

July 18, 2021
“Because We Are Chosen”
(Ephesians 1:3-14)

The New York Times: There is \$ _____ dollars of unclaimed inheritances worldwide!

God has abundant _____ He is waiting to give His children!

By His very nature, God is abundantly _____.

Living in ignorance of our _____ blessings is as useful as burying a bag of _____ in the ground and never using it.

We need to _____ our blessings, thank God for them, and _____ these blessings as the foundation of our lives!

This is the _____ to living without **anxiety, fear, poor self-image, envy, greed and hopelessness!**

First of all.....

1.- We are blessed that we have been _____!

The words “*In Christ*” appears _____ times in the book of Ephesians.

What does it mean that we are chosen?

It means you are _____! You are _____! It means that God has a _____ for you!

With God, there are no grandchildren, no stepchildren, no illegitimate children, because each of us is a child of God “_____!”

There is great joy in a feeling of “_____!”

2.- We are blessed when we realize that our sins are _____!

The wrongs we have done are our primary source of our feelings of _____ and unworthiness.

Do we understand the _____ and joy that comes from hearing that your _____ have been paid in full?

Sometimes the hardest person to forgive is _____!

3.- We are blessed when we realize that we are not _____ by what has happened in the _____!

Many of us get stuck because we remember and _____ old, painful memories.

It is God who _____ us, not we ourselves, not our friends and family!

When God defines our life, he doesn't look at our _____. He looks at our _____! He looks at our _____!

He looks at what we _____ be once we find our life in Christ!

You have been _____! You have been _____! You are no longer _____ by the past!

You are, of all people, _____!

Let this be the day that you find your identity, your purpose, and your future in Christ!

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