

Colossians
23 – Holiness According to Christ Part 3
Colossians 2:20-23

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Third Error: Superior Holiness Not According to Christ

That there is a superior purity and separateness from the corruption of the world that we can attain to if, in addition to Christ, we abstain from certain use of things such as certain foods, practicing a level of discipline that will enable us to live more holy and separate lives to God.

II. The Error of Not Recognizing Our Need to Carefully How to Use or Not Use Things That Are Not Wrong in Themselves, But That May or May Not Be a Safe and Wise Choice.

A. A Biblical Guide (from 1 Cor. 8-10)

1. What will best serve the good of my fellow Christians
2. What will best serve the cause of the Gospel and the health of the Church
3. What will best serve my own spiritual health and welfare
4. What will best serve the glory of God

“All things are lawful for me, but all things are not helpful”

- Just because I can, doesn't mean I should
- Just because someone else can, doesn't mean I should
- Just because I can't, doesn't mean another should not

B. Working with Examples

C. Conclusion/Summary