

## PARTICIPANT GUIDE

WEEK TWO

## THE ULTIMATE RIPPLE EFFECT INVITING JESUS TO RIPPLE THROUGH ALL THINGS



## Colossians 1:6 (NLT)

This same Good News that came to you is going out all over the world. It is bearing fruit everywhere by changing live just as it changed your lives from the day you first heard and understood the truth about God's wonderful grace.
The piece of this verse that is "good news" for me today is:
Colossians 1:15-17 (NLT)
Christ is the visible image of the invisible God. He existed before anything was created and is supreme over all creation, for through him God created everything in the heavenly realms and on earth. He made the things we can see and the things we can't see— such as thrones, kingdoms, rulers, and authorities in the unseen world. Everything was created through him and for him. He existed before anything else, and he holds all creation together.
The character traits of Jesus that most encourage me are:
Colossians 1:22-23 (NLT)  Yet now he has reconciled you to himself through the death of Christ in his physical body. As a result, he has brought you into his own presence, and you are holy and blameless as you stand before him without a single
fault. But you must continue to believe this truth and stand firmly in it. Don't drift away from the assurance you received when you heard the Good News.
John 16:33 (NLT) I have told you all this so that you may have peace in me. Here on earth you will have many trials and sorrows. But take heart, because I have overcome the world.
Some truths about God that I can count on, especially on the hard days: