

He All Ready Had Made Up His Mind!

1 Paul, an apostle of Jesus Christ by the will of God, to the saints which are at Ephesus, and to the faithful in Christ Jesus:

(no name change) The Apostle by the will of God- Peter and disciples cast Lots for Mathias) Ephesus

(revelation lost its first love) wealthy and prosperous- Artemis - seventh wonder of the world , where occultisms practices took place and no matter what crime you committed you could not be arrested within a certain circumference of the temple. 'Distortion of justice and perversion of right and wrong" Acts tells us of the confrontation of demons - burning of books- In the midst of this there were a faithful people.

2 Grace be to you, and peace, from God our Father, and from the Lord Jesus Christ.

Emphasizing grace - surviving there it s got to be grace- understand grace, you have peace- God (Theos - The creator and owner of all things) and the Lord Jesus!

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:

Past tense - all ready decreed blessing upon my life in the pursuit of him.

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:

The blessing is given and totally manifested According To his Purpose- Romans 8:28 we were selected to have relationship with him and fulfill our purpose that we may reap the greatest benefits and blessing form him. We stay forgiven by forgiving- and striving everyday to please him thus abiding in his love.

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

Having made up his mind before time to select us specifically- he commissioned a part of himself to die to retrieve us- As a mother whose child is rescued from danger he welcomes us to safety and security and to be held in his arms and to be cherished.

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

God's willingness to show Grace off to the world he selects you and reveals his love, his kindness, his peace, his joy his goodness!

⁷In whom we have redemption through his blood, the forgiveness of sins, according to the riches of his grace;

You and I have been brought back from Satan's control and purpose back to his purpose! I AM FORGIVEN, not to judge me how well I acted after I was forgiven you have to look at his Grace his Mercy, His Love.

⁸Where in he hath abounded toward us in all wisdom and prudence;

Everything I need to know how to fulfill his will and know his love for me I will come into that knowledge, I will be astounded at what I don't know but I will get everything I need to know about his everlasting love and divine plan for my life! This is not a game show. Jesus all ready made a deal, and its done, I am more than a conqueror in Christ.

⁹Having made known unto us the mystery of his will, according to his good pleasure which he hath purposed in himself:

Not the mystery of his being and creation but he will give you the cup of his perfect will for your life. That you will know what you are purposed to do.

¹⁰That in the dispensation of the fullness of times he might gather together in one all things in Christ, both which are in heaven, and which are on earth; even in him:

This is all culminating to a great divine crescendo of his glory and his eternal purpose being fulfilled and we are his portion and he is our prize. The High Calling!

¹¹In whom also we have obtained an inheritance, being predestinated according to the purpose of him who worketh all things after the counsel of his own will:

"He will make a way out of no way- that I can see" It has been predetermined that I receive blessings initiated from heaven to be manifested on the earth.

¹²That we should be to the praise of his glory, who first trusted in Christ.

The blessings spiritual and natural brings praise and glory to his name and people note that we trusted in Christ, through the difficult times and God proves to be faithful in his promises to us.