Blessed Beyond Belief

Sunday Dec. 31, 2023

Pt.1 Blessed Beyond Belief

Ephesians 1:3-13

Two Ways We can approach God's Blessings...v. 3

- 1. We can read about these spiritual blessings... turn away & go home unchanged.
- 2. Or... we can perk up... and make a decision to do what it takes to appropriate it!

The Source of all spiritual blessings...

⇒ God the Father v.3

The Scope of all spiritual blessings...

> Vs.3 says... 'all' spiritual blessings...no limits.

We serve one God in three persons...

- 1. God is planning our salvation.... Vs. 4-6
- 2. The Son is purchasing our salvation.... Vs. 7-12
- 3. The Holy Spirit preserving our salvation. ... Vs. 13-14

We also see how God chose us...

- ⇒ Vs.4... "Holy and without blame"
- ⇒ Vs.5… "Predestined"
- ⇒ Don't get the mistaken idea that some are born for heaven

& some for hell.

- (1) There are whosoever wills & whosoever wont's.
- (2) The chosen are all who choose Him.
- (3) The elect are all who elect to be saved.
- (4) God is saving the elect...and He's still electing more
- (5) God votes for you, the devil votes against you, and you form a majority by which one you vote with. "Free Will"

We are then "accepted"... Vs.6

Question...What are we saved from...saved by...and saved for? v. 7

- 1. We are saved from bondage... "In whom we have redemption"
 - 2. We are saved by the blood. 'through His blood'
 - 3. We are saved for blessing "according to the riches of His grace."

Finally...we are "sealed"...Vs.13

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