# Colossians 1:23 English Standard Version (ESV) & NKJV Harmonization

**21**And you, who once were alienated and hostile in mind, doing evil deeds, **22**He has now reconciled in His body of flesh by His death, in order to present you holy and blameless and above reproach in His sight,

**23**if indeed you continue in the faith, grounded and steadfast, and are not moved away from the hope of the gospel which you heard, which was preached to every creature under heaven, of which I, Paul, became a minister.

They went out from us, but they were not of us; for if they had been of us, they would have continued with us. But they went out, that it might become plain that they all are not of us. – 1 John 2:19 (ESV)

For those God foreknew He also predestined to be conformed to the image of His Son… **30**And those He predestined, He also called; those He called, He also justified; those He justified, He also glorified. – Romans 8:29a, 30 (NIV)

He chose us in Him before the foundation of the world, that we should be holy and without blame before Him in love, **5**having predestined us to adoption as sons by Jesus Christ to Himself, according to the good pleasure of His will, - Ephesians 1:4-5 (NKJV)

For by grace you have been saved through faith. And this is not your own doing; it is the gift of God, **9**not a result of works, so that no one may boast. – Ephesians 2:8-9

And I am sure of this, that He who began a good work in you will bring it to completion at the day of Jesus Christ. – Philippians 1:6 (ESV)

Therefore He is also able to save to the uttermost those who come to God through Him, since He always lives to make intercession for them. – Hebrews 7:25 (NKJV)

For we have become partakers of Christ, if we hold fast the beginning of our assurance firm until the end, - Hebrews 3:14 (NASB)

**Sermon Notes**

1.) \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ believers are capable of \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ and radical

falls from grace, but never a \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ and final fall.

2.) If we are \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ believers, we will \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ with the

Lord and with each other.