

Timothy

Where was he from?

See if you can locate that place on a map.

When did he join Paul?

See if you can locate a map of that journey.

Name some of the churches Paul established on this journey.

Why is Timothy joined with Paul in this letter to Philemon? (cf. Col 1:1; Phil 1:1)

Philemon

Where did he live?

See if you can locate this on a map.

What was his relation to Paul?

Why did he have this relationship with the apostle?

What is Philemon's relationship with Onesimus?

What is Philemon's relationship to the church?

Apphia

What gender is Apphia?

How do you know?

Does Apphia appear anywhere else in the NT?

What was her relationship to Philemon?

Archippus

What gender was this person?

How do you know?

Where did he live?

How do you know?

Paul calls him a _____ (v. 2)

This military term is used only one other place in the NT—Phil 2:25.
Who is described by the word there?

Why does Paul use this “military” term?

Paul says that Archippus had a _____ (Col 4:17).

The term “ministry” (Greek, diakonia, a, diakonia; cf. English
“diaconate”) may suggest

_____.

The word diakonia is also used in 2 Cor 4:1; Eph 4:12; 1 Tim 1:12; 2
Tim 4:5. Substitute the word “deacon” for “ministry” in these verses.
Does it make better sense to translate as an office or as service in the
church?

Was Archippus a “deacon” or a “servant” of the gospel?

Some have suggested that Archippus was the son of Philemon. Why do you
think they believe this?

Epaphras

From Col 4:12, we learn Epaphras was from _____.

From Col 1:7, we learn that Epaphras was
_____.

Where was he when Paul wrote Philemon?

How do you know?

From Col 4:13, we learn that he was related to two other churches:
_____ and _____. Find these on a map

When was Epaphras converted?

Mark

What was Mark’s other name?

What was his mother’s name?

Where did she live?

Was she a Christian?

How do you know?

Who was Mark's cousin?

Mark traveled with Paul and _____ on their _____ missionary journey.

They began at _____ and sailed to _____.

See if you can locate these places on a map.

Then they sailed to _____.

See if you can locate this place on a map.

Mark left them and returned to _____.

Why did he leave?

What effect did this have later?

Were Paul and Mark ever reconciled?

How do you know?

With which disciple of Jesus is Mark associated?

How do you know?

Aristarchus

What country was he from?

See if you can locate that on a map.

What city in that country was he from?

See if you can locate that on a map.

Aristarchus accompanied Paul on his _____ missionary journey.
From Acts 27:2, we learn that he goes with Paul to _____.
From Col 4:10, we learn that he is a _____ with Paul.
How is he described in the epistle to Philemon?

Demas

According to the epistle to Philemon, Demas is where?
This is confirmed by _____.
Where else is Demas mentioned in the NT?
What has happened?
Do you think this happened before or after Paul wrote to Philemon?

Why or why not?

Luke

Luke's occupation was _____.
How do you know?
When did Luke first come into contact with Paul?
How do you know?
Luke accompanied Paul on his _____ missionary journey.
He was also with Paul during his _____ missionary journey.
Where else did Luke accompany the apostle?