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Ephesians 1 (23 Verses)

Verses 1 - 23

- 1. <u>Paul, an apostle of Jesus Christ by the will of God, To the saints who are in **Ephesus**, and faithful in Christ Jesus:</u>
- 1.
- 2. <u>Grace to you and peace from God our Father and the Lord Jesus Christ.</u>
- 2. you the Ephesian believers OR the saints who are in Ephesus our believers'
- 3. <u>**Blessed**</u> be the God and Father of our Lord Jesus Christ, who has **blessed** us with every spiritual **blessing** in the heavenly places in Christ,
- 3. our believers'

Who - the God and Father of (our believer's Lord Jesus) Christ OR God

us - believers

- 4. *j*ust as He **chose** us in Him before the foundation of the world, that we should be holy and without **blame** before Him in love.
- 4. He the God and Father of (our (believer's) Lord Jesus)
 Christ OR God

us - believers

1st Him - (Jesus) Christ

we - believers

2nd Him - the God and Father of (our (believer's) Lord Jesus) Christ OR God

- 5. <u>having predestined</u> us to **adoption** as sons by Jesus Christ to Himself, according to the good pleasure of His will,
- 5. us believers

Himself - the God and Father of (our (believer's) Lord Jesus) Christ OR God

His - the God and Father of (our (believer's) Lord Jesus) Christ OR God

- 6. <u>to the praise</u> of the glory of His grace, by which He made us **accepted** in the Beloved.
- 6. His the God and Father of (our (believer's) Lord Jesus) Christ OR God

which - God's grace

He - the God and Father of (our (believer's) Lord Jesus) Christ OR God

us - believers

the Beloved - (Jesus) Christ

- 7. <u>In Him we</u> have redemption through His blood, the **forgiveness** of sins, according to the riches of His grace
- 7. Him (Jesus) Christ

we - believers

1st His - (Jesus) Christ's

2nd His - the God and Father of (our (believer's) Lord Jesus) Christ OR God's

- 8. which He made to abound toward us in all wisdom and prudence,
- 8. which God's grace

He - the God and Father of (our (believer's) Lord Jesus) Christ OR God

us - believers

9. <u>having made</u> known to us the mystery of His will, according to His good pleasure which He **purposed** in Himself,

- 9. us believers
 - His (2x) the God and Father of (our (believer's) Lord Jesus) Christ OR God
 - He the God and Father of (our (believer's) Lord Jesus) Christ OR God

which - God's good pleasure

Himself - the God and Father of (our (believer's) Lord Jesus) Christ OR God

- 10. <u>that in the dispensation</u> of the fullness of the **times** He might **gather** together in one all things in Christ, both which are in heaven and which are on earth in Him.
- 10. He the God and Father of (our (believers') Lord Jesus) Christ OR God

which (2x) - all things

Him - (Jesus) Christ

- 11. <u>In Him also</u> we have **obtained** an inheritance, being predestined according to the purpose of Him who works all things according to the **counsel** of His will,
- 11. 1st Him (Jesus) Christ

we - believers

2nd Him - the God and Father of (our (believers') Lord Jesus) Christ OR God

His - the God and Father of (our (believers') Lord Jesus) Christ OR God's

- 12. <u>that we who</u> first trusted in Christ should be to the praise of His glory.
- 12. we believers

His - the God and Father of (our (believers') Lord Jesus) Christ OR God's

- 13. <u>In Him you</u> also trusted, after you heard the word of truth, the gospel of your salvation; in whom also, having **believed**, you were sealed with the Holy Spirit of promise,
- 13. Him (Jesus) Christ

you (3x) - Ephesian believers

your - Ephesian believers'

Whom - (Jesus) Christ

- 14. <u>who is</u> the **guarantee** of our inheritance **until** the redemption of the **purchased possession**, to the praise of His glory.
- 14. Who (the) Holy Spirit (of Promise)

our - believers'

the purchased possession - believers

His - the God and Father of (our (believers') Lord Jesus) Christ OR God

- 15. <u>Therefore I also</u>, after I heard of your faith in the Lord Jesus and your love for all the saints,
- 15. therefore the Ephesian believers trusted in Christ and were sealed with the Holy Spirit (of promise)

I (2x) - Paul

your (2x) - Ephesian believers'

- 16. \underline{d} o not **cease** to give thanks for you, making mention of you in my prayers:
- you (2x) Ephesian believers my - Paul's
- 17. <u>that the Go</u>d of our Lord Jesus Christ, the Father of glory, may give to you the spirit of wisdom and revelation in the knowledge of Him,
- 17. our believers'

you - Ephesian believers

spirit - N.D.N. {"spirit" as in state of mind etc.}

Him - (the) God (of believers' Lord Jesus Christ) OR the Father of Glory

- 18. <u>the eyes</u> of your understanding being **enlightened**; that you may know what is the hope of His calling, what are the riches of the glory of His inheritance in the saints,
- 18. your Ephesian believers'

you - Ephesian believers

His (2x) - (the) God's (of believers' Lord Jesus Christ)

