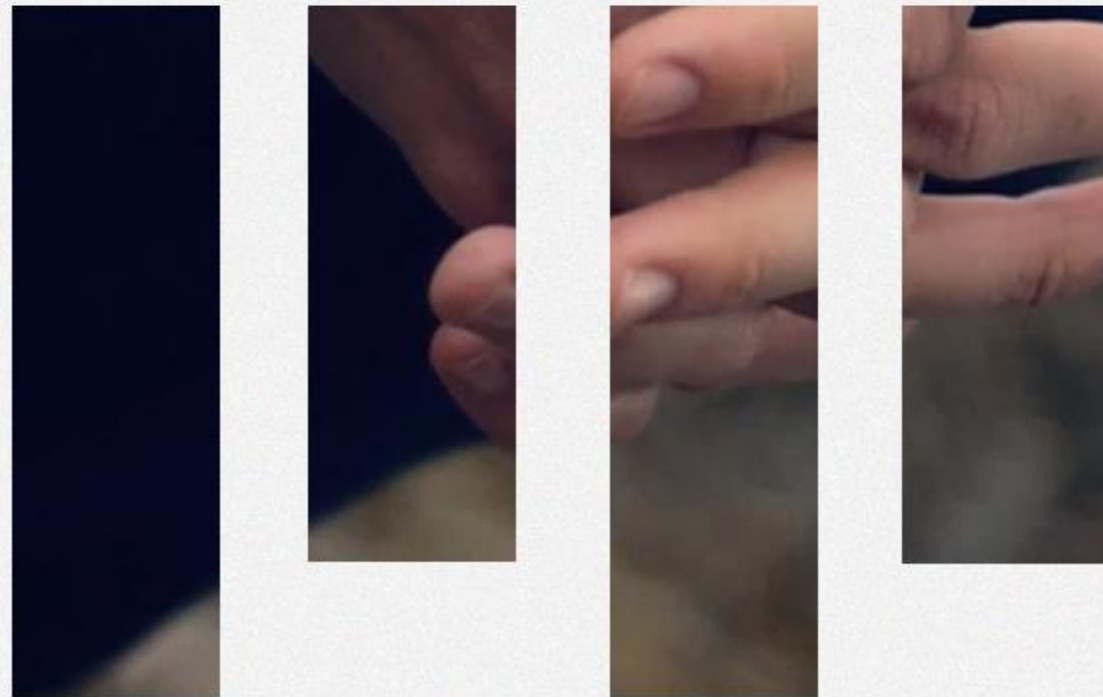


**WHILE WE WAIT**





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**Ephesians 2:1** And you He made alive, who were dead in trespasses and sins,<sup>2</sup> in which you once walked according to the course of this world.

**Ephesians 2:11** Therefore remember that you, once Gentiles in the flesh—who are called Uncircumcision by what is called the Circumcision made in the flesh by hands—<sup>12</sup> that at that time you were without Christ, being aliens from the commonwealth of Israel and strangers from the covenants of promise, having no hope and without God in the world.





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**Romans 12:1** I beseech you therefore, brethren, by the mercies of God, that you present your bodies a living sacrifice, holy, acceptable to God, which is your reasonable service.<sup>2</sup> And do not be conformed to this world, but be transformed by the renewing of your mind, that you may prove what is that good and acceptable and perfect will of God.





# THE PROVISION

**Ephesians 1:3** Blessed be the God and Father of our Lord Jesus Christ, who has blessed us with every spiritual blessing in the heavenly places in Christ.





# THE POSITION

**Ephesians 1:4** just as He chose us in Him before the foundation of the world, that we should be holy and without blame before Him in love,<sup>5</sup> having predestined us to adoption as sons by Jesus Christ to Himself, according to the good pleasure of His will,<sup>6</sup> to the praise of the glory of His grace, by which He made us accepted in the Beloved.





**Ephesians 1:7** In Him we have redemption through His blood, the forgiveness of sins, according to the riches of His grace<sup>8</sup> which He made to abound toward us in all wisdom and prudence,<sup>9</sup> having made known to us the mystery of His will, according to His good pleasure which He purposed in Himself,<sup>10</sup> that in the dispensation of the fullness of the times He might gather together in one all things in Christ, both which are in heaven and which are on earth—in Him.





**Ephesians 1:11** In Him also we have obtained an inheritance, being predestined according to the purpose of Him who works all things according to the counsel of His will,<sup>12</sup> that we who first trusted in Christ should be to the praise of His glory.





# THE PROMISE

**Ephesians 1:13** In Him you also trusted, after you heard the word of truth, the gospel of your salvation; in whom also, having believed, you were sealed with the Holy Spirit of promise,<sup>14</sup> who is the guarantee of our inheritance until the redemption of the purchased possession, to the praise of His glory.





**Ephesians 2:8** For by grace you have been saved through faith, and that not of yourselves; it is the gift of God,<sup>9</sup> not of works, lest anyone should boast.<sup>10</sup> For we are His workmanship, created in Christ Jesus for good works, which God prepared beforehand that we should walk in them.





**Romans 10:10** For with the heart one believes unto righteousness, and with the mouth confession is made unto salvation.<sup>11</sup> For the Scripture says, “Whoever believes on Him will not be put to shame.”<sup>12</sup> For there is no distinction between Jew and Greek, for the same Lord over all is rich to all who call upon Him.<sup>13</sup> For “whoever calls on the name of the LORD shall be saved.





**1 Corinthians 6:19** Or do you not know that your body is the temple of the Holy Spirit who is in you, whom you have from God, and you are not your own?<sup>20</sup> For you were bought at a price; therefore glorify God in your body and in your spirit, which are God's.





**John 14:15** “If you love Me, keep My commandments.<sup>16</sup> And I will pray the Father, and He will give you another Helper, that He may abide with you forever—<sup>17</sup>the Spirit of truth, whom the world cannot receive, because it neither sees Him nor knows Him; but you know Him, for He dwells with you and will be in you.<sup>18</sup> I will not leave you orphans; I will come to you. ”

