

Stairway to Glory (Part 4)

Ephesians 3:19b-21

INTRODUCTION:

Paul's ascending stairway of prayer for the church ends at the glory of God in the church.

We must pray for:

- I. The strength of God's Spirit in the inner man, 3:16.**
- II. The ease of Christ's residence in the heart, 3:17a.**
- III. The comprehension of love's dimensions with the church, 3:17b-18.**
- IV. The personal knowledge of Christ's love for us, 3:19a.**
- V. The fullness of God's presence within us, 3:19b.**

1. *What is the basic meaning of "being filled up to all the fullness of God?"*

2. *What has Paul already prayed that specifically helps us?*

3. *Why didn't Paul put step 5 immediately after step 2?*

VI. The attainment of God's glory in the church and Christ, 3:20-21.

1. *Where is God to possess glory, 3:21?*

2. *How enduring is God's glory, 3:21?*

3. *How is God (who deserves glory) described, 3:20?*