

Introduction:

1. What are the gifts that the Lord has blessed you with and how do you utilize them for the Kingdom?
2. What are the two divisions of Ephesians that Gloria lays out for us?
3. What are the two personifications that people may observe from our walk? How could these examples we give effect our ministry?
4. How is an unregenerate sinner able to be redeemed? What makes the difference in a sinner’s life so that they are able to lay aside the old and take up the new?
5. Gloria states that Ephesians teaches us how to interpret the world around us, in what ways would this interpretation look like? How is the world and its devices used to solidify eternal truths and encourage us?

Chapter 1

1. What does Paul mean when he writes to the Ephesians, “To the saints who are at Ephesus and who are faithful in Christ Jesus?” what does it mean to be a faithful saint?
2. Read Psalm 103 and consider how it is reflected in Ephesians 1:3-14. What are a few of the Spiritual blessings that are laid out for us in these two sections of scripture?
3. How are these blessings bestowed to us, and how do they bring glory to God?
4. What is the overarching message of Ephesians and how does it help us understand our purpose and the purpose of the world? What are some other scripture references that reflect the truth of Ephesians 1:9-10
5. Who is the Spirit and what is His purpose for indwelling us? What is His relationship to us in a physical sense? What is His relationship to us in an eternal sense?
6. What are the dual realities of our salvation? What is the New Testament reference Gloria provided to prove the duality of these realities?