

MIND BOGGLING

STRETCH - Part 2

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Ephesians 1:3-10

We need to...

1. **Anchor our lives in** _____
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“Praise be to the God and Father of our Lord Jesus Christ, who has blessed us in the heavenly realms with every spiritual blessing in Christ.” Ephesians 1:3 (NIV)

2. **Celebrate how** _____
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“For he chose us in him before the creation of the world to be holy and blameless in his sight. In love [v.5] he predestined us to be adopted as his sons through Jesus Christ, in accordance with his pleasure and will— [v.6] to the praise of his glorious grace, which he has freely given us in the One he loves.” Ephesians 1:4-6 (NIV)

I John 4:10&19

3. **Grasp the** _____
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“In him we have redemption through his blood, the forgiveness of sins, in accordance with the riches of God’s grace [v.8] that he lavished on us with all wisdom and understanding.” Ephesians 1:7,8 (NIV)

“And he made known to us the mystery of his will according to his good pleasure, which he purposed in Christ, [v.10] to be put into effect when the times will have reached their fulfillment—to bring all things in heaven and on earth together under one head, even Christ.”
Ephesians 1:9,10 (NIV)

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