 5a)

**B. THE CONTENT OF PAUL & TIMOTHY'S PRAYERS (v.9-14)**

**1. Paul and Timothy prayed so that the Colossians might be filled with the knowledge of God's will - His \_\_\_\_\_ and \_\_\_\_\_ (v. 9b)**

*Why was this a possibility and not a certainty?*

- a. You need \_\_\_\_\_ (wisdom) and \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_ to mentally put the pieces of God's will together.  
(v.9c)

**2. Paul and Timothy prayed so that the Colossians might \_\_\_\_\_  
of the Lord Jesus Christ. (v. 10a)**

*What does "worthy" mean?*

- a. Your day-to-day walk worthy may be spent \_\_\_\_\_  
with the Lord or walking in darkness. (v. 10b, 1 John 1:6,7)
  - b. You may be \_\_\_\_\_ in your day-to-day worthy walk or  
\_\_\_\_\_ and \_\_\_\_\_. (v. 10b, John 15:5)
  - c. You may be \_\_\_\_\_ in your depth of knowledge  
of God and His Word, or allow your mind to be \_\_\_\_\_ to  
this world's evil standards. (v.10c, Romans 12:2)
- Your growth is a \_\_\_\_\_ and requires \_\_\_\_\_ (increasing). (v. 10d)

- Your transformation comes by knowledge \_\_\_\_\_ God. (v. 10d)
- Your growth in the knowledge of God is \_\_\_\_\_ (v. 10d)

d. You may depend on the Lord to \_\_\_\_\_ you or languish in \_\_\_\_\_ and frustration.

- God's strength is according to \_\_\_\_\_ glorious power, not \_\_\_\_\_! (11a)
- God's strength is for or in reference to patience (hupomone): \_\_\_\_\_ under pressure. (11b)
- God's strength is for or in reference to longsuffering: suffering long with \_\_\_\_\_.

*Why is this needed? When is this needed?*

e. Your worthy walk should be characterized by \_\_\_\_\_ to the \_\_\_\_\_ (v. 12a)

- Because you are an \_\_\_\_\_ as a saint in the light. (V. 12b)
- Because you have been \_\_\_\_\_ from the ruling \_\_\_\_\_ of darkness. (v. 13a)
- Because you have been \_\_\_\_\_ into the kingdom of the \_\_\_\_\_! (v. 13b)
- Because in Christ, we have(right now) \_\_\_\_\_ by means of His blood, the \_\_\_\_\_ of \_\_\_\_\_!

*How does this apply to you?*