

Outline of Ephesians 4-6

II. Living in keeping with God's eternal purpose (4:1-6:24)

A. Walk worthy of your calling (4:1-5:21)

1. Endeavor to keep the unity of the Spirit (4:2-16)
2. Put off the old man and put on the new man (4:17-32)
3. Imitate God and walk in wisdom (5:1-21)

B. Submission in the fear of God (5:21-6:9)

1. Wives
2. Husbands
3. Children
4. Fathers
5. Servants
6. Masters

C. Be strong in the Lord (6:10-24)

Walking Worthily: Endeavor to keep the unity of the Spirit

- Walk according to your calling (v.1)
 - “Vocation”
 - Heavenly calling
- Endeavor to keep the unity of the Spirit
 - Walk with the right attitudes (v.2)
 - Lowliness
 - Gentleness
 - Longsuffering
 - Bearing with one another in love
 - Walk with strong effort (v.3)
 - Keep – guard

Walking Worthily: Follow God's Plan for Unity

Unifying, objective truths to be accepted uncompromisingly

- One Body
 - Unity of Organization
- One Spirit
 - Unity of Revelation
- One Hope
 - Unity of Desire
- One Lord
 - Unity of Authority
- One Faith
 - Unity of Doctrine
- One Baptism
 - Unity of Practice
- One God and Father
 - Unity of Worship

One Body

- The church
 - 1:22-23
- One
 - 2:14-16
 - Matthew 16:18
- Divinely planned and accomplished in Christ
 - 3:8-11
- Its foundation
 - 2:19-22
- One Head
 - 1:22-23
 - 5:23, 24
- Many Members
 - 2:19
 - 5:22-23
- 2:16

One Spirit

- The Holy Spirit
- Deity
 - Genesis 1:1, 2, 26
 - John 14:26
 - Eternal
 - Hebrews 9:14
 - Omniscient
 - 1 Corinthians 2:10-14
 - Omnipresent
 - Psalm 139:7-10
- Revealed the mystery
 - 3:5
- One
 - 1 Corinthians 12:4, 8-9, 11

One Hope

- Hope: a favorable expectation with trust and confidence
 - Desire and expectation
- The one hope
 - Heaven
 - 1:14
 - Colossians 1:5
- An anchor of the soul
 - Hebrews 6:17-19
- Saved by
 - Romans 8:24
 - 1 Peter 1:4-5