Series: Colossians
Sermon: Knowledge Vs Experience
Verses: Colossians 2:18-19 By: Jeff Piepho

Ralph Waldo Emerson
Nothing Great was ever _____ without enthusiasm

- Without enthusiasm our Spiritual lives become _____.

Proverbs 19:2
It is not good to have zeal without _____

Verse 18a
Do not let anyone who delights in false humility and the worship of angels disqualify you for the prize.

1. People will try to claim that their faith is _____ _____ yours.

In this scripture there are two ways that people try to disqualify us:

A. "False humility" is about obtaining _____ and experiences

B. "Worship of angels" is about devotion to _____ besides _____

Verse 18b
Such a person goes into great detail about what he has seen, and his unspiritual mind puffs him up with idle notions.

2. Spiritual experiences are worth _____ if they are not based in reality.

A. _____does not equal truth

B. Someone with _____ideas is not necessarily Godly

Verse 19
He has lost connection with the Head, from whom the whole body, supported and held together by its ligaments and sinews, grows as God causes it to grow.

3. For true spiritual growth we must be connected _____.

Four essential sources of knowledge are:

1) Sermons from _____ preachers
2) Books from _____ authors
3) _____ based Bible studies with good people
4) Reading the _____

Jesus talking in John 15:4
No branch can bear fruit by itself; it must remain in the vine. Neither can you bear fruit unless you remain in me.