

**Women of Grace 2009-2010**  
*Ephesians: The Glory of His Grace*  
**Homework for Lesson Four**  
**Sealed by the Holy Spirit**

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Read Ephesians 1:13-14

1. (a) How is a sinner led to salvation, according to verse 13?

(b) Compare Romans 10:12-15 with Ephesians 1:13. What similar thoughts do you find?

2. (a) What is the “word of truth” (vs. 13)? See also 1 Corinthians 15:1-4.

(b) What are the essential elements of the gospel?

3. (a) How do sinful men and women “hear” the gospel? (Read Luke 10:23-24, John 14:26, and 16:13-14)

(b) How are sinners led to believe the word of truth? (Ephesians 2:8)

4. (a) What does it mean to be “sealed” by the Holy Spirit? John 14:17

John 14:23

1 Corinthians 6:19-20

(b) What is the importance of being sealed by the Holy Spirit? (Romans 8:9)

5. (a) What hope does the Holy Spirit give to believers, according to Ephesians 1:14?

(b) What similar thought do you find in 2 Corinthians 1:21-22?

6. (a) What is the evidence of the Holy Spirit's presence, according to the following verses?  
John 15:8, 16

Romans 8:16-17

Galatians 5:22-23

Ephesians 5:9

(b) Why are you thankful for the Holy Spirit's presence in your life?

7. Review Ephesians 1:3-14.

(a) How did each member of the Godhead work to bring us salvation?

(b) How has God blessed us in Christ:  
In eternity past?

In the present?

In the future?

8. (a) What was the reason for the outpouring of His riches on the fallen race of mankind? (Verses 6, 12, and 14)

(b) What truths about God's work in your life (Ephesians 1:3-14) can you apply to the challenges you are facing today?