

Series: Colossians: A Big Jesus for Life's Big Problems

Sermon: Paul

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1. If you were going to introduce yourself to an audience you'd never met, how would you describe yourself?

2. If you were going to introduce Jesus to an audience you'd never met, how would you describe Him?

3. Which of the following questions do you think is the biggest question that someone has to answer?

A. What is your purpose in life?

B. Is there really a Creator?

C. Is there a right and wrong beyond my right and wrong?

D. What happens when we die?

3. Have you ever started to drift in your faith? How did you get back on track?

4. Read the following passages to learn about Paul, before he was a Christian, when his name was Saul? How would you describe him based on Acts 7:54 – Acts 8:4?

5. Read Colossians 1:1-3. What do you learn about Paul's authority and desire to write to Jesus' followers? Share your thoughts on the following phrases.

A. Chosen by the will of God (vs. 1)

B. An apostle of Christ Jesus (vs. 1)

C. We are writing to God's holy people (vs. 2)

6. Paul wrote this letter from prison. If you were in prison, would you use your time like Paul?

7. Who do you listen to that shapes your thinking about Jesus?

8. If you say Jesus is the Lord of your life, do you allow His principles to determine how you live?

9. As a group, pray that Jesus would become big in your life.