

# **New Man Makes New Home**

Colossians 3:18—4:1

LG Questions for 03/08/09

## **Getting Started**

- 1) **New Person.** What was the first way your life changed after you met Jesus giving you the assurance that you were born again and a new person in Christ? Explain. Now read Colossians 3:18—4:1 and describe the ways Paul says our lives should change now that we know Jesus.

## **Getting into the Bible**

- 2) **New Marriage.** Read Colossians 3:18-19. What are the major attitude adjustments husbands and wives need to make if they want to transform their marriages? If you're married, describe any victories you're having in this area and what it is that's been giving you success.
- 3) **New Family.** Read Colossians 3:20-21. What incentive do children have to obey their parents, and how long do you think this duty lasts? How well do you think you've done in obeying Paul's command to parents, and what can you do to improve your relationship with your children?
- 4) **New Work Ethic.** Read Colossians 3:22—4:1. What common temptations do Christian workers face in the workplace? Why and in what ways has your love for Christ improved your work ethic? If you serve in a position of authority, how has knowing Christ made you a better boss?

## **Getting Personal and Practical**

- 5) **New Power.** Examining our lives, as we've done in this lesson, has the potential of discouraging us, because it reveals how much we still need to grow. To offset that discouragement, share any areas of weakness with your life group and ask them to support and encourage you in prayer.