

EPHESIANS | "THE FATHER OF OUR LORD JESUS CHRIST Pt. 2" | Eph 1:3-6 | LESSON 6

③ INTRO/REVIEW:

- ① The God
- ② And Father
 - ⓐ Love & Charity
 - ⓑ Family (Business)
 - ⓒ Inheritance (Gov't)

④ PREVIEW:

- Deeper into the issue of "inheritance"
 - ① Between Godhead
 - ② Between God & Us
- Balance
 - ① Learn about Father-Son inheritance
 - ⓐ Prior to Ephesians
 - ① Paul (review Rom - GAL)
 - ② Before Paul
 - ⓑ Allow Ephesians to teach us what it will

⑤ SERMON:

- "Inheritance" - an estate derived from an ancestor to an heir by succession
an estate cast on child or another person, as the representative of the deceased
- "Heir" - the man who succeeds, or is to succeed another in the possession of lands, tenements & hereditaments
 - "tenement" - a building for habitation
 - "hereditament" - corporeal and incorporeal → ideal right (rank, quality, title)
↳ visible and tangible
- Condition of inheritance is death
 - Need to think of inheritance differently, at first, when we consider

the Father-Son relationship.

- How can something be passed on by death when you are "the living God"?
- The inheritance is wrapped up in the foreknowledge, predestination, purpose, and will of God

• The details of these things are that which first embodied the inheritance. → 1 Cor. 2 "the mind of the Lord"

• The details of which were trusted in Christ (Eph. 1:12)
The Glory of The Father manifested in Christ, the brightness of His glory

- Heb. 1:1-2 - "appointed heir of all things" (Matt. 21:38)
- Jn. 3:35-36 - "The Father loveth the Son, and hath given all things into His hand."
- Jn. 17:19-24 - "lovedst me before the foundation of the world."
- Eph. 1 - "in love"
 - Bethel the whole plan and purpose trusted in Christ
- Col. 1:19 - "in Him all fulness would dwell"
- Jn. 1:1-5, 8 - "bosom"
 - unity of nature, essence
 - affection
 - acquainted with the Father
 - unity in plan & purpose.

• The inheritance existed in foreknowledge, predestination, purpose (of Him)
wisdom & power
glory
Rom. 11:33-36
(through Him)
(to Him)

• Pro 8:10-36

• Pro. 20:18

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• Pro. 15:22

• Pro. 19:21

• Pro. 27:9

• Rom. 8, 11, 1 Cor. 2

• Father, Son

• Glory

• Ephesians 1 Chart