

IN CASE OF A POWER OUTAGE #6 – March 17, 2019

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I. Eph 1:15-23

A. Exceeding greatness of His power toward us who believe - 3 parts:

1. Source of the Power - “HIS”

a) Power - *dunamis* - To be “able” to exert force in performing some function, Miraculous power, ability, possibility

2. Limits of His Power - “Exceeding Greatness” - No Limits, no boundaries

3. Direction of His Power - Toward us who believe

II. Eph 1:19-21

A. Toward us - A point reached or entered; extending toward, in the direction of

B. Believe - *pisteuo* active, present tense verb - To believe in, have confidence, faith or trust in; rely on; to be dependent on, to have confidence based on experience

C. Rom 1:16-17 16 “it” is the power of God “to salvation” for everyone who believes,”

1. Power - *dunamis*

2. “To” Salvation - *soteria* - Deliverance, rescued, restored, bring safely through, health, wholeness

a) Mark 16:17-18 17 And these signs will follow those who believe:

D. Eph 2:8-9 8 For by grace you have been saved through faith, and that not of yourselves; it is the gift of God, 9 not of works, lest anyone should boast.

1. By Grace - *charis* - Gracious goodwill given freely without merit

2. Saved - *sozo* - Delivered, saved, rescued, healed, made whole;

a) *PERFECT TENSE* - used by the writer to describe a completed verbal action that occurred in the past but which produced a state of being or a result that exists in the present (in relation to the writer). The emphasis of the perfect is not the past action so much as it is as such but the present “state of affairs” resulting from the past action

3. Through - *dia* - Channel of an act; by means of

4. Faith - *pistis* noun - Belief, trust, confidence, persuaded

III. Provision is already available “by grace” waiting on someone to receive “through faith”.

A. Luke 5:17 And the power of the Lord was present to heal them.

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