Journey Through the New Testament Jesus: Our Sufficient Savior Colossians 1:13-20

For this reason also, since the day we heard of it, we have not ceased to pray for you and to ask <u>that you may be filled with the knowledge of His will</u> in all spiritual wisdom and understanding, ¹⁰ so <u>that you will walk in a manner</u> worthy of the Lord, to please Him in all respects, bearing fruit in every good work and increasing in the knowledge of God; ¹¹ strengthened with all power, according to His glorious might, for the attaining of all steadfastness and patience; joyously ¹² giving thanks to the Father, who has qualified us to share in the inheritance of the saints in Light. **Colossians 1:9-12 (NASB)**

1) Jesus is G_____ (v.15)

Philip said to Him, "Lord, show us the Father, and it is enough for us." ⁹ Jesus said to him, "Have I been so long with you, and yet you have not come to know Me, Philip? He who has seen Me has seen the Father; how can you say, 'Show us the Father'? ¹⁰ "Do you not believe that I am in the Father, and the Father is in Me? The words that I say to you I do not speak on My own initiative, but the Father abiding in Me does His works." John 14:8-10 (NASB)

2) Jesus is C_____ (v.16)

In the beginning was the Word, and the Word was with God, and the Word was God. ²He was in the beginning with God. ³ All things came into being through Him, and apart from Him nothing came into being that has come into being. John 1:1-3 (NASB)

3) Jesus is S_____ (vv.17-18)

Then the LORD God formed man of dust from the ground, and breathed into his nostrils the breath of life; and man became a living being. Genesis 2:7 (NASB)

In him was life... John 1:4 (ESV)

4) Jesus is R_____(vv.19-20)

For while we were still helpless, at the right time Christ died for the ungodly. ⁷or one will hardly die for a righteous man; though perhaps for the good man someone would dare even to die. ⁸ But God demonstrates His own love toward us, in that while we were yet sinners, Christ died for us. **Romans 5:6-8 (NASB)**