- 19. <u>and what</u> is the exceeding **greatness** of His power toward us who believe, according to the working of His **mighty** power
- 19. His (2x) (the) God's (of believers' Lord Jesus Christ) us believers

- 20. <u>which He worked</u> in Christ when He raised Him from the dead and **seated** Him at His right **hand** in the heavenly places,
- 20. which God's mighty power
 He (2x) (the) God (of believers' Lord Jesus Christ)
 Him (2x) Christ
 His (the) God's (of believers' Lord Jesus Christ)
- 21. <u>far</u> above all **principality** and power and might and **dominion**, and every name that is named, not only in this age but also in that which is to come.
- 21. 1st that N.D.N. 2nd that - the age to come
- 22. <u>And He put</u> all things **under** His feet, and gave Him to be head over all things to the church,
- 22. He (the) God (of believers' Lord Jesus Christ)His (Jesus) Christ'sHim (Jesus) Christ
- 23. which is His body, the fullness of Him who fills all in all.
- 23. which the church
 His (Jesus) Christ's
 Him (Jesus) Christ

Ephesians 2 (22 Verses)

Verses 24 - 45

- 1. And you He made alive, who were dead in trespasses and sins,
- you Ephesian believers OR believers
 He God
 who Ephesian believers OR believers
- 2. <u>in whi</u>ch you once **walked** according to the **course** of this world, according to the **prince** of the power of the **air**, the spirit who now works in the sons of disobedience,
- 2. which trespasses and sins you Ephesian believers OR believers the spirit the prince of the power of the air
- 3. <u>among</u> whom also we all once **conducted** ourselves in the lusts of our flesh, **fulfilling** the **desires** of the flesh and of the mind, and were by **nature** children of wrath, just as the others.
- whom sons of disobedience we / ourselves - believers our - believers' others - sons of disobedience OR unbelievers
- 4. <u>But God</u>, who is **rich** in **mercy**, because of His great love with which He loved us.
- 4. Who GodHis God'swhich God's great loveHe Godus believers
- 5. <u>ev</u>en when we were dead in trespasses, made us alive together with Christ (by grace you have been saved),
- 5. we believersus believersyou Ephesian believers OR believers
- 6. *and r*aised us up together, and made us **sit** together in the heavenly places in Christ Jesus,
- 6. us (2x) believers
- 7. <u>that in the ages</u> to come He might **show** the exceeding riches of His grace in His **kindness** toward us in Christ Jesus.
- 7. He God His (2x) - God's us - believers
- 8. *For by* grace you have been saved through faith, and that not of yourselves; it is the gift of God,
- 8. you Ephesian believers OR believers that being saved by grace (through faith) OR salvation yourselves Ephesian believers OR believers it being saved (by grace through faith) OR salvation

9. <u>not of</u> works, **lest** anyone should **boast**.

9.

10. For we are His workmanship, created in Christ Jesus for good works, which God prepared beforehand that we should walk in them.

11. Therefore remember that you, once Gentiles in the flesh who are called Uncircumcision by what is called the Circumcision made in the flesh by hands -

- 12. that at that time you were without Christ, being aliens from the commonwealth of Israel and strangers from the covenants of promise, having no hope and without God in the world.
- 13. But now in Christ Jesus you who once were far off have been brought near by the blood of Christ.
- 14. For He Himself is our peace, who has made both one, and has broken down the middle wall of separation,
- 15. <u>having abolished</u> in His flesh the enmity, that is, the law of commandments contained in ordinances, so as to create in Himself one new man from the two, thus making peace,
- 16. and that He might reconcile them both to God in one body through the cross, thereby putting to death the enmity.
- 17. And He came and preached peace to you who were afar off and to those who were near.
- 18. For through Him we both have access by one Spirit to the Father.
- 19. Now, therefore, you are no longer strangers and foreigners, but fellow citizens with the saints and members of the household of God.
- 20. <u>having been built</u> on the foundation of the apostles and prophets, Jesus Christ Himself being the chief corner stone,
- 21. in whom the whole **building**, being joined together, grows into a holy temple in the Lord,
- 22. in whom you also are being built together for a dwelling place of God in the Spirit.

10. we (2x) - believers

His - God's

which - good works

beforehand - before believers were created in Christ (Jesus)

them - good works

11. therefore - God made the Ephesian believers alive {verse

you - Ephesian believers OR Gentile believers who - Ephesian believers OR Gentile believers

what is called the Circumcision made in the flesh - N.D.N.

