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(18) Wives, submit yourselves to your own husbands, as it is fit in the Lord.

(19) Husbands, love *your* wives, and do not be bitter against them.

(20) Children, obey *your* parents in all things: because this is well pleasing to the Lord.

(21) Fathers, do not provoke your children *to anger*, lest they be discouraged.

(22) Servants, obey *your* masters in all things according to the flesh; not with eye service, as men pleasers; but in singleness of heart, fearing God:

(23) And whatever you do, do *it* heartily, as to the Lord, and not to men;

(24) Knowing that you shall receive from the Lord the reward of the inheritance; because you serve the Lord Christ.

(25) But he who does wrong shall receive for the wrong which he has done; and there is no respect of persons.

Chapter 4

(1) Masters, give to *your* servants that which is just and equal; knowing that you also have a Master in heaven.

(2) Continue in prayer, and watch in the same with thanksgiving;

(3) In all things praying also for us, that God would open to us a door to speak, to speak the mystery of Christ, for which I am also in bonds:

(4) That I may make it known, as I ought to speak.

(5) Walk in wisdom towards those on the outside, redeeming the time.

(6) Let your speech *be* always with grace, seasoned with salt, that you may know how you ought to answer every man.

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(7) All my state Tychicus shall declare to you, *who is* a beloved brother, and a faithful minister and fellow servant in the Lord:

(8) Whom I have sent to you for this purpose, that he might know your estate, and comfort your hearts;

(9) With Onesimus, a faithful and beloved brother, who is *one* of you. They shall make known to you all things which *are done* here.

(10) Aristarchus my fellow prisoner salutes you, and Mark, Barnabas' sister's son, (from whom you received commandments: if he comes to you, receive him;)

(11) And Jesus, who is called Justus, who are of the circumcision {Jews}. These *are my* only fellow workers for the kingdom of God, who have been a comfort to me.

(12) Epaphras, who is *one* of you, a servant of Christ, salutes you, always laboring fervently for you in prayers, that you may stand perfect and complete in all the will of God.

(13) Because I bear him witness, that he has a great zeal for you, and those *who are* in Laodicea, and those in Hierapolis.

(14) Luke, the beloved physician, and Demas, greet you.