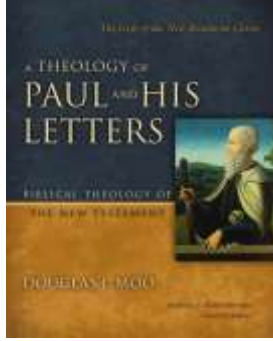


Chapter 10



True/False

1. Paul wrote to the Colossians during one of his imprisonments.
2. Paul's purpose in writing the letter was to teach about church leadership.
3. The author believed the church was primarily Jewish with a few gentiles.
4. Paul thanked God for the Colossians' faithfulness.
5. Paul believed that the Colossians should debate false teachers in order to convert them.
6. Paul taught that right living will lead to right thinking.
7. Paul used language in this letter that equated Jesus with God the Father.
8. Paul described Jesus as the head of the body of believers.
9. Paul taught that fullness is only found in the law.
10. Believers should "put off" certain behaviors and "put on" behaviors that are pleasing to God.

Multiple Choice

1. Paul likened a Christian community to:
 - a. an ecosystem.
 - b. a tree.
 - c. a spiritual family.
 - d. a rock.
2. A Christocentric life is one that:
 - a. is focused on Christ.
 - b. is focused on the law.
 - c. prioritizes obedience to the Old Testament.
 - d. None of the above.
3. The author defined *hope* as:
 - a. the basis for faith and love.
 - b. the security that Christ provides.
 - c. both a. and b.
 - d. None of the above.
4. Why should Christians "put to death" their sinful thoughts and actions?
 - a. They should be obedient to the law.
 - b. They should be obedient to Paul.
 - c. They should live in a way that earns praise from others.
 - d. They should live in a way that reflects their heavenly identity.

5. The author believed “elemental spiritual forces” referred to:
 - a. the church in Colossae.
 - b. Satan.
 - c. spiritual powers.
 - d. elementary teachings by the false teachers.

6. Paul likely used a hymn in this letter to address:
 - a. false teachings that questioned Jesus’s role in the universe.
 - b. leadership in the church.
 - c. church growth.
 - d. questions about sanctification.

7. What did Paul teach would overcome any desire to follow false teachings?
 - a. Attending more church activities
 - b. Reading the Old Testament
 - c. Fellowship with other believers
 - d. Complete knowledge of the gospel

8. Which of the following was *not* an issue of false teaching that Paul addressed in this letter?
 - a. Teachings that did not focus on fullness in Christ
 - b. The holiness of God
 - c. Promotion of Jewish-like views
 - d. Denigration of Christ

9. Paul taught that hope could be found in:
 - a. the Old Testament.
 - b. the law.
 - c. obedience alone.
 - d. the true message of the gospel.

10. Paul believed that true faith always produced:
 - a. a larger church.
 - b. love for others.
 - c. obedience to the law.
 - d. blessings.