

# Spiritual Blessings in Christ

Ephesians 1:3-14

07 March 2021: Weekly devotional questions

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1. What impact does it have on you to know that the God of the universe has specially and specifically chosen and accepted you as His own son/daughter?
2. How might God's choice of you affect how you relate to His other children? What should be your attitude toward those who are not His children?
3. Paul emphasises repeatedly that all our spiritual blessings are found "in Christ". Share briefly what it personally means to you to be "in Christ".
4. In Eph. 1:4-5, what tense is used? Note the tense used in Rom. 8:23. In what sense is adoption completed, yet still future?
5. What is exciting about the implications of God giving the Holy Spirit to each of us who has trusted in the name of Jesus? Of our being heirs with Christ (Rom. 8:37)?
6. Eph. 1:13 indicates that there are two essential factors in someone becoming a Christian: *hearing* the Word and *believing* in the Word. Discuss these two components and their roles in evangelism. Are you active in sharing the Gospel?