



NAVIGATING CULTURE CHOOSING THE RIGHT COMPASS

Colossians 2:6-8

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1. Make _____
(vv.7-8)

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6 Therefore, as you received Christ Jesus the Lord, so walk in him, 7 rooted and built up in him and established in the faith, just as you were taught, abounding in thanksgiving. 8 See to it that no one takes you captive by philosophy and empty deceit, according to human tradition, according to the elemental spirits of the world, and not according to Christ. (ESV)

2. Exercise _____
(v.8a)

3. Expect _____
(v.8b)

Application Questions

These questions are provided for your further study and application of today's sermon. Thoughtfully writing out the answers to these questions will help to drive home the point of today's study. It is also helpful when you are able to discuss your answers with others. For more information about LifeGroups at Compass Bible Church that utilize these questions as the basis for their weekly discussion, please visit compasshillcountry.org/lifegroups or email us at info@compasshillcountry.org.

1. Read 2 Timothy 3:14–17 and 2 Peter 1:3. What do these verses teach us about the kind of impact the Bible should have on our life?
2. Read Ephesians 2:19-20 and Ephesians 4:11–12. Why is seeing the apostles and prophets (those who wrote the Old and New Testaments) words in the Bible as authoritative the only right response to accepting the truth of Biblical Christianity?
3. Read 1 Corinthians 14:20 and Hebrews 5:12–14. What are some practical steps you can take this week to be more discerning when it comes to navigating culture through a biblical worldview?
4. Read Romans 12:2 and Ephesians 5:6–10. What are some other verses in the Bible that teach us the importance of discernment and its place in our daily walk?
5. Read Colossians 2:8 and Romans 16:17-19. Why is conflict in culture inevitable for people who profess Biblical Christianity? What do these verses say about our responsibility to maintain a solid foundation on the Bible amid conflict with cultural philosophies?

<i>This Week's Bible Reading Schedule</i>	
January 9th	<i>Genesis 23-24 & Mt. 8</i>
January 10th	<i>Genesis 25-26 & Mt.9:1-17</i>
January 11th	<i>Genesis 27-28 & Mt.9:18-38</i>
January 12th	<i>Genesis 29-30 & Mt.10:1-23</i>
January 13th	<i>Genesis 31-32 & Mt.10:24-42</i>
January 14th	<i>Genesis 33-35 & Mt. 11</i>
January 15th	<i>Genesis 36-37 & Mt.12:1-21</i>
January 16th	<i>Genesis 38-40 & Mt.12:22-50</i>