Colossians "Doctrine, Danger, and Duty!"

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It's a Family Affair!

Colossians 3:18-4:1



He is also head of the body, the church; and He is the beginning, the first-born from the dead; so that He Himself might come to have first place in everything. ----Colossians 1:18

Jesus Christ is preeminent over all!

"The strength of a nation is derived from the integrity of its homes."

Paul addresses three groups...

1) Husbands and Wives: Love and Submission. (18-19)

1Cor. 13:4-5..."love is <u>patient</u>, love is <u>kind</u>. It <u>does not envy</u>, it <u>does not boast</u>, it is <u>not</u> <u>proud</u>. It is not rude, it is <u>not self-seeking</u>, it is <u>not easily angered</u>, it keeps <u>no record</u> of wrong."

2) Parents and Children: Encouragement and obedience. (20-21)

Ephesians 6:4..."And fathers do not provoke your children to anger; but bring them up in the discipline and instruction of the Lord."

3) Masters and Servants: Honesty and devotion. (22-4:1)

Romans 2:11..."For God shows no partiality."

James 2:1, 9..."My brothers, show no partiality as you hold the faith in our Lord Jesus Christ, the Lord of glory." 9. "But if you show partiality, you are committing sin and are convicted by the law of transgressors."

Ephesians emphasizes being filled with the Spirit and Colossians emphasizes being filled with the Word. But the evidences are the same.