

# COLOSSIANS 1:9-14

## YOUTH CHURCH

This morning we are continuing our series in Colossians. Last week, while looking at Colossians 1:1-8, we discovered the importance of Faith, Hope & Love in the lives of Christians. These three things are foundational in our lives: FAITH in Christ, LOVE for all people & HOPE for heaven. This morning, we are going to explore the next part of Paul's letter, and learn what it looks like to be growing in our faith.

### ▼ Task 1 - Growth

We all have moments in our lives that make us grow in our character. Lockdown has maybe made us more patient, failing something maybe made us more motivated, etc. What are the top 3 moments of the last year that have caused you to grow the most in your character? How did you grow in these moments?

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### ► Bible Study

- What is the key verse?
- What are the repeated words?
- What surprises you?
- What do you learn about the Colossian church?
- What is Paul's main point in this passage?
- How does this passage apply to your life as a Christian?

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9 For this reason, from the day we heard it, we haven't stopped praying for you. We're asking God to fill you with the knowledge of what he wants for you, in all wisdom and spiritual understanding. 10 This will mean that you'll be able to conduct yourselves in a manner worthy of the Lord, and so give him real delight, as you bear fruit in every good work and grow up in the knowledge of God. 11 I pray that you'll be given all possible strength, according to the power of his glory, so that you'll have complete patience and become truly steadfast and joyful. 12 And I pray that you will learn to give thanks to the father, who has made you fit to share the inheritance of God's holy ones in the light. 13 He has delivered us from the power of darkness, and transferred us into the kingdom of his beloved son. 14 He is the one in whom we have redemption, the forgiveness of sins.

### ▼ Watch the video

Watch the video at <https://youtu.be/zm3CK0WgBgs> where Steven shares some thoughts on the passage and some questions to reflect on.