SIT, WALK, STAND IN EPHESIANS:

- 1. OUR POSITION IN CHRIST: "SIT" (verse 2:6)
- ⁴But God, who is rich in mercy, for his great love wherewith he loved us,
- ⁵ Even when we were dead in sins, hath quickened us together with Christ, (by grace ye are saved;)
- ⁶ And hath raised us up together, and made us SIT together in heavenly places in Christ Jesus:
- ⁷ That in the ages to come he might shew the exceeding riches of his grace in his kindness toward us through Christ Jesus.
- ⁸ For by grace are ye saved through faith; and that not of yourselves: it is the gift of God:
- ⁹ Not of works, lest any man should boast.

2. OUR LIFE IN THE WORLD: "WALK" (verse 4:1)

- 4 I therefore, the prisoner of the Lord, beseech you that ye <u>WALK</u> worthy of the vocation wherewith ye are called,
- ² With all lowliness and meekness, with longsuffering, forbearing one another in love;
- ³ Endeavouring to keep the unity of the Spirit in the bond of peace.
- ⁴ There is one body, and one Spirit, even as ye are called in one hope of your calling;
- ⁵ One Lord, one faith, one baptism,
- ⁶One God and Father of all, who is above all, and through all, and in you all.
- ⁷ But unto every one of us is given grace according to the measure of the gift of Christ.

3. OUR ATTITUDE TO THE ENEMY: "STAND" (verse 6:11)

- ¹⁰ Finally, my brethren, be strong in the Lord, and in the power of his might.
- ¹¹ Put on the whole armour of God, that ye may be able to <u>STAND</u> against the wiles of the devil.
- ¹² For we wrestle not against flesh and blood, but against principalities, against powers, against the rulers of the darkness of this world, against spiritual wickedness in high places.
- ¹³ Wherefore take unto you the whole armour of God, that ye may be able to withstand in the evil day, and having done all, to <u>STAND</u>.
- ¹⁴ <u>STAND</u> therefore, having your loins girt about with truth, and having on the breastplate of righteousness;