

GENRE: LETTER

EPHESIANS

Living the gospel in everyday life

Paul wrote this letter to the Ephesian “saints”—people set apart for the purposes of God—to help them live as authentic disciples of Jesus in a pluralistic culture. Through Jesus, Paul reminded them, God had created a multi-ethnic covenant family whose members live in unity. Scripture, prayer, and relationships in the new family enable believers to become the Jesus-like new humans God intended. Empowered by the Holy Spirit, believers can stand against the forces of evil.

KEY PASSAGES

Ephesians 1: God’s New Family

Ephesians 4: Unity in New Life

Ephesians 6: Take Your Stand

KEY VERSE

I pray that you may have the power to comprehend, with all the saints, what is the breadth and length and depth, and to know the love of Christ that surpasses knowledge, so that you may be filled with all the fullness of God. Now to him who by the power at work within us is able to accomplish abundantly far more than all we can ask or imagine, to him be glory in the church and in Christ Jesus to all generations, forever and ever.

Ephesians 3:18-21

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Ephesians 1:1-10
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