

STUDIES IN EPHESIANS

Lesson 9

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THE VAST AND AWESOME POWER OF GOD

Ephesians 1:19--23

Introduction

I. The calling of the Church 1:1--3:21

A. The salutation 1:1--2

B. The praise for redemption 1:3--14

C. Paul's prayer for wisdom and revelation 1:15--23

1. Commendation and thanksgiving 1:15--16a

2. Petition 1:16b--23

a. For wisdom and revelation 1:16b--18a

b. The purposes of the petition 1:18b--23

1) To know what is the hope of His calling 1:18b

2) To know what are the riches of the glory of His inheritance in the saints 1:18c

3) To know what is the surpassing greatness of His power toward us who believe 1:19--23

a) Its measure 1:19

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b) Its demonstration 1:20--23

1) In Christ 1:20--21

a) In His resurrection 1:20a

b) In His ascension and exaltation 1:20b--21

2) In His authority 1:22a

3) In His headship of the Church 1:22b--23

Conclusion and application

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