

"I do not pray for these alone, but also for those who will believe in Me through their word; that they **all may be one**, as You, Father, are in Me, and I in You; that they also **may be one in Us**, that the world may believe that You sent Me. And the glory which You gave Me I have given them, that they **may be one** just as We are one: I in them, and You in Me; that they may be **made perfect in one**, and that the world may know that You have sent Me, and have loved them as You have loved Me. [John 17:20-23](#)

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BIBLE BASICS FOR THE 21ST CENTURY

United in Christ



“In Christ” 13x in Eph.

“In Christ” 87x in N.T.

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God's Eternal Purpose was Predestinated "in Christ"

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Eph 1:4-5

“He chose us in **Him** before the foundation of the world, that we should be holy and blameless before him. In love He predestined us for adoption through **Jesus Christ**, according to the purpose of His will”



God's Eternal Purpose was Predestinated "in Christ"

#1 It was not an accident

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God's Eternal Purpose was Predestinated "in Christ"

#1 It was not an accident

#2 It was in God's mind "before
the world was"

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Predestinated In Christ



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All Spiritual Blessings Are “in Christ”

Eph 1:3

“Blessed be the God and Father of our Lord Jesus Christ, who has blessed us with **every spiritual blessing** in the heavenly places **in Christ,**”

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All Spiritual Blessings

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All Spiritual Blessings Are “in Christ”

#1 Pardon from sins

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in
Christ



All Spiritual Blessings Are “in Christ”

#1 Pardon from sins

#2 Purpose of life

United
in
Christ



All Spiritual Blessings Are “in Christ”

#1 Pardon from sins

#2 Purpose of life

#3 Peace of mind

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#4 Privilege of Prayer

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#5 Power to Defeat the Devil

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#6 Promise of Paradise

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Religious Unity Only Achieved “in Christ”

We are to be one Christ
Eph. 1:10

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Eph. 4:1-16



We are
the
“called
of
Christ”

Called to be ONE “In Christ”



Eph. 4:1-16

We are
the
“called
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Eph. 4:1-16

We are
One Body
“in
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Eph. 4:1-16

We are
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Being Called of Christ is connected
with the Gospel of Christ

Religious Unity Only Achieved “in Christ”

#1 Plea for Unity



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#1 Plea for Unity

#2 Platform for Unity

United
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Christ



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#1 Plea for Unity

#2 Platform for Unity

#3 Provisions for Unity

United
in
Christ



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#1 Plea for Unity

#2 Platform for Unity

#3 Provisions for Unity

#4 Perfection of Unity

United
in
Christ



United in Christ

