



Power at Work

Ephesians 1:19-23

Paul's reasons for using these examples of God's power:

- Christ's resurrection was a precursor to our resurrection.
- Christ's exaltation is a reminder that He is always on the throne.

Not the labors of my hands
can fulfill thy law's demands;
could my zeal no respite know,
could my tears forever flow,
all for sin could not atone;
thou must save, and thou alone.
-Augustus Toplady, *Rock of Ages*

Other Scripture:

Colossians 1:15-20

Further Study:

Read: Ephesians 1:19-23 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.