OR Israel

12. at that time - (when) the Ephesian believers were dead in their trespasses and sins {verse 1}

you - Ephesian believers OR Gentile believers

- 13. you Ephesian believers OR Gentile believers
- 14. He Himself Christ

our - believers'

Who - Christ

both - Gentile believers and Jewish believers

15. His - Christ's

Himself - Christ

one new man - believers (in Christ Jesus)

two - Gentile believers and Jewish believers

16. He - Christ

them both - Gentile believers and Jewish believers

thereby - through the cross

17. He - Christ

you - Ephesians OR Gentiles

those who were near - Israel

18. Him - Christ

we both - Gentile believers and Jewish believers

one Spirit - the Holy Spirit

19. therefore - the Ephesian believers (and Jewish believers) were reconciled to God (in one body) through the

you - Ephesian {OR Gentile} believers {not all believers} {all believers are members of the household of God}

20. Himself - Jesus Christ

- 21. Whom Jesus Christ (the chief corner stone)
- 22. Whom Christ you - Ephesian {OR Gentile} believers {not all believers}

Ephesians 3 (21 Verses)

1. <u>For this reason I, P</u>aul, the prisoner of Christ Jesus for you Gentiles -

- Verses 46 66
- 1. this reason the Ephesian believers are no longer strangers and foreigners, but fellow citizens with the saints and members of the household of God
 - I Paul

you - Ephesian believers OR Gentile believers

- 2. <u>if indeed you have heard of</u> the dispensation of the grace of God which was given to me for you,
- 2. you (2x) Ephesian believers OR Gentile believers which the dispensation of the grace of God me Paul
- 3. <u>how</u> that by revelation He made known to me the mystery (as I have **briefly written already**,
- 3. He God me - Paul I - Paul
- 4. <u>by</u> which, when you **read**, you may understand my knowledge in the mystery of Christ),
- which Paul's (earlier) writing (to the Ephesian believers)
 about the mystery
 you (2x) Ephesian believers OR Gentile believers
 my Paul's
- 5. <u>which in</u> **other** ages was not made known to the sons of men, as it has now been **revealed** by the Spirit to His holy apostles and prophets:
- 5. which the mystery (of Christ) it the mystery (of Christ) the Spirit the Holy Spirit His God's
- 6. *that the Ge*ntiles should be fellow **heirs**, of the same body, and partakers of His promise in Christ through the gospel,
- 6. His God's
- 7. <u>of</u> which I became a minister according to the gift of the grace of God given to me by the effective working of His power.
- 7. which the gospel I Paul Me Paul
- 8. <u>To me</u>, who am **less than** the **least** of all the saints, this grace was given, that I should **preach** among the Gentiles the **unsearchable** riches of Christ,
- His God's

 8. me Paul

who - Paul

this grace - the grace of God I - Paul

- 9. <u>and to make</u> all see what is the fellowship of the mystery, which from the **beginning** of the ages has been **hidden** in God who created all things through Jesus Christ;
- 9. all N.D.N. which - the mystery (of Christ) Who - God
- 10. <u>to the intent</u> that now the **manifold** wisdom of God might be made known by the church to the principalities and powers in the heavenly places,
- 10.
- 11. <u>according to the **eternal** purpose which He **accomplished** in Christ Jesus our Lord.</u>
- 11. He God our - believers'
- 12. $\underline{in \ whom \ w}$ e have **boldness** and access with **confidence** through faith in Him.
- Whom Christ (Jesus, believers' Lord) we - believers Him - Christ (Jesus, believers Lord)

- 13. <u>Therefore I ask</u> that you do not **lose** heart at my **tribulations** for you, which is your glory.
- 13. therefore God's grace was given to Paul, that Paul should preach among the Gentiles the unsearchable riches of Christ
 - I Paul

you (2x) - Ephesian believers {not all believers}

my - Paul's

which - Paul's tribulations for the Ephesian believers

your - Ephesian believers' {not all believers}

- 14. *For this reason I b***ow** my **knees** to the Father of our Lord Jesus Christ.
- 14. this reason that the Ephesian believers do not lose heart at Paul's tribulations for them
 - I Paul
 - my Paul's
 - our believers'
- 15. <u>from whom the whole family</u> in heaven and earth is named,
- Whom the Father of believers' Lord Jesus Christ OR God
- 16. *that He would* **grant** you, according to the riches of His glory, to be **strengthened** with might through His Spirit in the **inner** man.
- 16. He the Father of believers' Lord Jesus Christ OR God you Ephesian believers OR believers
 His (2x) the Father of believers' Lord Jesus Christ OR God's
- 17. <u>that Christ may dwell</u> in your hearts through faith; that you, being **rooted** and **grounded** in love,
- 17. your Ephesian believers' OR believers' you Ephesian believers OR believers
- 18. <u>may</u> be able to **comprehend** with all the saints what is the **width** and **length** and **depth** and **height** -
- 18.
- 19. <u>to k</u>now the love of Christ which **passes** knowledge; that you may be filled with all the fullness of God.
- 19. which the love of Christ you Ephesian believers OR believers
- 20. <u>Now to</u> Him who is able to do **exceedingly abundantly** above all that we ask or **think**, according to the power that works in us,
- 20. Him God we - believers us - believers
- 21. $\underline{to\ H}$ im be glory in the church by Christ Jesus to all **generations**, **forever** and ever. Amen.
- 21. Him God

Ephesians 4 (32 Verses)

Verses 67 - 98

- 1. <u>I,</u> therefore, the prisoner of the Lord, **beseech** you to walk worthy of the calling with which you were called,
- I Paul therefore - N.D.N. you (2x) - Ephesian believers OR believers which - the calling
- 2. with all lowliness and gentleness, with longsuffering, bearing with one another in love,
- 2. one another Ephesian believers OR believers
- 3. <u>en</u>deavoring to keep the unity of the Spirit in the bond of peace.
- 3.
- 4. <u>There</u> is one body and one Spirit, just as you were called in one hope of your calling;
- 4. you Ephesian believers OR believers your Ephesian believers' OR believers'

5. <u>one L</u>ord, one faith, one **baptism**;

5.

