



Lesson Four: To Him Who is Able Ephesians 3:14-21

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3 ¹⁴ For this reason I bow my knees before the Father, ¹⁵ from whom every family in heaven and on earth is named, ¹⁶ that according to the riches of his glory he may grant you to be strengthened with power through his Spirit in your inner being, ¹⁷ so that Christ may dwell in your hearts through faith—that you, being rooted and grounded in love, ¹⁸ may have strength to comprehend with all the saints what is the breadth and length and height and depth, ¹⁹ and to know the love of Christ that surpasses knowledge, that you may be filled with all the fullness of God.

²⁰ Now to him who is able to do far more abundantly than all that we ask or think, according to the power at work within us, ²¹ to him be glory in the church and in Christ Jesus throughout all generations, forever and ever. Amen.

Discussion Questions

1. Who is the primary subject of your prayer life? Who is the primary subject of Paul's prayer in Ephesians 3:14-21?
2. What is Paul's posture in prayer? What does this posture teach us about prayer?
3. What does Paul pray for on behalf of the Ephesian church? What does this say about our greatest need?
4. In what way is Paul's prayer Trinitarian? What does his prayer teach us about the character of God?
5. Paul's prayer ends with a doxology in Ephesians 3:20-21. What role does worship play in your prayer life?