

Made Alive
Eph 2:1-10

Condition of Humanity

1. Dead in trespasses and sins. (Gen 2:17)
2. In which we once walked or lived.
 - a. According to the course of this world.
 - b. According to the prince of the power of the air.
 - c. The spirit who now works in the sons of disobedience.
 - d. We all conducted ourselves in the lust of the flesh.
 - i. Fulfilling the desires of the flesh. (Gal 5:16)
 - ii. And of the mind. Any activity from us out of our natural mind. (Rom 12:1-2)
 - iii. By nature of our fallen state were children of wrath just as the others.

But God:

1. Who is rich in mercy because of His great love with which He loved us.
2. Even when we were dead in trespasses.
 - a. Made us alive together with Christ.
 - b. Raised us up together.
 - c. Made us sit together.
 - d. In the heavenly places in Christ Jesus.

An eternal testimony of His grace.

1. For by grace, you have been saved through faith.
 - a. Not of yourselves.
 - b. It is a gift from God.
 - i. Not of works lest anyone should boast.

We are His workmanship.

1. We were created in Christ Jesus. (John 17)
 - a. For good works.
 - b. Which God prepared beforehand that we should walk in them.

Being born again, Christ in us and we in Christ.