

ROMANS

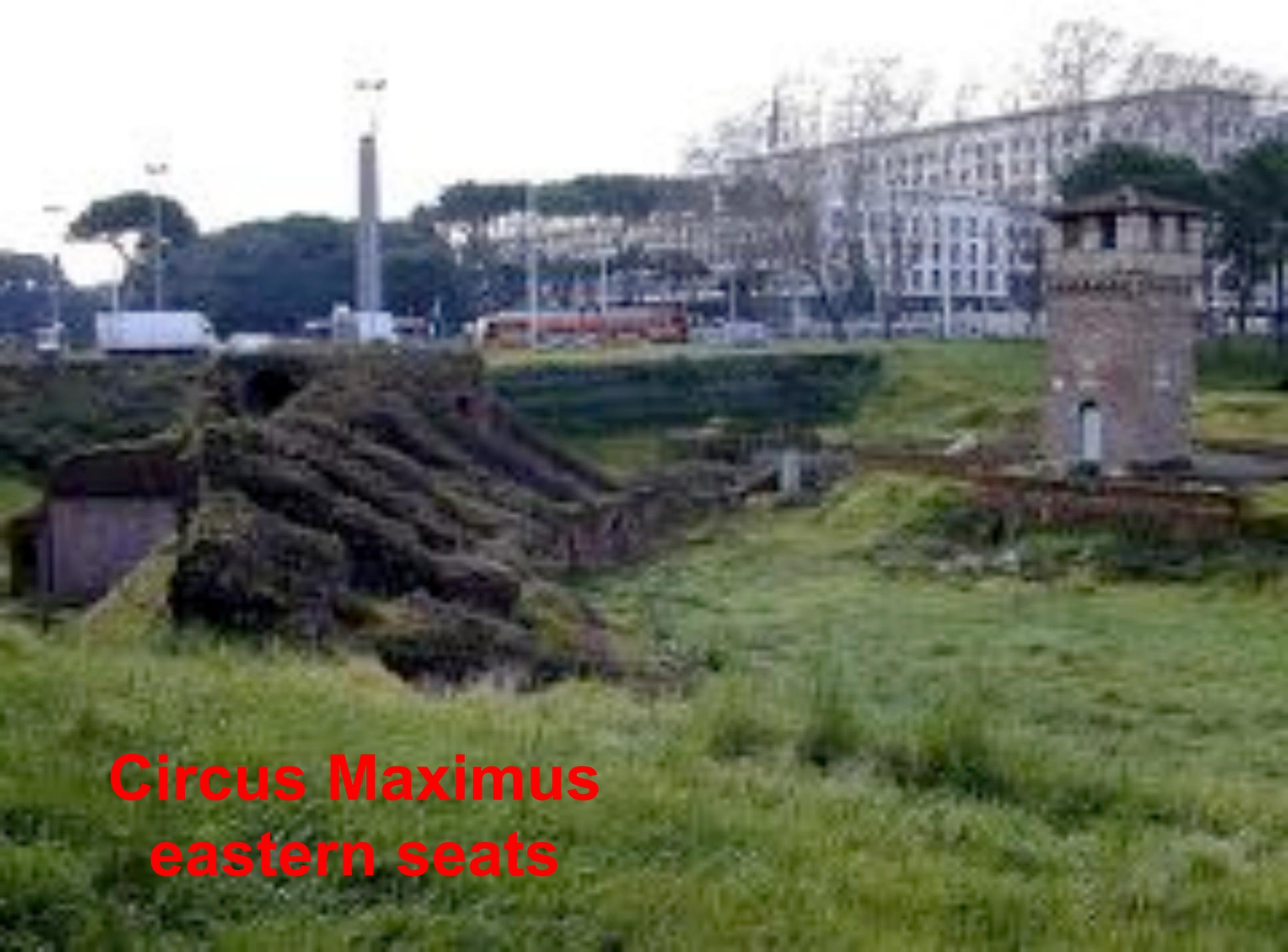
A nighttime photograph of the Colosseum in Rome, Italy. The structure is illuminated with warm, golden lights, highlighting its iconic tiered arches and partially ruined facade. The sky is dark, and some trees are visible in the foreground on the left.

Purposes of
Paul - 15:14-21

Colosseum



**Circus Maximus
from east**



**Circus Maximus
eastern seats**

DOCTRINE
On God's Righteousness

1-11



APPLICATION
Of God's Righteousness

12:1-
15:13



CONCLUSION
Of God's Righteousness

15:14-
16:27



Purposes
15:14-21

Plans
15:22-33

Personnal
16:1-24

Praise
15:25-27

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IV. Application of God's Right. 12:1-15:13

V. Conclusion on God's Right. 15:14-16:27

A. Purposes of Paul 15:14-21

1. Purpose for Commendation 15:14

CONCLUSION

- Nature of Paul's ministry
- Its Focus
- Its Extent
- Its Power





15:14 And concerning you, my brethren, I myself also am convinced that you yourselves are full of goodness, filled with all knowledge and able also to admonish one another.

MINISTRY ESSENCE



1. All in ministry

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TERMS

1. Minister - λειτουργος (leitourgos)

13:6, Heb 8:2

spiritual service or worship

2. Minister as priest - ιερουργεω
(ierourgeo)

verb only here

to serve gospel as priest

3. Worship imagery

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PAUL

- **Priest (16)**
- **Proclaimer (17-19)**
- **Pioneer (20)**



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BOASTING

- 1. Self-centered - sin**
- 2. Pertaining to God - glorifying**
2Cor 1:12-14, 12:1, 6

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Act 14:27, 15:12, 2Co 10:13, 17

Col 1:29, 1Th 2:13

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A photograph of the Sea of Galilee at sunset. The sun is a bright, glowing orb on the right side of the horizon, casting a long, shimmering reflection across the water's surface. In the foreground, several wooden piers or docks extend into the water, their silhouettes softened by the low light. The sky transitions from a pale blue on the left to a warm orange and yellow near the sun. The overall mood is peaceful and contemplative.

Sea of Galilee

**Sharpen your ministry
with insights from
Paul's ministry!!!**