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OUR GOOD FOUNDATION

I. INTRODUCTION

II. OUR GOOD FOUNDATION (Ephesians 1:3-14)

Paul's DOXOLOGY (vv. 6, 12, 14)

A. The Good Word (v. 3)

1. You are blessed: EULOGY
2. In Christ: Keep your eyes on Jesus (John 1:1, 14)

B. Our Good Foundation (vv. 4-14)

1. The Father (vv. 4-6)
 - a. The Father chose us (v. 4)
 - b. The Father adopted us (v. 5)

How do we walk with this foundational Truth?

REST in God's sovereignty

RESPOND to God's grace

Reason - all for God's GLORY

(1 Corinthians 10:31)

2. The Son (vv. 7-12)

- a. Jesus offers redemption (vv. 7-11)
- b. Jesus makes Himself known (v. 9)

How do we walk with this foundational Truth?

Say “Yes” to your **NEED** and
say “Yes” to **JESUS’** work

3. The Spirit (vv. 13-14)

- a. The Holy Spirit **SEALS** us (v. 13)
- b. The Holy Spirit is our Guarantee (v. 14)

How do we walk with this foundational Truth?

SURRENDER to the Holy Spirit
to have a worthy walk

III. WHAT’S YOUR NEXT STEP?

NOTES

The Controversy

Salvation – How we come to God and interact with Him

<u>Calvinism</u>	vs.	<u>Arminianism</u>
Election		Free Will

The History

Protestant Reformation (authority of Scripture alone) - Martin Luther – 1517

Predestination (God alone) – John Calvin - ~1530

Foreknowledge (human choice) – Jacob Arminius - ~1590

Rapid spread and great division – continues to be an issue

The Harmony

Antinomy = A contradiction in Scripture with each being equally true

Examples: Pharaoh's heart & Jesus the God-man