



Ephesians 1:3-14

THE FACTS OF GOD'S EXTRAORDINARY BLESSINGS

Blessed *be* the God and Father of our Lord Jesus Christ, who has blessed us with every spiritual blessing in the heavenly *places* in Christ, Ephesians 1:3

1. God's Extraordinary Blessings Are A _____
2. God's Extraordinary Blessings Are A _____
3. God's Extraordinary Blessings Are Only Available _____

THE DETAILS OF GOD'S EXTRAORDINARY BLESSINGS

1. You've Been Uniquely _____

just as He chose us in Him before the foundation of the world, that we would be holy and blameless before Him. In love ⁵ He predestined us to adoption as sons through Jesus Christ to Himself, according to the kind intention of His will, Ephesians 1:4–5

“chose” = to _____ or _____ out for one's self.

“predestined” = _____ beforehand

- To be _____ and _____ before Him

He made Him who knew no sin *to be* sin on our behalf, so that we might become the righteousness of God in Him. 2 Corinthians 5:21

- To be His _____

“He predestined us to adoption as sons through Jesus Christ”

2. You've Been Extravagantly _____

In Him we have redemption through His blood, the forgiveness of our trespasses, - Ephesians 1:7

“redemption” = _____ obtained by the payment of a ransom.

- To obtain “_____ of our trespasses”

- To be given insight into God's _____

In all wisdom and insight ⁹ He made known to us the mystery of His will, according to His kind intention which He purposed in Him ¹⁰ with a view to

an administration suitable to the fullness of the times, *that is*, the summing up of all things in Christ, things in the heavens and things on the earth. - Ephesians 1:8–10

3. You've Been Wonderfully _____ For

In Him ¹¹ also we have obtained an inheritance, having been predestined according to His purpose who works all things after the counsel of His will, Ephesians 1:10–11

For you know the grace of our Lord Jesus Christ, that though He was rich, yet for your sake He became poor, so that you through His poverty might become rich. - 2 Corinthians 8:9

4. You've Been Securely _____

In Him, you also, after listening to the message of truth, the gospel of your salvation—having also believed, you were sealed in Him with the Holy Spirit of promise, - Ephesians 1:13–14

who is given as a pledge of our inheritance, with a view to the redemption of God's *own* possession, to the praise of His glory. Ephesians 1:14

“pledge” = a deposit which guarantees full payment

For I am confident of this very thing, that He who began a good work in you will perfect it until the day of Christ Jesus. Philippians 1:6