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## Ephesians 3 with Metaphysical Footnotes (ASV)

### Paul's Ministry to the Gentiles

<sup>3:1</sup>For this cause I Paul, the prisoner of Christ Jesus in behalf of you Gentiles,—<sup>3:2</sup>if so be that ye have heard of the dispensation of that grace of God which was given me to you-ward; <sup>3:3</sup>how that by revelation was made known unto me the mystery, as I wrote before in few words, <sup>3:4</sup>whereby, when ye read, ye can perceive my understanding in the mystery of Christ; <sup>3:5</sup>which in other generation was not made known unto the sons of men, as it hath now been revealed unto his holy apostles and prophets in the Spirit; <sup>3:6</sup>to wit, that the Gentiles are fellow-heirs, and fellow-members of the body, and fellow-partakers of the promise in Christ Jesus through the gospel,

<sup>3:7</sup>whereof I was made a minister, according to the gift of that grace of God which was given me according to the working of his power. <sup>3:8</sup>Unto me, who am less than the

least of all saints, was this grace given, to preach unto the Gentiles the unsearchable riches of Christ; <sup>3:9</sup>and to make all men see what is the dispensation of the mystery which for ages hath been hid in God who created all things; <sup>3:10</sup>to the intent that now unto the principalities and the powers in the heavenly places might be made known through the church the manifold wisdom of God, <sup>3:11</sup>according to the eternal purpose which he purposed in Christ Jesus our Lord: <sup>3:12</sup>in whom we have boldness and access in confidence through our faith in him. <sup>3:13</sup>Wherefore I ask that ye may not faint at my tribulations for you, which are your glory.

### Prayer for the Readers

<sup>3:14</sup>For this cause I bow my knees unto the Father, <sup>3:15</sup>from whom every family in heaven and on earth is named, <sup>3:16</sup>that he would grant you, according to the riches of his glory, that ye may be strengthened with power through his Spirit in the inward man; <sup>3:17</sup>that Christ may dwell in your hearts through faith; to the end that ye, being rooted and grounded in love, <sup>3:18</sup>may be strong to apprehend with all the saints what is the breadth and length and height and depth, <sup>3:19</sup>and to know the love of Christ which passeth

knowledge, that ye may be filled unto all the fulness of God.

<sup>3:20</sup>Now unto him that is able to do exceeding abundantly above all that we ask or think, according to the power that worketh in us, <sup>3:21</sup>unto him be the glory in the church and in Christ Jesus unto all generations for ever and ever. Amen.

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