

## Paul's Epistle to the Ephesians

- I. Introduction
- II. Background and Observations of Paul's Message
- III. The Feel and Flow of the Epistle
- IV. The Context or Occasion of the Epistle
- V. The Heartbeat or Thrust of the Epistle
- VI. Conclusion & Application

### Message #1 Our Glorious Calling (Ephesians 1:1,2) Part I

#### I. Remember Where Your Strength Comes From (1:1)

- 1) Paul's Unique Calling and God's Word (1:1)
- 2) Paul's Unique Calling and God's Will (1:1a)
  - i. Paul's *defense*
  - ii. Paul's *offence*
  - iii. Paul's *confidence*

#### Next Week...Part II

#### II. Remember & Acknowledge the Strength of our Opposition (1:1c)

- 1) Our opposition seems overwhelming
- 2) Our opposition can be overcome

#### III. Remember/ Recognize the Mighty Power of our Message (1:2)

- 2) The power of Grace
- 3) The power of Peace