

Ephesians 1:1-2
Ephesians Introduction

- I. The purpose (not from the text)
 - A. To reveal God's plan of reconciliation...
 - B. Through Christ
 - C. As head of the Church
 - 1. Reconciliation to God
 - 2. Reconciliation to each other
- II. The greeting (v. 1)
 - A. The author
 - B. The recipients
 - 1. The local church at Ephesus
 - 2. The larger church around Ephesus
- III. The blessing (v. 2)
 - A. The substance of the blessing
 - 1. Grace
 - 2. Peace
 - B. The source of the blessing
 - 1. God our Father
 - 2. Lord Jesus Christ