

BIBLE BOWL
EPHESIANS 2

1. What does Paul say we were dead in? (verse 1) trespasses and sin
2. "...in which you once walked according to the course of this world, according to the prince of the power of the air, the spirit who now works in the sons of disobedience...." (verse 2)
3. How does the writer say we once conducted ourselves? (verse 3) in the lusts of our flesh
4. What did we fulfill? (verse 3) the desires of the flesh and of the mind
5. We were by nature children of wrath. (verse 3)
6. Who is rich in mercy and why? (verse 4) God; because of His great love
7. How have we been saved? (verse 5) by grace
8. "...and raised us up together, and made us sit together in the heavenly places in Christ Jesus...." (verse 6)
9. "...that in the ages to come He might show the exceeding riches of His grace in His kindness toward us in Christ Jesus." (verse 7)
10. "For by grace you have been saved through faith, and that not of yourselves; it is the God of God, not of works, lest anyone should boast." (verses 8-9)
11. What does verse 10 say we are? His workmanship
12. How does verse 10 say we were created? In Christ Jesus for good works
13. Who is Paul writing to in this epistle, Jews or Gentiles? (verse 11) Gentiles
14. What were the people Paul was writing to called by the Circumcision? (verse 11)
Uncircumcision
15. "that at that time you were without Christ...." (verse 12)

16. "being aliens from the commonwealth of Israel and strangers from the covenants of promise, having no hope and without God in the world." (verse 12)
17. How have those who were once far off been brought near? (verse 13) **by the blood of Christ**
18. Who is our peace? (verse 14) **He Himself (Christ)**
19. Who made us both (Jews and Gentiles) one? (verse 14) **He Himself (Christ)**
20. What does Paul say has been broken down? (verse 14) **middle wall of separation**
21. "...having abolished in His flesh the enmity, that is, the law of commandments contained in ordinances, so as to create in Himself one new man from the two, thus making peace, and that He might reconcile them both to God in one body through the cross, thereby putting to death the enmity." (verses 15-16)
22. What does Paul say Christ preached to those who were afar off and to those who were near? (verse 17) **peace**
23. What do we both (Jews and Gentiles) have through Him? (verse 18) **access by one Spirit to the Father**
24. "Now, therefore, you are no longer strangers and foreigners, but fellow citizens, with the saints and members of the household of God, having been built on the foundation of the apostles and prophets, Jesus Christ Himself being the chief cornerstone." (verses 19-20)
25. What does the "whole building" grown into? (verse 21) **a holy temple in the Lord**
26. What were they being built together for? (verse 22) **a dwelling place of God in the Spirit**