- 6. <u>one God</u> and Father of all, who is above all, and through all, and in you all.
- 6. Who God (and Father of all) all (4x) all believers you Ephesian believers OR believers
- 7. <u>But to</u> each one of us grace was given according to the measure of **Christ's** gift.
- 7. us believers
- 8. <u>Therefore He says: "When He ascended on high, He led captivity captive, And gave gifts to men."</u>
- therefore believers were given grace (according to the measure of Christ's gift)

1st He - God 2nd & 3rd He - Christ

- 9. (*Now this*, "He ascended" what does it **mean** but that He also first descended into the **lower parts** of the earth?
- 9. He (2x) Christ
- 10. <u>He</u> who descended is also the One who ascended far above all the **heavens**, that He might fill all things.)
- 10. He (2x) Christ the One Christ
- 11. <u>And He Himself</u> gave some to be apostles, some prophets, some evangelists, and some pastors and teachers,
- 11. He Christ some some believers
- 12. <u>for the equipping</u> of the saints for the work of **ministry**, for the edifying of the body of Christ,
- 12.
- 13. <u>till</u> we all come to the unity of the faith and of the knowledge of the Son of God, to a **perfect** man, to the measure of the **stature** of the fullness of Christ;
- 13. we believers (the saints)
- 14. <u>that we should</u> no longer be children, **tossed** to and **fro** and **carried about** with every **wind** of **doctrine**, by the **trickery** of men, in the **cunning craftiness** of deceitful **plotting**,
- 14. we believers
- 15. <u>but, speaking</u> the truth in love, may **grow** up in all things into Him who is the head Christ -
- 15. Him Christ
- 16. <u>from whom the whole body</u>, joined and **knit** together by what every **joint supplies**, according to the effective working by which every **part** does **its share**, **causes growth** of the body for the edifying of **itself** in love.
- 16. Whom Christ (the head)
 which effective working (of the whole body)
 every part every part of the (whole) body
 its every part of the (whole) body's
 itself the whole body
- 17. <u>This I</u> say, therefore, and **testify** in the Lord, that you should no longer walk as the **rest** of the Gentiles walk, in the **futility** of their mind,
- 17. this that the Ephesian believers should no longer walk as the rest of the Gentiles walk (in the futility of their mind)

I - Paul

therefore - N.D.N.

you - Ephesian believers OR believers

their - the rest of the Gentiles' OR unbelieving Gentiles'

- 18. <u>having</u> their understanding **darkened**, being **alienated** from the **life** of God, because of the **ignorance** that is in them, because of the **blindness** of their heart;
- 18. their (2x) the rest of the Gentiles' OR unbelieving Gentiles'
- 19. <u>who, being</u> **past feeling**, have given themselves over to **lewdness**, to work all uncleanness with **greediness**.
- them the rest of the Gentiles OR unbelieving Gentiles
- 19. who the rest of the Gentiles OR unbelieving Gentiles themselves the rest of the Gentiles OR unbelieving Gentiles

- 20. But you have not so learned Christ,
- 21. *if indeed you have heard H*im and have been **taught** by Him, as the truth is in Jesus:
- 22. <u>that you p</u>ut off, concerning your **former conduct**, the **old** man which grows corrupt according to the deceitful lusts,
- 23. and be renewed in the spirit of your mind,
- 24. <u>and that you</u> put on the new man which was created according to God, in true righteousness and **holiness**.
- 25. <u>Therefore</u>, <u>p</u>utting away **lying**, "Let each one of you speak truth with his **neighbor**," for we are members of one another.
- 26. <u>"Be</u> angry, and do not sin": do not let the sun go down on your wrath,
- 27. nor give place to the devil.
- 28. <u>Let him</u> who **stole steal** no longer, but rather let him labor, working with his hands what is good, that he may have **something** to give him who has need.
- 29. <u>Let no corrupt</u> word **proceed** out of your mouth, but what is good for **necessary edification**, that it may impart grace to the **hearers**.
- 30. <u>And do not grieve</u> the Holy Spirit of God, by whom you were sealed for the day of redemption.
- 31. <u>Let all</u> **bitterness**, wrath, **anger**, **clamor**, and evil speaking be put away from you, with all **malice**.
- 32. *And be k*ind to one another, **tenderhearted**, **forgiving** one another, just as God in Christ **forgave** you.

Ephesians 5 (33 Verses)

- 1. <u>Therefore be</u> imitators of God as dear children.
- 2. <u>And walk</u> in love, as Christ also has loved us and given Himself for us, an **offering** and a **sacrifice** to God for a **sweet-smelling aroma**.

