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### **Today's Sermon: Spiritually Blessed**

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## Spiritually Blessed

(Ephesians 1:3-14)

<sup>3</sup>Praise be to the God and Father of our Lord Jesus Christ, who has blessed us in the heavenly realms with every spiritual blessing **in Christ**. <sup>4</sup>For he chose us **in him** before the creation of the world to be holy and blameless in his sight. In love <sup>5</sup>he predestined us for adoption to sonship through Jesus Christ, in accordance with his pleasure and will— <sup>6</sup>to the praise of his glorious **grace**, which he has freely given us **in the One** he loves. <sup>7</sup>**In him** we have redemption through his blood, the forgiveness of sins, in accordance with the riches of God's **grace** <sup>8</sup>that he lavished on us. With all wisdom and understanding, <sup>9</sup>he made known to us the mystery of his will according to his good pleasure, which he purposed **in Christ**, <sup>10</sup>to be put into effect when the times reach their fulfillment—to bring unity to all things in heaven and on earth under Christ.

<sup>11</sup>**In him** we were also chosen, having been predestined according to the plan of him who works out everything in conformity with the purpose of his will, <sup>12</sup>in order that we, who were the first to put our hope **in Christ**, might be for the praise of his glory. <sup>13</sup>And you also were included **in Christ** when you heard the message of truth, the gospel of your salvation. When you believed, you were marked **in him** with a seal, the promised Holy Spirit, <sup>14</sup>who is a deposit guaranteeing our inheritance until the redemption of those who are God's possession—to the praise of his glory.

- **We are Spiritually Blessed in \_\_\_\_\_**
- **The Father**
  - \_\_\_\_\_ Us (v.4)
  - **Sees Us Holy and Blameless (v.4)**
  - \_\_\_\_\_ Us (v.5)
- **The Son**
  - \_\_\_\_\_ Us (v.7)
  - **Offered Us Forgiveness (v.7)**
  - **Revealed God's Will (v.8)**
  - **Brings \_\_\_\_\_ (v.10)**
  - **Glorifies God Through Us (v.11-12)**
- **The Holy Spirit**
  - **Seals Us (v.13)**
  - **Guarantees Our \_\_\_\_\_ (v.14)**