

# BLESSED BEYOND BELIEF

## Ephesians 1:3-14

**PRAISE!**

If you are “in Christ”...

...you \_\_\_\_\_

*Verse 4; see also John 15:16; Ephesians 5:27; Colossians 1:22; 3:12; 2 Thessalonians 2:13; Hebrews 10:14*

...you \_\_\_\_\_

*Verse 5; see also John 1:12; Romans 8:15, 29*

**PRAISE!**

...you \_\_\_\_\_

*Verses 7-8; see also Psalm 49:7-9, 156; Mark 10:45; Acts 20:28; 1 Timothy 2:6; Titus 2:14; Hebrews 9:15; 1 Peter 1:18-19; Revelation 5:9*

...you \_\_\_\_\_

*Verses 8-10; see also 1 Corinthians 15:25; Ephesians 3:6; Philippians 2:9-11; Colossians 1:20; Hebrews 2:8*

...you \_\_\_\_\_

*Verses 11-12; see also Romans 8:17; Colossians 1:1; 1 Peter 1:3-4*

**PRAISE!**

...you \_\_\_\_\_

*Verses 13-14; see also Romans 8:16; 2 Corinthians 1:21-22; 5:5*

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## TRANSFORMED BY THE TRUTH

QUESTIONS FOR REFLECTION & DISCUSSION

1. Look back over your sermon notes and think about the blessings that are yours because you are in Christ. Do these truths move you to worship? Why or why not? What are some practical things you could do to become more spiritually-minded?
2. Read Ephesians 1:4-5. What are your thoughts about predestination (the truth that God chose us before we chose Him)? How can you think about this mystery in a way that results in gratitude rather than frustration?
3. Read Ephesians 1:7 and Titus 2:11-14. In what sense do you believe you have been freed from sin? Do you still feel enslaved to it? Why or why not? Are enslaved to it? What Scriptures help you answer this question?
4. Read Ephesians 1:8-10. If God intends to bring all things together under Christ, why do you think the Church is not yet unified? Do you feel unified with all other Christians? If not, what is undermining unity?
5. Read Ephesians 1:13-14 and 2 Corinthians 1:21-22. Do you think it is possible to lose your salvation? Why or why not?