

## **The Father of Glory** **Ephesians 1:15-17**

*I keep asking that the God of our Lord Jesus Christ, the Father of glory, may give you the Spirit of wisdom and revelation in the knowledge of Him.*

Ephesians 1:17

Father of glory	Ephesians 1
Lord of glory	James 2
Spirit of glory	1 Peter 4

Glory:  
All that God is  
All that God has  
All that God can do

*May they be brought to complete unity to let the world know that you sent me and have loved them **as you have** loved me.*

*Father, I want those you have given me to be with me where I am, and to **see my glory**, the glory you have given me before the creation of the world.*

John 17:23,24

### **I. Faith in the Lordship of Jesus**

*For this reason, I in particular, after hearing of your faith in the Lord Jesus and love for all the saints, do not cease giving thanks for you, remembering you in my prayers.*

Ephesians 1:15,16

*I always thank my God for you because of God's grace given to you in Christ Jesus.*

1 Corinthians 1:4

The immature are always critical.

Faith then love  
Apostles' doctrine then fellowship

Lord - God  
Jesus - Man  
Indivisible

The center of my life entirely, exclusively and absolutely is in the Lordship of Jesus.

Romans 10:9  
1 Corinthians 12:3  
Romans 1:5  
The obedience of faith

### **II. Love for All of the Saints**

Agape  
All

*By this all people will know that you are my disciples, if you love one another.*

John 13:35

*This is how we have come to know love: He laid down His life for us. We should also lay down our lives for our brothers.*

1 John 3:16

Luke 15 – Expressed love

### **III. Revelation in the Knowledge of God**

Thanksgiving overflows into intercession.

2 Peter 1:3  
Psalm 119:18,135  
Luke 24:31,32,45