

Jesus—Nothing More, Nothing Less
Introduction to Colossians, Grace to You and Peace
Colossians 1:1-2
Sermon Notes for June 21, 2020

1. Who is this Letter written from?
2. Who is this Letter written to?
3. What is this Letter about?

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Discussion/Study Guide for Colossians 1:1-2

1. After listening to Pastor Phil's reflections on Colossians 1:1-2, what initial thoughts come to your mind that encourage or challenge you in your walk with Jesus?
2. Reread Colossians 1:1-2 together. You, or someone else in the group, put into your own words who this letter is from; who this letter is to; and what this letter is about. Be creative.
3. Who is included with Paul in the writing of this letter? Why is he important to Paul? Do you have such a person in your life? If so, who? If not, who could you begin to cultivate this kind of relationship with?
4. What 2 words does Paul use to describe the brothers (and sisters) in Colossae? How do Col. 1:23 and 2:6-7 help us understand what it means to be described as one of these brothers or sisters in Christ?
5. What can we learn about God from Paul's greeting in verse 2?
6. How would you define the grace of God? How would you define the peace of God?
7. Where do you need to experience God's grace and/or peace in your life today? Is there anything standing in the way of you experiencing that today?
8. Spend time in prayer thanking God for His grace and peace, asking for it in those specific areas which you've identified.