

# Incorruptible, Undeclared, and Unfading

## Predestined

### *Ephesians 1*

*3 Blessed be the God and Father of our Lord Jesus Christ, who hath blessed us with all spiritual blessings in heavenly places in Christ:*

*4 According as he hath chosen us in him before the foundation of the world, that we should be holy and without blame before him in love:*

*5 Having predestinated us unto the adoption of children by Jesus Christ to himself, according to the good pleasure of his will,*

*6 To the praise of the glory of his grace, wherein he hath made us accepted in the beloved.*

**From the foundation of the world God the Father planned to adopt humanity through His only begotten Son and bring them to the fullness of His love. The Father's plan was motivated by humanity's needs and what people would require to be holy, unblemished, and understanding the meaning of love.**

### *1 Peter 1*

*1 Peter, an apostle of Jesus Christ, to the strangers scattered throughout Pontus, Galatia, Cappadocia, Asia, and Bithynia,*

*2 Elect **according to the foreknowledge of God the Father, through sanctification of the Spirit,** unto obedience and sprinkling of the blood of Jesus Christ: Grace unto you, and peace, be multiplied.*

### *2Thessalonians 2*

*7 For the mystery of iniquity doth already work: only he who now letteth will let, until he be taken out of the way.*

*8 And then shall that Wicked be revealed, whom the Lord shall consume with the spirit of his mouth, and **shall destroy (g2673 render inactive)** with the brightness of his coming:*

**The Truth of God (Christ) when spoken and believed, will consume the doctrines of the Papacy. The second coming of Christ will render him inactive.**

*9 Even him, whose coming is after the working of **Satan** with all power and signs and lying wonders,*

### *Revelation 12*

*9 And the great dragon was cast out, ~~that~~ (the) old (one) (the) serpent (or whisperer), **called ~~the~~ a Devil**, and (the) Satan (or adversary), which deceiveth the whole world: he was cast out into the earth, and his angels were cast out with him.*

10 And with all **deceivableness of unrighteousness (delusions of iniquity)** in them that perish; because they received not the love of the truth, that they might be saved. (From themselves)

11 And for this cause God shall send them strong delusion, that they should believe a lie:

12 That they all might be damned who believed not the truth, but had pleasure in unrighteousness.

13 But we are bound to give thanks always to God for you, brethren beloved of the Lord, because God hath **from the beginning chosen you to salvation through sanctification of the Spirit and belief of the truth:**

14 Whereunto he called you by our gospel, **to the obtaining of the glory of our Lord Jesus Christ.**

Christ's glory is defined in John 17:5. The glory He had from the foundation of the world was the fact He was the Son of God. That is the glory we obtain by accepting the Truth (Christ).

15 Therefore, brethren, stand fast, and hold the traditions which ye have been taught, whether by word, or our epistle.

## Our Inheritance

1 Peter 1

3 Blessed be the God and Father of our Lord Jesus Christ, which according to his abundant mercy hath begotten us again unto a lively hope by the resurrection of Jesus Christ from the dead,

**The cross shows us God's love for us is equal to His love for Christ. That is why the resurrection of Christ gives us a living hope.**

4 To an inheritance incorruptible, and undefiled, and that fadeth not away, reserved in heaven for you,

5 Who are kept by the power of God through faith unto salvation ready to be revealed in the last time.

Ephesians 1

13 In whom ye also trusted, after that ye heard the word of truth, the gospel of your salvation: in whom also after that ye believed, ye were sealed with ~~the~~ **the Holy (One), (the) Spirit** of (the) promise,

14 **Which is the earnest of our inheritance** until the redemption of the purchased possession, unto the praise of his glory.

Our inheritance is to possess the mind of God in a glorified body. It is His mind that is incorruptible, undefiled, and unfading.

*Revelation 14*

*1 And I looked, and, lo, a Lamb stood on the mount Zion, and with him a hundred forty and four thousand, having **his Father's name written in their foreheads**.*

*2 And I heard a voice from heaven, as the voice of many waters, and as the voice of a great thunder: and I heard the voice of harpers harping with their harps:*

*3 And **they sung as it were a new song** before the throne, and before the four beasts, and the elders: and **no man could learn that song but the hundred and forty and four thousand**, which were redeemed **from the earth**. (or self)*

*4 These are they which were not defiled with women; for they are virgins. These are they which follow the Lamb whithersoever he goeth. These were redeemed from among men, being the firstfruits unto God and to the Lamb.*

*5 And in their mouth was found no guile: for they are without fault before the throne of God.*

**They are the first to enter into the completion of God's plan for the elect.**