

Sermon Notes

Praise God for Every Blessing in Christ!

Ephesians 1:3-14

Intro: #Blessed! 😊

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1. PRAISE God the Father, who has abundantly blessed us...

(1:3)

- ...in Christ

-in the heavenly places

2. So that right now in Christ we are...

(1:4-14)

- a) Guaranteed to be **blameless & holy** in God's sight
 - (1:4)
 - (1:2)
 - (2:22)

- b) **Lovingly, securely adopted** into God's family as full heirs
 - (1:4-5)
 - (1:11)
 - (1:14)

- c) **Set free** by the cross and **forgiven** our sins
 - (1:7, 2:13)
 - (2:1-3)

- d) **Informed** of God's cosmic plan
 - (1:9-10)
 - (1:22)

- e) Given an **inheritance** & becoming God's inheritance
 - (1:14, 1:18)

- f) **Sealed** by the Spirit as a guarantee of our future

Conclusion: what if I'm not a Christian?