

Your Place in the Family of God You are Chosen! (Part 2)

Ephesians 1:7-14 Steve Holdaway, LifeSpring Church, 01.13.19

THE BIG IDEA: God chose you for redemption, inheritance, and the sealing of the Spirit.

Ephesians 1:7-10 ESV

⁷ In him we have redemption through his blood, the forgiveness of our trespasses, according to the riches of his grace, ⁸ which he lavished upon us, in all wisdom and insight ⁹ making known to us the mystery of his will, according to his purpose, which he set forth in Christ ¹⁰ as a plan for the fullness of time, to unite all things in him, things in heaven and things on earth.

Because of God's grace offered through Christ,

God chose you to you. (7-10)

God chose you to give you . (11-12)

¹¹ In him we have obtained an inheritance, having been predestined according to the purpose of him who works all things according to the counsel of his will, ¹² so that we who were the first to hope in Christ might be to the praise of his glory.

God chose you to by the Spirit. (13-14)

¹³ In him you also, when you heard the word of truth, the gospel of vour salvation, and believed in him, were sealed with the promised Holy Spirit, ¹⁴ who is the guarantee of our inheritance until we acquire possession of it, to the praise of his glory.

For next Sunday, meditate on Ephesians 1:15-23.