- 20. you Ephesian believers OR believers
- 21. if {if is not conditional here, it means since} you Ephesian believers OR believers Him (2x) Christ
- 22. you Ephesian believers OR believers your Ephesian believers' OR believers' which the old man
- 23. your Ephesian believers' OR believers'
- 24. you Ephesian believers OR believers which the new man
- 25. therefore (because) the new man is created in true righteousness and holiness you Ephesian believers OR believers his Ephesian believers OR believers

we - believers one another - believers

- 26. your Ephesian believers' OR believers'
- 27.
- 28. 1st him an Ephesian believer {OR a believer}
 2nd him an Ephesian believer {OR a believer} who stole
 his an Ephesian believer's {OR a believer} who stole
 he an Ephesian believer {OR a believer} who stole
 3rd him him {OR an Ephesian believer OR a believer}
 who has need
- 29. your Ephesian believers' OR believers' it a believer's {OR an Ephesian believer's} words OR what proceeds out of an Ephesian believer's {OR believer's} mouth
- 30. Whom (the) Holy Spirit (of God) you Ephesian believers OR believers
- 31. you Ephesian believers OR believers
- 32. one another (2x) Ephesian believers OR believers you Ephesian believers OR believers

Verses 99 - 131

- 1. therefore (because) God in Christ forgave the Ephesian believers {OR believers}
- 2. us (2x) believers Himself - Christ

- 3. <u>But fornication</u> and all uncleanness or covetousness, let it not even be named among you, as is fitting for saints;
- 4. <u>nei</u>ther **filthiness**, nor **foolish talking**, nor **coarse jesting**, which are not fitting, but rather giving of thanks.
- 5. <u>For this you</u> know, that no **fornicator**, **unclean person**, nor **covetous** man, who is an **idolater**, has any inheritance in the kingdom of Christ and God.
- 6. <u>Let no one</u> **deceive** you with **empty** words, for because of **these** things the wrath of God **comes** upon the sons of disobedience.
- 7. Therefore do not be partakers with them.
- 8. <u>For you were once darkness</u>, but now you are light in the Lord. Walk as children of light
- 9. (for the fruit of the Spirit is in all goodness, righteousness, and truth),
- 10. *find*ing out what is acceptable to the Lord.
- 11. <u>And have</u> no fellowship with the **unfruitful** works of darkness, but rather **expose** them.
- 12. <u>For it</u> is **shameful** even to speak of those things which are done by them in **secret**.
- 13. <u>But al</u>l things that are **exposed** are made **manifest** by the light, for whatever **makes manifest** is light.
- 14. <u>Therefore He says: "Awake</u>, you who sleep, Arise from the dead, And Christ will give you light."
- 15. <u>See</u> then that you walk circumspectly, not as fools but as wise,
- 16. *red*eeming the time, because the days are evil.
- 17. <u>Therefore do not be unwise</u>, but understand what the will of the Lord is.
- 18. <u>And do not be</u> **drunk** with **wine**, in which is **dissipation**; but be filled with the Spirit,

- 3. it fornication, uncleanness, covetousness you Ephesian believers OR believers {may add saints}
- 4. which filthiness, foolish talking, coarse jesting
- 5. this that no fornicator, unclean person, nor covetous man, who is an idolater, has any inheritance in the kingdom of Christ and God

you - Ephesian believers OR believers who - a covetous man

- 6. you Ephesian believers OR believers these things - fornication, uncleanness, covetousness, filthiness, foolish talking, coarse jesting (idolatry)
- 7. therefore (because of these things) the wrath of God comes upon the sons of disobedience them (the) sons of disobedience OR a fornicator, unclean person, or covetous man, who is an idolater
- 8. you (2x) Ephesian believers OR believers
- 9.
- 10.
- 11. them (the) unfruitful works of darkness
- 12. it to speak of those things (which are) done in secret by the sons of disobedience those things N.D.N. OR the unfruitful works of darkness them (the) sons of disobedience
- 13.
- 14. therefore (because) all things that are exposed are made manifest by the light OR for whatever makes manifest is light

He - God

you (2x) - unbelievers

- 15. you Ephesian believers OR believers
- 16.
- 17. therefore because the days are evil
- 18. which being drunk with wine

