

Discussion Questions – Ephesians 1:1–14

1. When you think about “blessings,” what usually comes to mind? How might Paul’s idea of spiritual blessings expand that definition?

2. Read Matthew 5:45. In what ways does God’s common grace show His kindness to all people?

3. How do you balance the mystery of God’s sovereignty with human responsibility?

4. Why is adoption into God’s family such a powerful picture of salvation? What does it mean to live as a child and heir of God?

5. How does understanding grace as something lavishly poured out change your motivation to serve and obey God?

6. How should assurance of salvation lead to greater gratitude and obedience, not complacency?

7. How can remembering the security of our blessings strengthen your worship and service this week?

8. How can your group pray for one another to live with greater joy and gratitude for these spiritual blessings?
