

Overalls for Clothing Our Self

Colossians 3:14-17

Review

The new self is created in the image of God – Exodus 34:5-7

Colossians 3:14

- Put on love – a hypothesis
- Love is overlaid
- Checklist danger
- What is love?
- Bound together

Wednesday Discussion

Colossians 3:12-17

1. If...a parent were to have a favorite child, what do you suppose would cause this?
2. Why are certain employees more favored than others? Why are there such things as teacher's pets?
3. Why are Christians 'God's chosen ones'? Consider Romans 16:13 and 2 John 1 & 13 and insert the word 'choice' instead of chosen or elect.
4. Where do the attributes listed in verses 12-13 come from? If we possess them are we right to have pride in our goodness?
5. Is love (v14) separable from list preceding it? Can one have love without those things?
6. Can a person practice the attributes listed in verses 12-13 and not have love overlaid on them?
7. Is there any value in practicing those things without love?
8. Does love overlook error and sin?
9. How does love bind together in perfect harmony?
10. Looking through verses 15-17, do you see the attributes from the prior verses playing out with love over them? If so, list the ways.
11. Can we start to do any of these more purposely for each other?