



## **One:** A Study of Ephesians

### **Blessings Involving the Holy Spirit**

Ephesians 1:13-14

#### **Ephesians 1:3-12**

13 And now you Gentiles have also heard the truth, the Good News that God saves you. And when you believed in Christ, he identified you as his own by giving you the Holy Spirit, whom he promised long ago. 14 The Spirit is God's guarantee that he will give us the inheritance he promised and that he has purchased us to be his own people. He did this so we would praise and glorify him

#### **• THE HOLY SPIRIT IS OUR SEAL.**

#### **Ephesians 1:13 ESV**

In him you also, when you heard the word of truth, the gospel of your salvation, and believed in him, were sealed with the promised Holy Spirit,

#### **• THE HOLY SPIRIT IS OUR GUARANTEE.**

#### **Ephesians 1:11-14 ESV**

The Spirit is God's guarantee that he will give us the inheritance he promised and that he has purchased us to be his own people. He did this so we would praise and glorify him

Because the Holy Spirit is Our Seal & Guarantee . . .

#### **• HE CONNECTS US TO GOD'S PRESENCE NOW & FOREVER**

### **John 14:16-18 NLT**

And I will ask the Father, and he will give you another Advocate, who will never leave you. 17 He is the Holy Spirit, who leads into all truth. The world cannot receive him, because it isn't looking for him and doesn't recognize him. But you know him, because he lives with you now and later will be in you. 18 No, I will not abandon you as orphans—I will come to you

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#### **• HE TEACHES US TO KNOW GOD & GOD'S WAYS**

### **John 14:26 NLT**

But when the Father sends the Advocate as my representative—that is, the Holy Spirit—he will teach you everything and will remind you of everything I have told you.

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#### **• HE FILLS US WITH JOY & PEACE, THEREFORE WE OVERFLOW WITH HOPE**

### **Romans 15:13 NLT**

I pray that God, the source of hope, will fill you completely with joy and peace because you trust in him. Then you will overflow with confident hope through the power of the Holy Spirit.

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#### **• HE CONVICTS US OF SIN & OUR NEED FOR GOD**

### **John 16:8-11 NLT**

And when he comes, he will convict the world of its sin, and of God's righteousness, and of the coming judgment. The world's sin is that it refuses to believe in me. Righteousness is available because I go to the Father, and you will see me no more. Judgment will come because the ruler of this world has already been judged.

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#### **• HE ENERGIZES OUR WITNESS**

### **Acts 1:8 NLT**

But you will receive power when the Holy Spirit comes upon you. And you will be my witnesses, telling people about me everywhere—in Jerusalem, throughout Judea, in Samaria, and to the ends of the earth.

## How do I receive the Holy Spirit?

### Galatians 4:6 NLT

And because we are his children, God has sent the Spirit of his Son into our hearts, prompting us to call out, "Abba, Father."