

The New You: A Transformed View of Scripture

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Understand the Command (v. 16):

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The Source - Of Christ

The Command – Let the Word dwell in you

The Extent – richly – or abundantly

The Impact – wisdom

The Choice – let –

II. A Corporate Commitment: We must Engage God's Word

There needs to be: (v. 16 b)

1. Practical Instruction

2. Consistent Accountability

3. Unified Worship

III. An Unconditional Commitment: We must Employ God's Word

This Commitment is to be: (v.17)

1. All inclusive: "Whatever you do"

2. A reflection of our relationship

3. A recognition of gratitude

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