10. The cult was also saying that Christ is not enough to make you what?	22. The worst things about legalism is that it turns men from what?
	23. The Christian life is not a life of rules, it is what?
11. The cult was saying that you need Christ plus what various things?  a. W	24. To base your spirituality on ecstatic experiences, visions, and revelations is called what?
b. M c. A	25. The false teachers were making the Colossian believers feel like what?
12. What is the way that cults, and sadly, some charismatics work?	
13. The basic truth of Christianity is what?	26. Far from being some "higher" reality these false teachers have lost connection with the what?
	27. True spirituality comes by connection with what?
14. Paul made his appeals for righteous living on what?	
15. In contrast, false teachers base their appeals on the motivating factor of what?	28. Christians today believe that they are spectators to a what?
16. Since the O.T. law was abolished and Christ's death defeated the	29. Asceticism is the teaching that true spirituality is attained by what?
demonic world, don't let what happen?	30. What does it seem that Paul is saying in verse 20?
17. Any religion that teaches it is wrong to get married or wrong to	
eat certain foods stems from what?	31. A mark of spiritual immaturity is when the entire Christian life is composed of what?
18. We are NOT the Old Testament covenant people. We are the what?	32. There is always the danger that we will substitute man's teaching for what?
19. What are two false standards of spirituality that are commonly imposed on believers today?	33. Can Matthew 18:8-9 be said of you?
20. The "Sabbath" is not what?	34. According to verse 23, these things have the appearance of wisdom but in reality they don't do what?
21. Phony people can always conform to what?	35. Legalism, mysticism, and asceticism come across as extreme what?

- 36. Paul calls legalism, mysticism, and asceticism "will-worship" or what?
- 37. Legalism, mysticism, and asceticism all promote what?
- 38. Are you being intimidated by someone telling you that you need Christ plus something else?

"The Bible was not given to make you a smarter sinner, but rather to make you more like Christ!"

Dr. Howard Hendricks

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?

## For Next Time:

- 1) Read Colossians 1:1-3:4
- 2) What would you say is "true spirituality?"
- 3) When you think of someone who is "a really spiritual person" what qualities define such a person as this?
  - 4) What do many Christians believe true spirituality is?

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## SPIRITUAL COUNTERFEIT

**Colossians 2:16-23** 

**(Series #6)** 

The following are questions designed to facilitate greater learning and deeper understanding of spiritual truths presented in the sermon on "Spiritual Counterfeit." 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. What is the most clever lie?
- 2. Who is a counterfeiter?
- 3. Satan has trapped millions with what?
- 4. According to 2 Corinthians 11:14, Satan himself is transformed into what?
- 5. The Bible attributes acts such as murder, immorality, abuse of alcohol/drugs, cheating, lying, stealing, etc., to what?
- 6. What passage tells us that Satan has apostles, clergy, and ministers?
- 7. What passage tells us that Satan has his own doctrine or system of teaching?
- 8. What passage tells us that Satan has his own church/synagogues?
- 9. The cult attacking the church in Colosse denied the complete of Christ and His sufficiency to \_\_\_\_\_.

<sup>\*\*</sup>To help protect the quality of recording the sermon, we ask that you quietly turn to the inside of this study guide. Thank you! We appreciate your help.