



The Gift of The Knowledge of God

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Ephesians 1:1 Paul, an apostle of Christ Jesus by the will of God,
to the saints who are at Ephesus, and *who are* faithful in Christ Jesus:

²Grace to you and peace from God our Father and the Lord Jesus Christ.

³Blessed *be* the God and Father of our Lord Jesus Christ,
who has blessed us with every spiritual blessing
in the heavenly *places* in Christ,

⁴just as He chose us in Him
before the foundation of the world,
that we should be holy and blameless before Him.

In love ⁵He predestined us to adoption as sons
through Jesus Christ to Himself,
according to the kind intention of His will,
⁶to the praise of the glory of His grace,
which He freely bestowed on us in the Beloved.

⁷In Him we have redemption through His blood,
the forgiveness of our trespasses,
according to the riches of His grace, ⁸which He lavished upon us.

In all wisdom and insight ⁹He made known to us the mystery of His will,
according to His kind intention which He purposed in Him
¹⁰with a view to an administration suitable to the fulness of the times,
that is, the summing up of all things in Christ,
things in the heavens and things upon the earth.

In Him ¹¹also we have obtained an inheritance,
having been predestined according to His purpose
who works all things after the counsel of His will,
¹²to the end that we who were the first to hope in Christ
should be to the praise of His glory.

¹³In Him, you also,
after listening to the message of truth, the gospel of your salvation—
having also believed,
you were sealed in Him with the Holy Spirit of promise,
¹⁴who is given as a pledge of our inheritance,
with a view to the redemption of *God's own* possession,
to the praise of His glory.

¹⁵ For this reason I too,

having heard of the faith in the Lord Jesus which *exists* among you,

and your love for all the saints,

¹⁶ do not cease giving thanks for you,

while making mention *of you* in my prayers;

¹⁷ that the God of our Lord Jesus Christ, the Father of glory,

may give to you a spirit of wisdom and of revelation in the knowledge of Him.

¹⁸ *I pray that* the eyes of your heart may be enlightened,

so that you may know what is the hope of His calling,

what are the riches of the glory of His inheritance in the saints,

¹⁹ and what is the surpassing greatness of His power toward us who believe.

These are in accordance with the working of the strength of His might

²⁰ which He brought about in Christ, when He raised Him from the dead,

and seated Him at His right hand in the heavenly *places*,

²¹ far above all rule and authority and power and dominion,

and every name that is named, not only in this age, but also in the one to come.

²² And He put all things in subjection under His feet,

and gave Him as head over all things to the church,

²³ which is His body, the fulness of Him who fills all in all.

Ephesians 2:1 And you were dead in your trespasses and sins,
² in which you formerly walked according to the course of this world, according to the prince of the power of the air, of the spirit that is now working in the sons of disobedience.
³ Among them we too all formerly lived in the lusts of our flesh, indulging the desires of the flesh and of the mind, and were by nature children of wrath, even as the rest.
⁴ But God, being rich in mercy, because of His great love with which He loved us,
⁵ even when we were dead in our transgressions, made us alive together with Christ (by grace you have been saved),
⁶ and raised us up with Him, and seated us with Him in the heavenly *places*, in Christ Jesus,
⁷ in order that in the ages to come He might show the surpassing riches of His grace in kindness toward us in Christ Jesus.
⁸ For by grace you have been saved through faith; and that not of yourselves, *it is* the gift of God;
⁹ not as a result of works, that no one should boast.
¹⁰ For we are His workmanship, created in Christ Jesus for good works, which God prepared beforehand, that we should walk in them.

...Ephesians 3:14 For this reason, I bow my knees before the Father,
¹⁵ from whom every family in heaven and on earth derives its name,
¹⁶ that He would grant you, according to the riches of His glory, to be strengthened with power through His Spirit in the inner man;
¹⁷ so that Christ may dwell in your hearts through faith; *and* that you, being rooted and grounded in love,
¹⁸ may be able to comprehend with all the saints what is the breadth and length and height and depth,
¹⁹ and to know the love of Christ which surpasses knowledge, that you may be filled up to all the fulness of God.
²⁰ Now to Him who is able to do exceeding abundantly beyond all that we ask or think, according to the power that works within us,
²¹ to Him *be* the glory in the church and in Christ Jesus to all generations forever and ever. Amen.

Ephesians 4:1 I, therefore, the prisoner of the Lord, entreat you to walk in a manner worthy of the calling with which you have been called,
² with all humility and gentleness, with patience, showing forbearance to one another in love,
³ being diligent to preserve the unity of the Spirit in the bond of peace.
⁴ *There is* one body and one Spirit, just as also you were called in one hope of your calling;
⁵ one Lord, one faith, one baptism,
⁶ one God and Father of all who is over all and through all and in all.

...Ephesians 4:22 ...in reference to your former manner of life, you lay aside the old self, which is being corrupted in accordance with the lusts of deceit,
²³ and that you be renewed in the spirit of your mind,
²⁴ and put on the new self, which in *the likeness of* God has been created in righteousness and holiness of the truth.

...Ephesians 4:30 And do not grieve the Holy Spirit of God, by whom you were sealed for the day of redemption.

...Ephesians 5:15 be careful how you walk, not as unwise men, but as wise,
¹⁶ making the most of your time, because the days are evil.
¹⁷ So then do not be foolish, but understand what the will of the Lord is.
¹⁸ And do not get drunk with wine, for that is dissipation, but be filled with the Spirit,
¹⁹ speaking to one another in psalms and hymns and spiritual songs, singing and making melody with your heart to the Lord;
²⁰ always giving thanks for all things in the name of our Lord Jesus Christ to God, even the Father;

²¹ and be subject to one another in the fear of Christ.

...**Ephesians 6:10** Finally, be strong in the Lord, and in the strength of His might.

¹¹ Put on the full armor of God, that you may be able to stand firm against the schemes of the devil.

¹² For our struggle is not against flesh and blood, but against the rulers, against the powers, against the world forces of this darkness, against the spiritual *forces* of wickedness in the heavenly *places*.

¹³ Therefore, take up the full armor of God, that you may be able to resist in the evil day, and having done everything, to stand firm.

All Scripture is from the NASV. 1:1-23 is in the form of a phrase by phrase break down. The words and the word order are unchanged.