

Jesus Our Anointed King

Colossians 1:9-17

For this reason, since the day we heard about you, we have not stopped praying for you. We continually ask God to fill you with the knowledge of his will through all the wisdom and understanding that the Spirit gives, so that you may live a life worthy of the Lord and please him in every way: bearing fruit in every good work, growing in the knowledge of God, being strengthened with all power according to his glorious might so that you may have great endurance and patience, and giving joyful thanks to the Father, who has qualified you to share in the inheritance of his holy people in the kingdom of light. For he has rescued us from the dominion of darkness and brought us into the kingdom of the Son he loves, in whom we have redemption, the forgiveness of sins.

The Son is the image of the invisible God, the firstborn over all creation. For in him all things were created: things in heaven and on earth, visible and invisible, whether thrones or powers or rulers or authorities; all things have been created through him and for him. He is before all things, and in him all things hold together.

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Paul's Prayer to be Filled with Knowledge and Power

- What Is the Knowledge of His Will?
- What is the Power?
- How Can We Answer This Prayer?

What Is the Knowledge of His Will?

- Jesus is King and Creator of the Cosmos
- In Him All Things Hold Together
- You are transferred into His Kingdom

What is the Power?

It is *Joy* not only in knowing your salvation – but also in how He saved you

You are Ransomed (v.14)

John Baptizing Jesus (John 3)

You are Qualified (v. 13)

Zaccheus (Luke 19)

How Can We Answer This Prayer?

Follow Jesus as King of the Cosmos and Lover of my Soul

- His crown is made of thorns.
- His table Reminds us of how He loved us.

Let Him Enthroned Your Heart!

2 Duty in His Kingdom is our Delight!

“If you are in love with somebody – their happiness is your happiness. If you are indifferent to somebody their happiness is at the expense of your happiness. But if you love somebody, their happiness is no expense at all.”
Keller



**BE IN LOVE
WITH JESUS
YOUR KING!**