

# Ephesians

The Walk of The  
Spirit!



# What Is It About?

The believer's wealth is described to help believers live in accordance with it.



# Ephesians 1 (wealth)

- Riches (1)



- ◆ Riches described (1:1-14)
- ◆ Prayer for comprehension (1:15-23)

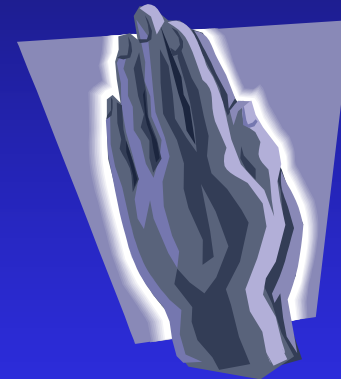
# Ephesians 2–3 (wealth)

- Position (2–3)

- ◆ Individual (2:1-10)

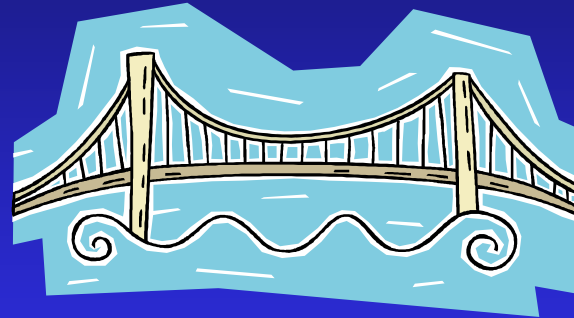
- ◆ Corporate (2:11–3:13)

- ◆ Prayer for comprehension (3:14-21)



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# Position and Practice



- Positional unity
  - ◆ Eph 2:11–3:13
- Practical unity
  - ◆ Eph 4:1-16

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- Positional holiness
  - ◆ Eph 1:4
- Practical holiness
  - ◆ Eph 4:17-32



# Ephesians 5:1-17

- Walk of love (1-6)
- Walk of light (7-14)
- Walk of wisdom (15-17)



# Ephesians 5:18-21

- Negative command (18a)
- Positive command (18b)
- Consequences (19-21)





# Negative Command (18a)



- Do not be drunk with wine!
- Do not be under the control of a foreign substance
- Dissipation (Luke 15:13)

# Positive Command (18b)

- Allow the Spirit that already indwells us to control us
- Be continuously filled with the Spirit
- Command
- How? (1 John 1:9; Eph 5:17)
- Results-alcohol analogy



# Consequences of Spirit Control (19-21)

- Public worship (19a)
- Private worship (19b)
- Thanksgiving (20)
- Submission (21)



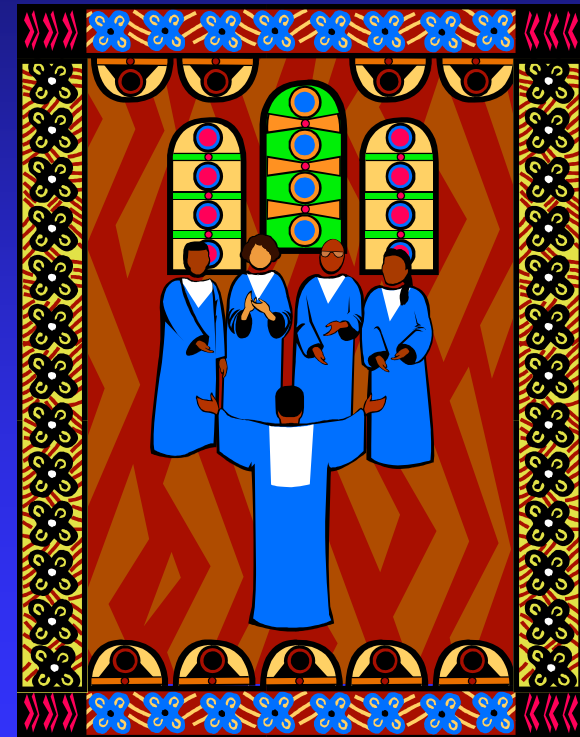
# Types of Public Worship (19)

- Psalms
- Hymns
- Spiritual songs



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