

4. How should a Christian respond if another believer has different interpretations about the work of the Holy Spirit?


5. Find at least three references that indicate that the common hope of all Christians is for Christ's return to take his people to glory.

6. If someone declares "Jesus is Lord," is it proof that this person is a Christian? Defend your answer.

PERSONAL APPLICATION

We know God wants unity in the church. How do the truths identified in this study motivate you to strive more earnestly for Christian unity?

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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Seven-Fold Unity
(Part I)



Series: "Our Identity in Christ" — Ephesians #63

Introduction: EPHESIANS 4:1-6

EPHESIANS 4:4-6 gives us the seven-fold foundation of Christian unity:

1. _____.

A. The _____ is God's chosen description of _____ people.

EPHESIANS 4:4

B. The phrase " _____ " conveys _____. EPHESIANS 1:22-23

C. Every Christian is united to _____ in the _____. ROMANS 12:5

2. _____.

A. The _____ consists of _____ the _____, _____ the _____ and _____ the _____. EPHESIANS 4:3-4; 2:18

B. The _____ always _____. 1 JOHN 4:2

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C. Every Christian has the _____
_____ with every other Christian.

ROMANS 8:9–11

3. _____.

A. _____ is the
_____ that God will
_____ His _____ to us. HEBREWS 6:18–20

B. The _____ that all believers share is that we will
_____.
TITUS 2:11–14; JOHN 14:1–3

4. _____.

A. _____!
EPHESIANS 4:5; ROMANS 10:9; MATTHEW 7:21

B. Every Christian is united in the _____
_____.
ROMANS 10:9–10; PHILIPPIANS 2:9–11

Conclusion: Christians can _____
because we are _____ Christ!

1. What is the difference between *subjective truth* and *objective truth*, and why does it matter?

2. The Bible clearly states that all Christian are united in one Spirit. How is it, then, that there are so many different beliefs among believers about the Holy Spirit?

3. According to 1 JOHN 4:2, what is the *litmus test* to determine whether the unity of the Spirit exists between two people?