**“Spirit” in Ephesians – Colossians**

**A. Every Spiritual Blessing**

**Eph.1:3** “Blessed be the God and Father of our Lord Jesus Christ, Who having blessed us by **every spiritual blessing** in the heavenlies in Christ…”

 **B. God is Spirit**

 **1:13-14** “you were **sealed** by the Holy Spirit of the promise,Who is the earnest of our inheritance until redemption of the acquired possession”

 **C. Spiritual Revelation**

 **1:17-18** “that…the Father of glory may give you a spirit of wisdom and **revelation** in recognition of Him, enlightening the eyes of your heart”

 **X. 2:2** “in which you once walked, according to the age of this world, according to the ruler of the authority of the air – of the spirit now operating in the sons of the rebellion”

 **D. Unity of the spirit: man & God**

 **2:18** “ through Him (i.e., Christ) the both of us have the access by one Spirit toward the Father”

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 **2:22** “by Whom (i.e., Christ) also you are being built together for a dwelling of God by spirit”

 **C. Spiritual Revelation**

 **3:5** “which (mystery) among other generations was not made known to the sons of men as now it **was revealed** to His holy apostles and prophets by spirit”

 **E. Inner Man**

 **3:16** “that He may give you according to the riches of His glory, power to be grasped by means of His spirit for **the man inside**”

 **F. Unity of the spirit: a commandment**

 **4:3** “being diligent to **keep** the unity of the Spirit in the binding together of the peace."

 **F. Unity of the spirit: a definition**

 **4:4** "One body and one spirit, even as also you were called in one hope of your calling, one Lord, one faith, one baptism, one God and Father of all, Who is over all, and through all, and among you all.”

 **E. New Man**

 **4:23-24** “and to be renewed by the spirit of your mind, and to put on **the new man**…”

 **B. God is Spirit**

 **4:30** “Grieve not the Holy Spirit of God, by Whom you were **sealed** for a day of redemption.”

**A. Spiritual Filling**

**5:18** “And don’t get drunk with wine, in which is excess, but **be filled** by spirit, ...

 **G. Spiritual Songs**

 **19** speaking to yourselves by psalms, hymns and spiritual songs, singing and psalming in your heart to the Lord…”

 **X. 6:12** “Because for us the wrestling is not against blood and flesh, but against the sovereignties, against the authorities, against the world-rulers of the darkness of this age, against the spiritual things of the wickedness in the heavenlies.”

 **H. Spiritual Armor**

 **6:17** “And receive the helmet of the salvation, and the sword of the Spirit, which is God’s word.”

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 **6:18** “By means of every prayer and supplication praying at every opportunity in spirit…”

 **F. Practicing Unity of the Spirit: Colossians' love for Paul**

 **Col.1:8** “who (Epaphras) also having informed us your love by spirit…”

**A. Spiritual Filling**

**1:9** “On account of this, we also, from the day we heard, cease not praying for you and asking that you **may be filled** with the recognition of His will in **every wisdom and spiritual understanding**…”

 **F. Practicing Unity of the Spirit: Paul's love for Colossians**

 **2:5** “For if even I am absent in the flesh, yet I am with you in the spirit (dat.), rejoicing and seeing your order and the firmness of your faith toward Christ.”

 **G. Spiritual Songs**

 **3:16** “Let the word of the Christ dwell in you richly in every wisdom, teaching and admonishing yourselves with psalms and hymns and spiritual songs (dat.), with grace singing in your heart to the Lord.”