

EPHESIANS 1 (King James version)

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- v. 1 How did Paul become an apostle (chosen messenger) of Jesus Christ? *By the will of God*
- v. 1 To whom is this letter written? *To the saints (truly saved believers in Christ) which are at Ephesus, and to the faithful in Christ Jesus*
- v. 2 What are the two great themes in this book? *Grace and peace*
- v. 3 How has God blessed truly saved believers in Christ? *With all spiritual blessings in heavenly places in Christ*
- v. 4 When were truly saved believers chosen in Christ? *Before the foundation of the world*
- v. 4 Why were truly saved believers chosen in Christ? *So that they should be holy and without blame before him*
- v. 5 What did God predestinate (determine beforehand) truly saved believers unto? *Unto the adoption of children by Jesus Christ to himself*
- v. 6 Who is referred to as “the Beloved” (see also Matt. 3:17)? *Jesus Christ*
- v. 7 Truly saved believers in Christ have two things according to the riches of God’s grace. What are they? *Redemption through his blood and the forgiveness of sins*
- v. 9 What did God make known unto truly saved believers in Christ? *The mystery of his will*
- v. 10 What is God going to do in the dispensation (administration) of the fulness of times? *He might gather together in one all things in Christ, both which are in heaven, and which are on earth*
- v. 11 What have truly saved believers in Christ also obtained? *An inheritance*
- v. 13 What does someone need to do to become a truly saved believer in Christ? *Hear the word of truth, the gospel of his/her salvation, and believe it*
- v. 13 Truly saved believers in Christ were sealed in him. Who does this sealing? *The Holy Spirit*
- v. 14 Why was the Holy Spirit given to truly saved believers? *As the earnest of their inheritance until the redemption of the purchased, unto the praise of his glory*
- v. 15 What had Paul heard about the saints at Ephesus? *He heard of their faith in the Lord Jesus, and love unto all the saints*
- v. 16 How did Paul keep the saints at Ephesus in his mind? *He did not cease to give thanks for them, making mention of them in his prayers*
- v. 17 What did Paul pray that God would give the believers? *The spirit of wisdom and revelation in the knowledge of Jesus Christ*
- v. 18 What does Paul want to happen with the eyes of their understanding (mind or heart or inner awareness) of a truly saved believer in Christ? *That these are being enlightened*
- v. 18-19 The enlightenment of the eyes of the understanding of a saint concerns which three “ye may know” blessings? *What is the hope of his calling, what are the riches of the glory of his inheritance in the saints, and what is the exceeding greatness of his power to the saints who believe*
- v. 19 The three “ye may know” blessings in verses 18-19 are in accordance with what? *With the working of his mighty power*
- v. 20 How was God’s power demonstrated? *When God raised Christ from the dead*
- v. 20 Where is Christ Jesus right now? *God set him at his own right hand in the heavenly places*
- v. 21 Over what has Christ been given authority by the Father? *Over all rule and authority and power and dominion, and every name that is named*
- v. 22 What did God put (in subjection) under Christ His feet? *All things*
- v. 22 What position does Christ have over the called out ones? *He is head over all things to the church*
- v. 23 What is the church called? *His body, the fulness of him that filleth all in all*