

Ephesians 1 – Our Blessings in Christ

Day 2 – Redeemed and Forgiven

Scripture

Ephesians 1:7 – “In Him we have redemption through His blood, the forgiveness of our trespasses, according to the riches of His grace.”

Reflection

Our salvation is not earned but purchased. The price was the blood of Christ. Redemption means we’ve been set free from the power and penalty of sin. Forgiveness restores our relationship with God and brings peace to the soul. Paul describes this grace as being lavished upon us. God doesn’t measure out grace with a spoon, but pours it out abundantly.

Illustration

Imagine a massive debt wiped clean with one stroke of a pen. The weight lifts instantly, replaced by relief and gratitude. That’s what Jesus accomplished at the cross, He paid our debt in full.

Application

Don’t live as though you’re still in debt to sin. Walk in the freedom that Christ purchased for you. Each time guilt or shame creeps in, remember the cross—your redemption is secure and complete.