

Valley Bible Church – Sermon Study Questions

Study Aid for the Sermon from April 26-27, 2003

"The Church of Christ"

Colossians 1:24-29

Observing the text

In what sense are Christ's afflictions "lacking?"

What is the mystery referred to in Colossians 1:26?

From Colossians 1:28-29, list several principles that describe effective ministry in the church.

Applying the sermon

Honestly evaluate if you are doing your share on behalf of Christ's body, the church.

In what ways are you putting yourself among the Gentiles so that they may know the riches of the glory?

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Consider the last time that a fellow believer in Christ admonished you. How did you respond?

What are you doing to put yourself in the position for the church to present you mature in Christ?

How can you improve your service to others in the goal of presenting those in our fellowship mature in Christ?