

Worthy of Christ – Colossians 1:9-14

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There are many ways we may pray for one another within the community of faith. But how does the apostle Paul pray for the Colossian believers? The heart of his prayer is found in 1:10, “That you may walk worthy of the Lord.” We will consider this great prayer beginning with the question, “What does it mean to walk *worthy* of the Lord?”

1. To walk *worthy* of the Lord has to do with equality.
 - a. “Worthy” does not mean “deserving.”
 - b. “Worthy” means “to be equal to.”
 - c. “Walking worthy” means that we are behaving in a way that is *equal* to the name “Christian.”
2. To walk *worthy* of the Lord is qualified by *pleasing* the Lord.