



## **Ephesians - Masterpiece**

If you could make a masterpiece of anything, what would it be?

What distinguishes something as a masterpiece?

### **Ephesians 2:10 NLT**

**<sup>10</sup> For we are God's masterpiece. He has created us anew in Christ Jesus, so we can do the good things he planned for us long ago.**

How has God working in you to make you into a masterpiece? Do you think the flaws you see are the same as He sees?

**Read: Psalm 139:14, Philippians 1:6, 1 Peter 1:16, Romans 6:1-12**

What does it mean to be fearfully and wonderfully made?

The effect of sin on the material world is such that nothing is, or can be, perfect. Does God expect perfection anyway?

How important is it that God complete's His good work within us?

If there is grace to cover our sin, failings, and falling short, why do we need to work those issues in our lives? Why not just let it be?

Discuss this quote:

The God who loved you enough to pay the price for your sin, did not die so that you could persist in it.

What does it mean to live a life of holiness?

Is living in holiness different from living in perfection? If so, what is the difference?

Why is conflating perfection and holiness problematic in the life of a believer?

What are the biggest stumbling blocks to living the holy lives that God has called us to?

What are the biggest helps to living in holiness?

Read:

Revelation 1:5b-6 NLT

All glory to him who loves us and has freed us from our sins by shedding his blood for us. <sup>6</sup> He has made us a Kingdom of priests for God his Father. All glory and power to him forever and ever! Amen.

The language in this verse is definitive. Who is he talking about?

How does giving God glory because of what He has done help us become who He has called us to be?

How can we pray for each other today?