

What could you do this week to carry out this spiritual battle?

LifeGroup Questions November 20, 2022 Colossians 2:11-15

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1) In Colossians 2:14-15 Paul uses the concept of accounting/legal jargon as a means to share the gospel ("canceling the record of debt"/"legal demands"). Have you heard the Gospel shared in a creative way that it helped clarify or reinforce some of the truth packed into the good news of Jesus?
2) Throughout this passage the topic of circumcision comes up many times. What was the purpose of circumcision as God defined it in the Old Testament? Consider the following passages:
- Genesis 17:9-11 - Deuteronomy 10:16
3) Based on the passages below; by what power was Jesus raised from the dead, and why do you think that is significant? - Colossians 2:12 - Ephesians 1:19-21
- Romans 8:9-11 4) In what way does the cross serve to "triumph" over the "rulers and authorities" that Paul speaks of in this passage?
5) Based on the passages below; how are we supposed to grapple and battle with these "rulers and authorities"?
- Ephesians 6:10-12 - 1 Peter 5:6-9