

Colossians 3:12-17

CLOTHING THE NEW CREATION

Colossians 1:27–28 (ESV): 7

To them God chose to
make known how great among the Gentiles are the
riches of the glory
of this mystery, which is Christ in you, the hope of
glory. 28

Him we
proclaim, warning everyone and teaching everyone
with all wisdom,
that we may present everyone mature in Christ

Colossians 3:9–11 (ESV): Do not
lie to one another, seeing that you have put off the
old self with its practices

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and have put on the new self, which is being
renewed in knowledge
after the image of its creator. 11

Here there is not Greek and Jew,
circumcised and uncircumcised, barbarian, Scythian,
slave, free; but Christ

is all, and in all.

Colossians 3:12–

13 (ESV): Put on then, as God's chosen ones, holy and beloved, compassionate hearts, kindness, humility, meekness, and patience,

Deuteronomy 14:2 (ESV): For you are a people holy to the Lord your God, and the Lord has chosen you to be a people for his treasured possession, out of all the peoples who are on the face of the earth.

Deuteronomy 7:6–8

(ESV): For you are a people holy to the Lord your God. The Lord your God has chosen you to be a people for his treasured possession, out of all the peoples who are on the face of the earth. 7 It was not because you were more in number than any other people that the Lord set his love on you and chose you, for you were the fewest of all peoples,

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but it is because the Lord loves you and is keeping the oath that he swore to your fathers, that the Lord has brought you out with a mighty hand and redeemed you from the house of slavery, from the hand of Pharaoh king of Egypt

1 Peter 2:9–10 (ESV): But you are a chosen race, a royal priesthood, a holy nation, a people for his own possession, that you may proclaim the excellencies of him who called you out of darkness into his marvelous light. 10
Once you were not a people, but now you are God's people; once you had not received mercy, but now you have received mercy.

Isaiah 53:7 He was oppressed and He was afflicted, yet He opened not His mouth.

Colossians 3:13 (ESV): bearing with one another and, if one has a complaint against another, forgiving each other; as the Lord has forgiven you, so you also must forgive.

Matthew 5:23–24 (ESV): 23

So if you are offering your
gift at the altar and there remember that your brother
has something
against you, 24

leave your gift there before the altar and go. First be
reconciled to your brother, and then come and offer
your gift.