

A photograph of a person's hands writing in a notebook with a pen, overlaid with a purple gradient. The person is wearing a dark long-sleeved shirt and a thin black bracelet on their left wrist. The notebook is open, and the pen is held in the right hand, writing on the right page. The left hand is resting on the left page. The background is a light-colored surface, possibly a desk. The overall image has a purple tint.

Family Discussion

Live the Message



Colossians 3:12-15 (NLT2) Since God chose you to be the holy people he loves, you must clothe yourselves with tenderhearted mercy, kindness, humility, gentleness, and patience. Make allowance for each other's faults, and forgive anyone who offends you. ... Above all, clothe yourselves with love, which binds us all together in perfect harmony. And let the peace that comes from Christ rule in your hearts. ... And always be thankful.

Discuss

Use the space below to grade yourselves on each characteristic listed in Colossians 3:12-15, with a score of 1 meaning you don't do this well and a score of 10 meaning you display this characteristic very well.

Compassion	1-----10
Kindness	1-----10
Humility	1-----10
Gentleness	1-----10
Patience	1-----10
Forgiveness	1-----10
Love	1-----10
Thankfulness	1-----10

Pray

- ▶ Pray for one another that God's Holy Spirit will produce these attributes through your lives.
- ▶ Pray that others will see Jesus in you.
- ▶ Pray for people with whom you are in contact daily, that both your words and actions will attract them to Jesus
- ▶ Thank God for His love, His power, and His authority at work in your life.