

OUR CHRISTIAN DUTIES Colossians 4:2-6

Introduction:

Based on our text for today, we will examine two commands for our Christian Duties:

(1) “Continue in Prayer” and (2) Walk in Wisdom Toward Outsiders.

- I. **“Continue in Prayer”** (vv. 2-4)
 - A. **Continue Steadfastly in Prayer** (v. 2a)
 - B. **Watch in Prayer** (v. 2b)
 - C. **Pray with Thanksgiving** (v. 2c)
 - D. **Pray for Others** (vv. 3-4)

- II. **Walk in Wisdom Toward Outsiders** (vv. 5–6)
 - A. **Believers are to walk wisely toward outsiders – Unbelievers** (v. 5a)
 - B. **Believers are to walk wisely by “redeeming the time”** (vv. 5b; 6c)
 - C. **Believers are to have godly speech toward every one** (v. 6)

Conclusion:

- A. Have you been fulfilling your duty in praying for other Believers and Unbelievers? Have you been walking wisely toward Believers and especially Unbelievers?

- B. Does the way you live and the words you say point Unbelievers to Christ? If not, ask God for wisdom and strength to change.

- C. **Teach me to pray, Lord, teach me to pray**
Teach me to pray, Lord, teach me to pray; This is my heart-cry day unto day;
I long to know Thy will and Thy way; Teach me to pray, Lord, teach me to pray.
Living in Thee, Lord, and Thou in me, Constant abiding, this is my plea;
Grant me Thy power, boundless and free, Power with men and power with Thee.

- D. **Romans Road (Rom 3:10, 23; 5:8; 10:9, 13)**

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“... the word of our God shall stand for ever” (Isa 40:8).