

HOUSE ARREST: Apostle Paul's First Roman Imprisonment



AD 59 TO 61/62 – Ephesians, Colossians, Philemon & Philippians written



At the end of his 2nd missionary journey and then for more than two years in his 3rd missionary journey, Paul ministered to the church at Ephesus (Acts 18:19-21; 19:1-41). Paul wrote this ~AD 60 or 61. He sent the first two letters with Tychichus (Eph. 6:21; Col 4:7-9) and the third with Onesimus.

EPH 2:17-22 ✓

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Paul wrote this towards the end of his house arrest, about AD 61 or 62. Paul ministered in Philippi during his 2nd missionary. While in Philippi, he got in trouble for casting out a demon and was imprisoned (Acts 16:11-40). This visit came about due to a vision he'd had in Troas (Acts 16:8-10). Paul briefly revisited Troas on his third missionary journey (Acts 20:6), when he revived Eutychus. **Paul encouraged the Philippians to live out their faith in joy and unity.**

Church in Colosse was under attack from false teachers who were denying the deity of Jesus Christ (~AD 60 or 61)

COL 2:1-10 ✓

Freedom & New Life in Christ

COL 3:2-9 ✓

Living the New Life

PHIL 2:5-8 ✓
Christlike Humility

PHIL 1:3-8 ✓

Christ's Work In You
PHIL 1:9-18 ✓
Christ is Preached

PHIL 4:10-13 ✓

Contentment in Christ

PHIL 4:14-20 ✓

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