

LEAVING A LEGACY OF LOVE

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Ephesians 1:3-10

³Blessed be the God and Father of our Lord Jesus Christ, who has blessed us in Christ with every spiritual blessing in the heavenly places, ⁴even as he chose us in him before the foundation of the world, that we should be holy and blameless before him. In love ⁵he predestined us for adoption as sons through Jesus Christ, according to the purpose of his will, ⁶to the praise of his glorious grace, with which he has blessed us in the Beloved. ⁷In him we have redemption through his blood, the forgiveness of our trespasses, according to the riches of his grace, ⁸which he lavished upon us, in all wisdom and insight ⁹making known to us the mystery of his will, according to his purpose, which he set forth in Christ ¹⁰as a plan for the fullness of time, to unite all things in him, things in heaven and things on earth.

Ephesians 2:1-10

¹And you were dead in the trespasses and sins ²in which you once walked, following the course of this world, following the prince of the power of the air, the spirit that is now at work in the sons of disobedience— ³among whom we all once lived in the passions of our flesh, carrying out the desires of the body and the mind, and were by nature children of wrath, like the rest of mankind. ⁴But God, being rich in mercy, because of the great love with which he loved us, ⁵even when we were dead in our trespasses, made us alive together with Christ— by grace you have been saved— ⁶and raised us up with him and seated us with him in the heavenly places in Christ Jesus, ⁷so that in the coming ages he might show the immeasurable riches of his grace in kindness toward us in Christ Jesus. ⁸For by grace you have been saved through faith. And this is not your own doing; it is the gift of God, ⁹not a result of works, so that no one may boast. ¹⁰For we are his workmanship, created in Christ Jesus for good works, which God prepared beforehand, that we should walk in them.

Leaving a Legacy of Love

To leave a legacy of love you must genuinely receive love,
then give love.

- 1) You must genuinely experience the love of God through Jesus
- 2) You must genuinely love God
- 3) You must genuinely love others

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Next Steps

Attend the Student Ministries Vision Lunch on September 19



Student Ministries Vision Lunch

Sunday, September 19, 1-3 PM in the Meeting Place

CTK Student Ministries has a dream of reaching every student in Whatcom County with the message of Jesus Christ. This Fall we are implementing a new strategy to mobilize more people to reach more students on a deeper level than ever before.

It doesn't matter whether you're a parent, grandparent, teacher, school administrator, coach, school mentor, counselor, young life leader, school secretary, janitor, involved at a school, or even a student – if you love Jesus and care about this generation, we'd love to show you our vision for transforming this community, one student at a time, by working together.

Come enjoy a **free lunch**, hear how God is moving and learn how you can become part of this movement.