

Ephesians 2:1-10

Saved for what?!

Past: Prior status (1-3) ¹ And you were (dead) in your trespasses and sins, ² in which

Manner of life you formerly (walked) according to the (course of this world) External system

External ruler according to the (prince) of the power of the (air) of the spirit realm
that is now working in the (sons of disobedience) ³ Among

Paul, Church, us them (we too all) formerly lived in the lusts of our (flesh), internal bondage
indulging the desires of the flesh and of the (mind) and were

Born this way

Present: Current Status (4-10) (by nature) children of (wrath, even as the rest.) ⁴ (But God,) "One big but" - T. Nelson
All humanity under God's Judgment

Notice attributes being (rich in mercy) because of His (great love) with which He

Object/recipients loved (us) ^{time} ⁵ (even when we were (dead in our transgressions), w. 1-3

* 1

(made us alive) together with Christ (by grace you have been

* 2

saved), ⁶ and (raised us up) with Him, and (seated us) with Him

* 3

- Christ's Physical
- Our spiritual reality
- One day both true for believer.

Future: Consummation Status (7)

location above 1, 20-23 sphere of existence
in the heavenly places in Christ Jesus, ⁷ so that in the ages to with a view ahead

come He might (show) the surpassing riches of His grace in

Displaying Attributes through us kindness toward us in Christ Jesus. ⁸ For by grace you have Elaborate on v.5

been saved through faith; and (that) not of yourselves, it is the

gift of God; ⁹ not as a result of works, so that no one may

Designed by God
Made new in Christ

boast. ¹⁰ For we are His (workmanship, created) in Christ Jesus

ETI/epi-Purpose (for) good works, which God (prepared beforehand) so that we

Not saved by
but for "works"

would (walk in them.) contra v.2

Can't even boast about these!

Displays God: kindness, mercy, love, grace i.e. His Person & Works