

# COLOSSIANS 1:15-16 (ESV)

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15 **He is the image of the invisible God,  
the firstborn of all creation.**

16 **For by him all things were created,  
in heaven and on earth, visible and invisible,  
whether thrones or dominions or rulers or authorities—  
all things were created through him and for him.**

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**He:** *Jesus*

**image:** *manifestation (what we can see)*

**invisible:** *unseen (what we cannot see)*

**firstborn:** *preeminent (above all)*

**dominions:** *rulers (referring to the supernatural, i.e. angels/demons)*

# COLOSSIANS (PAUL'S LETTERS)

## BOOK OF THE BIBLE

Galatians

Ephesians

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1 Thessalonians

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**DID YOU KNOW?** The Apostle Paul wrote this letter from prison to Christians living in Colossae, a city in Turkey. He wrote to remind the Colossians about who Jesus is and all that he has done, is doing, and will do for his people.

**WHAT DOES IT MEAN?** Paul gives us a great description of the great glory of Jesus. Jesus is God. Jesus created everything. Everything was created for Jesus. Jesus is most important. Everything exists to make the glory and greatness of Jesus known. There is no one or no thing greater than he. Jesus is supreme over all!