

## **EPHESIANS: A Study by Bill Jones**

**Rising up alive through Christ,  
Walking daily as one in Christ,  
Standing firm with the power of Christ.  
Ephesians Chapter 3**

### **I. Mystery of Christ**

#### **A. Gentiles now heirs along with Israel as children of God**

(Ephesians 3:1-6)

#### **B. God's plan/mystery**

**1. Paul called to preach the unsearchable riches of Christ to the Gentiles** (Ephesians 3:7-8)

**2. To make clear the rollout of this mystery** (Ephesians 3:9)

**3. Through the church God now reveals this mystery**  
(Ephesians 3:10)

**4. Mystery accomplished in Christ Jesus our Lord** (Ephesians 3:11)

#### **C. May now approach God with freedom and confidence because of Christ Jesus** (Ephesians 3:12)

### **II. Paul's prayer**

#### **A. Strengthen us with power through the Holy Spirit**

(Ephesians 3:14-16)

#### **B. God's Holy Spirit fills our inner being** (Ephesians 3:16)

#### **C. Through the Holy Spirit Jesus dwells in our hearts** (Ephesians 3:17)

#### **D. Rooted in love, that we may have power** (Ephesians 3:17-18)

#### **E. That we grasp how great is the love of Christ** (Ephesians 3:18)

#### **F. That we may know this incomprehensible love** (Ephesians 3:19)

#### **G. That we may be filled to the measure of all the fullness of God** (Ephesians 3:19)

### **III. Paul's benediction**

#### **A. That God can do immeasurably more than we can imagine** (Ephesians 3:20)

#### **B. That same power is at work within us** (Ephesians 3:20)

#### **C. To God be eternal glory through the Church and through Christ Jesus** (Ephesians 3:21)