

The Walking Xian Col 2: 6, 7

Intro: a life in which attain O's best & avoid Satan's worst

- one simple commitment

Text - Paul's implicit = a battle

O's best = to discover that Jesus is the treasure chest of life

Satan's worst = to deceive us about the best things in life

The Condition = walk in Him. O.T.: walk by

N.T. = walk in - a strange expression:

don't travel beyond X = a boundary + limits

your own living: Live your life w/in the empire of X - never to go outside of X

= received Him, now use Him

I - walking begins w/ a step = Hope you're all
impressed w/ profundity: Pulpit Committee =
"What do you want?" - "Shows how to be
born again!"

The step = received X Jesus the Lord

1. a Personal Encounter = received a

Opinion = know by personal experience

[How Carolyn Feltledge came to know God]

② definite act

3. a Permanent Enslavement - ① Received =
acc. we fall

② Lord = Thou his name: 434 times; Rev 19: 15, 16

Enslaved into = to renounce self & consider self for life -
Time servant of Jesus.

make me a captive, hold
I then I shall be free
Force me to render up my sword,
I shall conqueror be

II - walking is a series of steps - walking is
repetition, doing the same thing over & over -
"as you have received... so walk" / How do
you live the Xian life? Same way to get it.

1. Repentance = turning from self = not of
us are walking in the direction of ourselves - eyes
beamed in by barbed wire of our ego - bleeding

2. Faith = turning towards = commitment =
giving all that I know & myself to all that
know of Jesus = not knowledge increases

Phil 3. 7 - wanted
8 - counting

III - walking is controlled falling = 2/3

a Xian doesn't walk, he'll fall =

Crisis vs walking = John 24 = able to
keep from falling

1. Grounded = rooted - stability = fixed, deep
rooted - organic union -

Security = as soil holds root so Jesus holds us

2. Growing = built up & established = being nourished
by Jesus = feeding of Jesus

3. Grateful = standing in Thanksgiving