

Biblical Help for an Angry World

Don't Manage Your Anger, Repent of it.

Colossians 3:8-10

The Christian life is a new and drastic _____ of _____.

Paul talked about this change as “_____”.

Colossians 3:8; Ephesians 5:8

Paul tells us that this change results in our _____.

Colossians 3:8

Put them all away is a reference to changing ones _____.

Ephesians 4:31; Hebrews 12:1

Paul lists 5 traits of _____ which have no place in the Christian life.

1. **Anger** – a smoldering _____ or _____
2. **Wrath** – a quick _____, _____, a hot head, like one pouring fuel onto a fire.
3. **Malice** – the _____ of anger and rage, ill will or _____.
4. **Slander** – _____ of character
5. **Obscene talk** – _____, _____, foul-mouthed abusive speech

The Christian life should be characterized by _____ not _____.

A refusal to confess _____ sin to others is _____; pretending to be something you are not.

Colossians 3:9; 1 John 1:8-10

Don't cover up your sin by _____ that you're _____ than you really are.

1 Peter 5:5

_____ (hypocrisy) is a character trait of the old life of an _____ person.

Revelation 21:7-8

The old _____ and its _____ must be removed at once.

Colossians 3:9; 2:15

Living a godly life is not _____ for true Christians.

True believers _____ new _____.

Colossians 3:10; Romans 13:12

While there is _____ responsibility attached to this, it cannot be done without God _____ its action.

Isaiah 61:10

From a _____, there are two means of accomplishing the appropriation of godly habits.

Colossians 3:10

1. There must be an intentional _____ of biblical _____.

2 Corinthians 4:16; Romans 10:2;

2 Peter 1:3

2. There must be an intentional _____ of the _____ of God in the life of the believer.

Colossians 3:10; Romans 8:29

Application: When I think of the person who evokes the most anger in me, what kind of _____ and _____ would Jesus want me to display toward them?

Write out _____ Bible references which will _____ my attitude and actions the next time I'm tempted to sin at this person.