



The Purpose of Election Ephesians 1:4-6

- The Christian is chosen to be holy.
- The Christian is chosen to be adopted.
 - Adoption brings a total break with the old family and a new family, with all its rights, privileges, and responsibilities, is formed.
 - The adopted child becomes an heir to the Father's estate.
 - The old life of the adoptee is completely erased.
- The Christian is chosen to reflect God's grace to the world.

Other Scripture:

Ephesians 1:3-6; 1 John 2:1-6; Colossians 1:21-22; Ephesians 2:10; 2 Corinthians 5:17

Further Study:

Read: Ephesians 1:4-6 and the other scripture in your group or with at least one other person.

1. Have someone read it while everyone reads along.
2. Have someone else read it while everyone else listens.
3. Have someone recount the text from memory in their own words.

Discuss:

1. What does the passage reveal about God?
2. What does the passage reveal about humanity?

Act:

1. If this passage is from God, what should change about how you live?
2. Who needs to hear the truth of this Scripture that you can share it with this week?
3. Identify a time this week when you might have the opportunity to share with them.