12. What happened to Onesimus while he was in Rome?

13. The basic thrust of Paul's letter to Philemon is the priority of Christian love and what?

14. Paul encouraged Philemon to do what in relation to Onesimus?

15. Paul doesn't try to overturn the social wrong of what?

16. The goal of the truth of God is to accomplish what kind of change?

17. Is overturning social ills in America what our lives as Christians is about?

18. How many verses in Colossians are given to the issue of slavery?

19. Paul recognized slaves as people, not as what?

20. What phrase speaks of a heart which is so true that it will bear God's scrutiny?

21. Someday the Lord will balance what?

22. The Christian slave was not to presume on his Christianity as justification for what?

23. Paul basically tells masters to live by what rule?

24. In what other book does Paul address the conduct of slaves?

25. Who can sometimes be the laziest and worst employees to have?

26. Christianity knows nothing of a division between what two things?

27. Everything a Christian does should be for what?

28. In Ephesians 6:5, Paul says to obey with what?

29. Obeying your superiors without the proper attitude is nothing more than what?

30. What is the second statement given for describing how a Christian should obey his master or boss?

31. Every Christian should be determined to be a faithful employee as an expression of what to Jesus Christ?

32. Paul tells us to not just do what we are supposed to do when the boss is what?

33. Are you a "men-pleaser"?

34. Ephesians 6:7 exhorts us to what?

35. The convictions of the Christian workman is that every single piece of work he produces must be good enough to do what with?

36. As Christians we should be more what?

37. What does the phrase "there is no partiality with Him" literally say?

38. Believer, because you are in Christ, does that affect the kind of employee or employer you are?

39. Was Paul "buttering up" Philemon in verses 4-7?

40. Legally, Philemon could have done what with Onesimus?

41. How does Paul refer to Onesimus?

42. In this letter, how does Paul beautifully illustrate what Christ has done for us?

43. What did Onesimus eventually become?

44. In sticky situations, we need to look to the Lord and remember what?

45. In sticky situations do you trust the Lord?

46. What did the seminary professor tell the two couples from the story at the start of the message to do?

Remember: Your responsibility, by God's enabling, is to consistently apply the divine principles and truths you have heard (Philippians 2:12-13; I Timothy 4:7-9; James 1:22-27). As you meditate on this message, ask yourself these questions:

»How does God want my beliefs/actions to change?

»→How can I accomplish this change?

»>What is the first step toward bringing about this change?

HOW TO HANDLE A STICKY SITUATION Philemon

The following are questions designed to facilitate greater learning and deeper understanding of spiritual truths presented in the sermon "**How to Handle a Sticky Situation.**" All of the questions are answered as the sermon is presented. We hope that it will be a catalyst to spiritual growth in your life.

1. Life often presents us with what?

2. Have you ever had a sticky situation in: Business, Education, Sports, Marriage, Parenting, or other relationships?

3. Without a doubt, the situations that are most difficult to deal with are those situations involving what?

4. Which of Paul's letters is the most personal and shortest?

5. How many words in the Greek language are in the letter to Philemon?

6. Philemon was a part of the church in what city?

7. It seems that the church met where?

8. We can assume that Philemon was what?

9. Not only did Philemon have a large house, he also had what?

10. One of Philemon's slaves, "Onesimus" ran away and tried to find refuge in what large city?

11. While Onesimus was in Rome he ran into whom?

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