

# YOUR WEALTHY PLACE IN GOD

## INTRO

Imagine a place where family relationships are not undermined by past hurts, bitterness, confusion, and abuse; where your spiritual enemy, satan, cannot approach without being seen from a distance and forced to flee; where you can receive answers for work before you go; where you can experience abundant provision instead of living pay to pay; and where you can draw from the wisdom of God for every need. God planned this blessed place from before the foundation of the world and it was kept hidden until now the fullness of times.

### I. Blessed Before The Foundation of The World.

- A. Ephesians 1:3,4, 9-11.
  - 1. Blessed already.
  - 2. Before the foundation of the world.
  - 3. Dispensation of the fullness of times.
- B. Before the foundation of the world - What happened?
  - 1. Chosen us Ephesians 1:4.
  - 2. Promised us eternal life Titus 1:2.
  - 3. Works were finished Hebrews 4:3.
  - 4. Saved us and called us 2 Timothy 1:9.
  - 5. Redeemed with precious blood 1 Peter 1:18-20.
  - 6. Lamb slain Revelation 13:8.
  - 7. Kingdom prepared Matthew 24:34.
  - 8. Other verses – John 17:4, 24; Romans 8:28, 29; 1 Corinthians 2:9,10; Ephesians 2:10; Revelation 17:8.

### II. Things Were Prepared Since The Beginning of The World to Make His Name Known.

- A. Make His name known to His adversaries Isaiah 64:1-4.
- B. What God had in mind about making His mighty name known Jeremiah 33:9.
  - 1. Joy, praise, and honor.
  - 2. Good and goodness.
  - 3. Prosperity.

### III. There is A Wealthy Place in God.

- A. Running over, wealthy, satisfaction, abundance, overflowing Psalm 66:13.
- B. Things prepared 1 Corinthians 2:9, 10.
- C. All these things shall be added Matthew 6:33.
- D. No good thing will he withhold Psalm 84:11.
- E. Upright have good things Psalm 28:10.
- F. Gives us richly all things to enjoy 1 Timothy 6:17.

### IV. It has Been Revealed and There is A Path to It.

- A. Works which God predestined (planned beforehand) for us and (taking paths, which He prepared ahead of time) Ephesians 2:10 – see amplified.
- B. Ephesians 4:28.
  - 1. Work to have to give.
  - 2. Live off your giving; not work for a living is what God had in mind.

- C. Salvation, healing, deliverance, etc. did not earn.
  - 1. We ran into it one day.
  - 2. Every answer to prayer, every leading of the Spirit, every ordered step, every act of obedience is only headed in one direction, to get you to your destined wealthy place.
- D. Wisdom has a way and a path Proverbs 8:17-35; Proverbs 3:17.
  - 1. Wisdom of God always leads to life, blessing, and the wealthy place.
  - 2. Word of God always leads to life, blessing, and the wealthy place.
  - 3. Being subject to the authority of Jesus leads to it.
- E. Stay on course; off course problem; set a new course.

**V. The Path to your Wealthy Place.**

- A. Put the Word 1<sup>st</sup> place Psalm 119: 105.
- B. Pray, listen, and obey.
- C. Tithe – Jericho was a gateway city and a tithe into the land of abundance Joshua 6:19,24.
- D. Give – “...running over...” Luke 6:38.