

# The Epistles of Paul to the Colossians and to Philemon: An Introduction and Commentary / Wm. B. Eerdmans Publishing, 1988 / 9780802803092 / 1988 / 192 pages / Nicholas

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David Guzik commentary on Paul's letter to Philemon, which is a plea to his friend Philemon on behalf of a slave named Onesimus, who had become a Christian. Philemon is Paul's Plea to a Friend, on Behalf of a Slave. This is a notable Epistle, and full of worth; each word having its weight, each syllable its substance. From an abject subject, the receiving of a runaway servant, St. Paul soars like a heavenly eagle, and flies a high pitch of heavenly discourse. (John Trapp). A. Greeting and introduction. 1. (1) The writer and the recipient. Paul, a prisoner of Christ Jesus, and Timothy our brother, To Philemon our beloved friend and fellow laborer, a. Paul, a prisoner: This brief letter was written by Paul during his Roman imprisonment described in Colossians and to. PHILEMON A Commentary on the Greek Text by IAMES D. G. DUNN Lightfoot Professor of Divinity University of Durham. William b. eerdmans publishing company grand rapids, michigan tile paternoster press Carlisle. C 1996 Wm. COMMENTARIES Abbon, T. K., A Critical and Exegetical Commentary on the Epistles to the Ephesians and to the Colossians (ICC; Edinburgh: Clark, 1897) Aletti, J.-N., Saint Paul Epître au Colossin (EB; Paris: Gabalda, 1993) Beare. Pauline Epistles Lecture Notes Mitchell Esswein & David Callaway | Religion 1001 Background to Paul the Apostle1 Sources of the Life and Thought of Paul o What we know about Paul comes from two extent works: The Book of Acts and the Pauline Epistles i,§ Is Luke, though, to be a trusted historian? Indeed, Luke, as a recorder of history in the context of antiquity, he measures up to the standards of Herodotus and Thucydides as well as his contemporaries (such as Josephus).2 It should be kept in mind that there are discrepancies in Acts and Paul's letters Luke is a Christian historian div... An Introduction to the New Testament. 1997, 428.