- 19. <u>speaking</u> to one another in **psalms** and **hymns** and spiritual **songs**, **singing** and making **melody** in your heart to the Lord,
- 20. <u>gi</u>ving thanks always for all things to God the Father in the name of our Lord Jesus Christ,
- 21. *submitting* to one another in the fear of God.
- 22. *Wiv*es, **submit** to your own husbands, as to the Lord.
- 23. *For the h*usband is head of the wife, as also Christ is head of the church; and He is the **Savior** of the body.
- 24. <u>Therefore</u>, just as the church is **subject** to Christ, so let the wives be to their own husbands in **everything**.
- 25. <u>Husbands</u>, love your wives, just as Christ also loved the church and gave Himself for her,
- 26. <u>that He might sanctify</u> and cleanse her with the washing of water by the word,
- 27. <u>that He might present</u> her to Himself a **glorious** church, not having **spot** or **wrinkle** or any **such thing**, but that she should be holy and without **blemish**.
- 28. <u>So h</u>usbands ought to love their own wives as their own **bodies**; he who **loves** his wife **loves** himself.
- 29. <u>For no</u> one ever **hated** his own flesh, but **nourishes** and cherishes it, just as the Lord does the church.
- 30. *For we are m*embers of His body, of His flesh and of His **bones**.
- 31. <u>"For this reason a</u> man **shall leave** his father and mother and be joined to his wife, and the two **shall** become one flesh."
- 32. *This is* a great mystery, but I speak concerning Christ and the church.
- 33. <u>Nevertheless</u> let each one of you in **particular** so love his own wife as himself, and let the wife see that she **respects** her husband.

- 19. one another Ephesian believers OR believers your Ephesian believers' OR believers'
- 20. our believers'
- 21. one another Ephesian believers OR believers
- 22. your (believing) wives'
- 23. He Christ
- 24. therefore (because) Christ is head of the church their (believing) wives'
- 25. your (believing) husbands' Himself - Christ her - the church
- 26. He Christ her the church
- 27. He Christ her - the church Himself - Christ she - the church
- 28. so as Christ (also) loved the church and gave Himself for her

their (2x) - (believing) husbands' he - a (believing) husband his - (believing) husband's himself - a (believing) husband

- 29. his a man's OR anyone's it a man's {OR anyone's} flesh
- 30. we believers His (3x) - Christ's
- 31. this reason N.D.N. {quote from Genesis 2:24} his (2x) a man's the two a man and his wife
- 32. this the two shall become one flesh I Paul
- 33. you a (believing) husband his - a (believing) husband' himself - a (believing) husband she - a (believing) wife her - a (believing) wife's

Ephesians 6 (24 Verses)

- 1. Children, **obey** your **parents** in the Lord, for this is right.
- 2. <u>"Hon</u>or your father and mother," which is the first **commandment** with promise:
- 3. <u>"that it</u> may be well with you and you may **live long** on the earth."
- 4. <u>And you, fathers</u>, do not **provoke** your children to wrath, but **bring** them up in the **training** and **admonition** of the Lord.
- 5. <u>Bondservants</u>, be **obedient** to those who are your masters according to the flesh, with fear and **trembling**, in sincerity of heart, as to Christ;
- 6. <u>not with eyeservice</u>, as men-pleasers, but as bondservants of Christ, doing the will of God from the heart,
- 7. with goodwill doing service, as to the Lord, and not to men,
- 8. <u>knowing that</u> whatever good anyone does, he will **receive** the same from the Lord, **whether** he is a **slave** or **free**.
- 9. <u>And you, masters, do the same things to them, giving up threatening, knowing that your own Master also is in heaven, and there is no partiality with Him.</u>
- 10. <u>Finally</u>, my brethren, be **strong** in the Lord and in the power of His might.
- 11. <u>Put</u> on the whole armor of God, that you may be able to stand against the **wiles** of the devil.
- 12. <u>For we do</u> not **wrestle** against flesh and blood, but against principalities, against powers, against the **rulers** of the darkness of this age, against spiritual **hosts** of **wickedness** in the heavenly places.
- 13. <u>Therefore take</u> up the whole armor of God, that you may be able to **withstand** in the evil day, and having done all, to stand.
- 14. <u>Stand</u> therefore, having **girded** your **waist** with truth, having put on the **breastplate** of righteousness,

Verses 132 - 155

- your (believing) children's this - (believing) children obeying their parents in the Lord
- your (believing) children's which - "Honor your father and mother"
- 3. it N.D.N. you (2x) - (believing) children
- 4. you (believing) fathers your - (believing) fathers' them - (believing) fathers' children
- 5. your bondservants'
- 7.

6.

- 8. he (2x) anyone that does good (whether slave or free) the same good (things)
- 9. you (believing) masters the same things - good things them - bondservants your - (believing) masters' Him - God
- 10. my Paul's
 His the Lord's
 my brethren N.D.N. OR believers
- 11. you Ephesian believers OR believers
- 12. we believers
- 13. therefore believers {OR Ephesian believers} wrestle against principalities, powers, the rulers of the darkness of this age and against spiritual hosts of wickedness (in the heavenly places) you Ephesian believers OR believers
- 14. therefore N.D.N. your Ephesian believers' OR believers'

