

“God the Spirit Seals Us”
Ephesians 1:11-14 * September 10, 2023

God keeps his _____

because He is faithful (Heb. 10:23; Rom. 4:20-21)

because He cannot lie (Titus 1:1-2; Heb. 6:18; Num. 23:19; 1 Sam. 15:29)

God the Son generates our _____, 1:11

1 Peter 1:3-4

undefiled
unfading
kept in heaven

God the Father sets the _____, 1:11

Mystery of Election & Individual Responsibility

“you did not choose Me, but I chose you” (John 15:16)

“whoever calls on the name of the Lord will be saved” (Romans 10:13)

Believers hear & _____ the gospel, 1:13

God the Spirit _____ us, 1:13

“were sealed with the promised Holy Spirit”

Every believer
is secure (2 Cor. 1:21-22; Rom. 8:9)
is _____ (Rom. 8:16-17)
belongs to God (1 Cor. 6:19-20)
has _____ to represent God

God the Spirit _____ our salvation, 1:14

“who is the guarantee of our inheritance until we acquire possession of it, to the praise of his glory.”

2 Corinthians 1:21-22

The Holy Spirit is the “down payment” or “earnest money” that secures our eventual arrival in heaven
If even one person that God saves fails to reach heaven, then God forfeits his pledge . . . God ceases to be God.

Fill in the blanks: promises, inheritance, imperishable, guidelines, believe, seals, authentic, authority, guarantees