

Colossians 4

Vs. 2 - Devote yourselves to prayer with an **alert mind** and a **thankful heart**.

Alert mind = (gregoreo) – Strict attention, active, alert
To take heed lest through remission and indolence some destructive calamity suddenly overtake you. Watchful!

Vs. 5-6 “Live wisely among those who are not believers and make the most of every opportunity. Let your conversation be gracious and attractive so that you will have the right response for everyone.”

Vs. 12 – “...asking God to make you **strong** and **perfect**, fully confident that you are following the **whole** will of God.”

Vs. 17 ...“Be sure to carry out the work the Lord gave you.”

CSB - “Pay attention to the ministry you have received in the Lord, so that you can accomplish it.”

PATTERNS AND PRACTICES

#1 – Thanksgiving

#2 – Transformation

#3 – Thrive – to grow or develop vigorously, gaining
nourishment in God’s Word- Feeding yourself

#4 – Traits and Tendencies - your distinguishing qualities

#5 – Finish Strong!