- 15. <u>and having</u> **shod** your feet with the **preparation** of the gospel of peace;
- 15. your Ephesian believers' OR believers'
- 16. <u>ab</u>ove all, **taking** the **shield** of faith with which you will be able to **quench** all the **fiery darts** of the **wicked** one.
- 16. which the shield of faith you Ephesian believers OR believers
- 17. <u>And take</u> the **helmet** of salvation, and the **sword** of the Spirit, which is the word of God;
- 17. which the sword of the Spirit
- 18. <u>pr</u>aying always with all prayer and supplication in the Spirit, being watchful to this end with all perseverance and supplication for all the saints -
- 18.
- 19. <u>and for me, that **utterance** may be given to me, that I may **open** my mouth boldly to make known the mystery of the gospel,</u>
- 19. me (2x) Paul I - Paul my - Paul's
- 20. *for whi*ch I am an **ambassador** in **chains**; that in it I may speak boldly, as I ought to speak.
- 20. which (the mystery of) the gospel I (3x) Paul it (the mystery of) the gospel
- 21. <u>But th</u>at you also may know my affairs and how I am doing, **Tychicus**, a beloved **brother** and faithful minister in the Lord, will make all things known to you;
- 21. you (2x) Ephesian believers {not all believers} my Paul's I Paul
- 22. <u>whom</u> I have **sent** to you for this **very** purpose, that you may know our affairs, and that he may **comfort** your hearts.
- 22. whom Tychicus

I - Paul

you (2x) - Ephesian believers {not all believers}

this very purpose - that the Ephesian believers may know Paul's and Tychicus' affairs (and how Paul is doing) and that Tychicus may comfort the Ephesian believers' hearts

our - Paul's and Tychicus'

he - Tychicus

your - Ephesian believers' {not all believers}

- 23. <u>Peace</u> to the brethren, and love with faith, from God the Father and the Lord Jesus Christ.
- 23.
- 24. <u>Grace be</u> with all those who love our Lord Jesus Christ in sincerity. Amen.
- 24. all those believers our believers'

1 Thessalonians 1 (10 Verses)

- 1. <u>Paul, Silvanus</u>, and **Timothy**, To the church of the **Thessalonians** in God the Father and the Lord Jesus Christ: Grace to you and peace from God our Father and the Lord Jesus Christ.
- 2. <u>We</u> give thanks to God always for you all, making mention of you in our prayers,
- 3. <u>remembering</u> without ceasing your work of faith, labor of love, and **patience** of hope in our Lord Jesus Christ in the **sight** of our God and Father,
- 4. <u>knowing</u>, <u>b</u>eloved brethren, your **election** by God.
- 5. <u>For our gospel</u> did not come to you in word only, but also in power, and in the Holy Spirit and in much **assurance**, as you know what kind of men we were among you for your **sake**.
- 6. <u>And you became followers</u> of us and of the Lord, having received the word in much **affliction**, with joy of the Holy Spirit,
- 7. <u>so that you became **examples** to all in Macedonia and Achaia who believe.</u>
- 8. <u>For from</u> you the word of the Lord has **sounded forth**, not only in Macedonia and Achaia, but also in every place. Your faith toward God has **gone** out, so that we do not need to say **anything**.
- 9. <u>For they</u> themselves **declare** concerning us what **manner** of **entry** we had to you, and how you **turned** to God from **idols** to **serve** the **living** and true God,
- 10. <u>and to wait</u> for His Son from heaven, whom He raised from the dead, even Jesus who **delivers** us from the wrath to come.

Verses 156 - 165

- you Thessalonian believers {see Note 1} OR the church of the Thessalonians our - believers'
- 2. we Paul, Silvanus and Timothy you (2x) Thessalonian believers our Paul's, Silvanus' and Timothy's
- 3. your Thessalonian believers' our (2x) believers'
- 4. your Thessalonian believers' (beloved brethren)
- our Paul's, Silvanus' and Timothy's you (3x) - Thessalonian believers we - Paul, Silvanus and Timothy your - Thessalonian believers'
- you Thessalonian believers us - Paul, Silvanus and Timothy
- 7. you Thessalonian believers
- 8. you Thessalonian believers your - Thessalonian believers' we - Paul, Silvanus and Timothy
- they all in Macedonia and Achaia who believe OR the Macedonian and Achaian believers themselves all in Macedonia and Achaia who believe OR the Macedonian and Achaian believers us Paul, Silvanus and Timothy we Paul, Silvanus and Timothy you (2x) Thessalonian believers
- 10. His God'sWhom God's Son OR JesusHe Godus believers

