

14 - A PERSONAL REQUEST (PHILEMON 8-25)

I. The Basis of the Request (8-9)

A. Not as an Apostle (8)

- Paul is not making the request with _____.

B. Love (9)

- Paul is making the request for the sake of _____.

II. The Plea for Onesimus (10-22)

A. The object of the request (10)

- Paul is making a request for Onesimus, who had become _____.

B. Past behavior (11)

- Paul recognizes that Onesimus was once a problem; but _____.

C. The request (12-13)

- Paul is sending him to Philemon who is requested to _____.

- Paul had wanted to _____.

D. Philemon's decision (14)

- Paul recognized that he could not do that without _____.

E. Possible purpose (15-16)

- Paul states that his departure may have been for _____.

- The purpose was that Onesimus would no longer be just a slave, but _____.

F. Paul's plea (17-18)

- Paul is asking Philemon to accept Onesimus on the basis of _____.

- Paul tells Philemon to charge him for _____.

G. Repayment (19)

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- In his own hand writing, Paul states that he will repay even as _____.

H. Paul's desire (20)

- Paul wanted to have joy in seeing _____.

I. Paul's confidence (21)

- Paul expressed that he was confident that Philemon would _____.

J. Preparations (22)

- Paul requested that Philemon prepare _____.

III. Farewell (23-25)

A. Greetings from the brothers (23-24)

- Paul sent greetings from _____.

B. The Blessing (25)

- Paul bestowed a _____.