

**Message Outlines
for the Conference in Reston, Virginia
November 28—December 1, 1991**

GENERAL SUBJECT: THE BODY OF CHRIST

Message One

**The Issue of God's Impartation and Transmission
In His Divine Trinity into His Chosen People,
As the Church, the Fullness of the One Who Fills All in All**

Scripture Reading: Eph. 1:3-6, 7-12, 13-14, 18-23

- I. The issue of God the Father's impartation:**
- A. Of His holy nature into His chosen people that they may be separated from the world and sanctified wholly unto Him—v. 4.
 - B. Of His divine life into His predestinated people that they may become His many sons for His expression—v. 5.
 - C. To the praise of the glory (expression) of His grace—v. 6.
- II. The issue of God the Son's impartation of the divine element into God the Father's chosen and predestinated people:**
- A. In the redemption through His blood—v. 7.
 - B. To bring them into Christ as their sphere and element, that they may be made God's inheritance, with the divine element in Christ, as a treasure to God—vv. 8-11.
 - C. To the praise of God the Father's glory (expression) in the believers who have first hoped in Christ—v. 12.
- III. The issue of God the Spirit's impartation of the divine essence into God the Father's inheritance redeemed by God the Son:**
- A. By sealing it (God's inheritance) that it may be saturated with the divine essence as the impress to be a mark and the image of God to be His expression—v. 13.
 - B. By being a pledge of God as His redeemed people's inheritance for their foretaste of Him, guaranteeing their full taste of Him, unto the redemption of His acquired possession (redeemed inheritance)—v. 14a.
 - C. To the praise of God's glory (expression)—v. 14b.
- IV. The issue of the transmission of God in His Divine Trinity into His chosen and redeemed people:**
- A. As the great power toward the believers, which God caused to operate in Christ:
 - 1. In raising Him from the dead.
 - 2. In seating Him at the Father's right hand in the heavenlies, far above all.
 - 3. In subjecting all things under His feet.
 - 4. In giving Him to be the Head over all things.
 - B. As the transmission to the church, which is the Body of Christ, the One who fills all in all—vv. 19-23.