1 Thessalonians 2 (20 Verses)

- 1. <u>For you yourselves</u> know, brethren, that our coming to you was not in **vain**.
- 2. <u>But even after we had suffered before and were spitefully treated</u> at **Philippi**, as you know, we were **bold** in our God to speak to you the gospel of God in much **conflict**.
- 3. <u>For our exhortation</u> did not come from **error** or uncleanness, nor was it in **deceit**.
- 4. <u>But as</u> we have been **approved** by God to be **entrusted** with the gospel, even so we speak, not as **pleasing** men, but God who **tests** our hearts.
- 5. <u>For ne</u>ither at any time did we **use flattering** words, as you know, nor a **cloak** for covetousness God is **witness**.
- 6. <u>Nor did</u> we **seek** glory from men, **either** from you or from others, when we might have made **demands** as apostles of Christ.
- 7. <u>But we were gentle among you</u>, just as a **nursing** mother cherishes her own children.
- 8. <u>So, affectionately longing</u> for you, we were well **pleased** to impart to you not only the gospel of God, but also our own **lives**, because you had become dear to us.
- 9. <u>For you remember</u>, brethren, our labor and **toil**; for **laboring night** and day, that we might not be a **burden** to any of you, we preached to you the gospel of God.
- 10. <u>You</u> are **witnesses**, and God also, how **devoutly** and **justly** and **blamelessly** we **behaved** ourselves among you who believe;
- 11. <u>as</u> you know how we **exhorted**, and **comforted**, and **charged** every one of you, as a father does his own children,
- 12. <u>that you would</u> walk worthy of God who **calls** you into His own kingdom and glory.
- 13. <u>For this reason we</u> also **thank** God without ceasing, because when you received the word of God which you heard from us, you **welcomed** it not as the word of men, but as it is in truth, the word of God, which also **effectively** works in you who believe.

Verses 166 - 185

- you yourselves Thessalonian believers our - Paul's, Silvanus' and Timothy's you - Thessalonian believers
- 2. 1st we Paul and Silvanus {see Acts 15 & 16} 2nd we - Paul, Silvanus & Timothy you (2x) - Thessalonian believers our - Paul's, Silvanus' & Timothy's OR believers'
- 3. our Paul's, Silvanus' & Timothy's it Paul's, Silvanus' & Timothy's exhortation
- 4. we (2x) Paul, Silvanus and Timothy our Paul's, Silvanus' & Timothy's OR believers'
- 5. we Paul, Silvanus and Timothy you Thessalonian believers
- 6. we (2x) Paul, Silvanus and Timothy you Thessalonian believers others other men OR other believers
- 7. we Paul, Silvanus and Timothy you Thessalonian believers her a nursing mother's
- 8. you (3x) Thessalonian believers we - Paul, Silvanus and Timothy our - Paul's, Silvanus' & Timothy's us - Paul, Silvanus and Timothy
- 9. you (3x) Thessalonian believers our - Paul's, Silvanus' & Timothy's we (2x) - Paul, Silvanus and Timothy
- 10. you (2x) Thessalonian believers we Paul, Silvanus and Timothy ourselves Paul, Silvanus and Timothy
- 11. you (2x) Thessalonian believers we Paul, Silvanus and Timothy his a father's
- 12. you (2x) Thessalonian believers OR believers His God's
- 13. this reason when the Thessalonian believers received the word of God, they welcomed it (not as the word of men, but) as (it is in truth,) the word of God

we - Paul, Silvanus and Timothy you (4x) - Thessalonian believers us - Paul, Silvanus and Timothy which (2x) - the word of God it (2x) - the word of God

- 14. For you, brethren, became imitators of the churches of God which are in Judea in Christ Jesus. For you also suffered the same things from your own countrymen, just as they did from the Judeans,
- 15. who killed both the Lord Jesus and their own prophets, and have persecuted us; and they do not please God and are contrary to all men,
- 16. forbidding us to speak to the Gentiles that they may be saved, so as always to fill up the measure of their sins; but wrath has come upon them to the **uttermost**.
- 17. But we, brethren, having been taken away from you for a short time in presence, not in heart, endeavored more eagerly to see your face with great desire.
- 18. Therefore we wanted to come to you even I, Paul, time and again - but Satan hindered us.

- 19. *For wha*t is our hope, or joy, or **crown** of **rejoicing**? Is it not even you in the presence of our Lord Jesus Christ at His coming?
- 20. For you are our glory and joy.

- 14. you (2x) Thessalonian believers your - Thessalonian believers' they - the churches of God in Judea OR the Judean believers
- 15. who the Judeans OR unbelieving Jews their - the Judeans' OR unbelieving Jews' us - Paul, Silvanus and Timothy they - the Judeans' OR unbelieving Jews'
- 16. us Paul, Silvanus and Timothy they - the Gentiles their - the Judeans' OR unbelieving Jews' them - the Judeans OR unbelieving Jews
- 17. we Paul, Silvanus and Timothy you - Thessalonian believers your - Thessalonian believers'
- 18. therefore Paul, Silvanus and Timothy having been taken away from the Thessalonian believers for a short time (in presence, not in heart) OR Paul, Silvanus and Timothy endeavored more eagerly to see the Thessalonian believer's face with great desire

we - Paul, Silvanus and Timothy vou - Thessalonian believers I - Paul us - Paul, Silvanus and Timothy

- 19. 1st our Paul's, Silvanus' & Timothy's you - Thessalonian believers 2nd our - believers' His - (believers' Lord Jesus) Christ's OR Jesus'
 - it the Thessalonian believers in the presence of (believers' Lord Jesus) Christ {OR Jesus}
- 20. you Thessalonian believers our - Paul's, Silvanus' & Timothy's
- Note 1: Paul frequently refers to the Thessalonian believers as brethren. Therefore, quizzers may respond with either "Thessalonian believers" or "Thessalonian brethren" or "church of the Thessalonians" when referring to the believers in Thessalonica.