

Valley Bible Church – Sermon Study Questions

Study Aid for the Sermon from October 4-5, 2003

"Pursuing God in Our World"

Colossians 4:2-6

Observing the text

List what you learn about prayer from Colossians 4:2-4?

What does it take to communicate the gospel with clarity?

In what ways have you seen Christians fail to conduct themselves with wisdom toward those outside the church (4:5)?

What do you think Paul means by speech seasoned with salt in 4:6?

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Applying the sermon

List a few Christians that you know who are seeking to minister the gospel to people and pray for each one:

- Thank God for them
- Pray for their opportunities for ministry
- Pray for their boldness in affliction
- Pray for the clarity of their communication

In what ways have you conducted yourself foolishly among non-Christians in the past?

List a few non-Christians that you have a relationship with. How can you make the most of this opportunity God has given you?

List a few non-Christians that you will interact with this week and pray for their salvation each day.