

5. *Be prepared to let God use you to be an answer to your own blessings on others.* What is meant by this statement?

6. Give some Bible references you might use to bless someone who feels life is hopeless.

PERSONAL APPLICATION

1. Under what circumstances has God brought you great comfort?

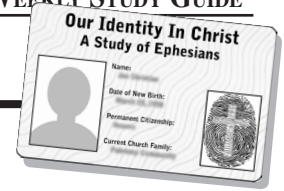
2. How can you use that comfort to bless someone else?

(SEE 2 CORINTHIANS 1:3-4)

If you have never been *born again*, contact Pastor Keith or a trusted Christian friend this week to find out how.

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Blessed, Part 2



Series: "Our Identity in Christ" — Ephesians #123

Introduction: EPHESIANS 6:23-24

What blessings can you offer?

1. Offer the _____.

NUMBERS 6:22–26; EPHESIANS 6:23; 1 PETER 1:2; JOHN 16:33;
ROMANS 5:1; ISAIAH 52:7; 2 THESSALONIANS 3:16

2. Offer the _____.

EPHESIANS 6:23–24; ROMANS 1:7; 1 CORINTHIANS 1:3; REVELATION 1:4–5
JOHN 1:16–17; ROMANS 3:23–24; EPHESIANS 2:8–9; JAMES 1:17;
MATTHEW 5:44–45; LUKE 6:27–28; GALATIANS 6:18; ROMANS 2:4

3. Offer the _____.

1 TIMOTHY 1:2; 2 TIMOTHY 1:2; 2 JOHN 1:3; 1 PETER 1:3;
LAMENTATIONS 3:22–23; GALATIANS 6:16; JUDE 21–23

STUDY & DISCUSSION QUESTIONS

4. Offer the _____.

EPHESIANS 6:23–24; 2 THESSALONIANS 3:5; 2 SAMUEL 2:6;
1 THESSALONIANS 3:12; PHILIPPIANS 1:9–11

5. Offer the _____.

JOHN 15:9–11; ROMANS 15:13

[JAMES 2:15–16; 2 THESSALONIANS 3:13–16]

6. Offer the _____.

HEBREWS 11:1; 2 THESSALONIANS 2:16–17; ROMANS 15:13

7. Offer the _____.

2 CORINTHIANS 1:3–4; HEBREWS 12:10–11; 2 THESSALONIANS 2:16–17

Conclusion: You were _____ to _____

and to _____. 1 PETER 3:9; HEBREWS 13:20–21

1. Can an unbeliever experience peace?
Explain and defend your answer.

2. How can you communicate blessings of grace
to someone who doesn't understand God's grace?

3. What is the difference between mercy and grace?

4. How can you keep a blessing from coming across
trite and insincere?