



# We Are TREASURED

*Ephesians 1:11-14*

*Are we really who we say we are?*

*Are we being as God defined us and doing as God designed us?*

In Christ, we are \_\_\_\_\_ -

\_\_\_\_\_ and \_\_\_\_\_ -

(by \_\_\_\_\_ not \_\_\_\_\_) -

that we might \_\_\_\_\_ Him!



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## FOR FURTHER REFLECTION & ACTION

- Memorize Ephesians 1:13-14
- Read one chapter of Ephesians each day this week. Meditate on 1 Peter 2:9-12
- Listen to "Who You Say I Am" by Hillsong - <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=IKw6uqtGFfo>
- Listen to "My Portion" by Andy & Jessica Park - <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=BQv2NycvqY>
- Read this article by J.D. Greear - <https://jdgrear.com/blog/four-reasons-god-tells-you-that-youre-chosen/>

## QUESTIONS FOR REFLECTION

- 1) What stood out to you the most from the message on how "We are Treasured"?
- 2) Share about a most treasured possession that you currently own or owned in the past. What makes it so special?
- 3) Read Deuteronomy 7:6-9, 14:2, 26:18-19, Exodus 19:5-6, Psalm 135:4, 1 Peter 2:9-10, and Titus 2:14. What do these verses demonstrate together about how the Lord feels about His people?
- 4) We translated the first phrase of verse 11 to be that we "were chosen as God's portion" or "were obtained/claimed as an inheritance." What difference should it make in our lives to know that God chose us in this way in Christ?
- 5) What do you think it means that we are "sealed" with the Holy Spirit, and why does this matter?
- 6) What do you think it means that the Holy Spirit is our pledge/deposit/down payment of our inheritance? What more inheritance remains for us to receive?
- 7) All of God's work in "blessing" us as revealed in Ephesians 1 is "to the praise of His glory." What are some specific ways you can plan to praise the Lord this Christmas month that would demonstrate that you treasure Him as your portion and Lord?