

A person is running through a dark, narrow tunnel. A bright light source is visible at the end of the tunnel, creating a strong silhouette effect. The person is running away from the viewer towards the light. The overall mood is one of hope and perseverance.

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THE GOSPEL IN ALL OF LIFE



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INTRODUCTION

Colossians 1.1-2 ESV

¹Paul, an apostle of Christ Jesus by the will of God,
and Timothy our brother,

²To the saints and faithful brothers in Christ at
Colossae:

Grace to you and peace from God our Father.

Colossians 1.3-5 ESV

³We always thank God, the Father of our Lord Jesus Christ, when we pray for you, ⁴ since we heard of your faith in Christ Jesus and of the love that you have for all the saints, ⁵ because of the hope laid up for you in heaven. Of this you have heard before in the word of the truth, the gospel,

Colossians 1.6-8 ESV

⁶which has come to you, as indeed in the whole world it is bearing fruit and increasing—as it also does among you, since the day you heard it and understood the grace of God in truth, ⁷just as you learned it from Epaphras our beloved fellow servant. He is a faithful minister of Christ on (y)our behalf ⁸and has made known to us your love in the Spirit.

THE GOSPEL

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Smyrna/Izmir

Sardis

Pisidian Antioch

Philadelphia

Ephesus

Laodicea

Miletus

Colossae

Didyma

Euromos

Southwest Turkey

Bodrum

Perge

Mediterranean
Sea

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Colossians 2.1

¹For I want you to know how great a struggle I have for you and for those at Laodicea and for all who have not seen me face to face...

Acts 19.8-10 ESV

¹Paul passed through the inland country and came to Ephesus... ⁸And he entered the synagogue and for three months spoke boldly, reasoning and persuading them about the kingdom of God. ⁹But when some became stubborn and continued in unbelief, speaking evil of the Way before the congregation, he withdrew from them and took the disciples with him, reasoning daily in the hall of Tyrannus. ¹⁰This continued for two years, so that all the residents of Asia heard the word of the Lord, both Jews and Greeks.

What is the gospel?

- Message
 - Adoption
 - Seed
 - Grace
 - Promise
- 





Fruit of the gospel

- Visible
- Immediate
- Continual
- Increasing
- Global
- Faith-love-hope
- Spirit
- Prayer
- Thankfulness

**Live the Gospel
Love the People
Obey the Spirit
Everywhere!**



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Tests

Each test are also an invitation!

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