

The Mystery Revealed – Ephesians 3:1-13 – Part 2



1) The Mystery Revealed

Words: apostles, clear, gospel, given, heirs, hidden, known, lives, manager, members, partakers, revealed, Spirit, think, understand

Paul's credentials (vs2-3)

Paul says, "if you have heard," and the wording assumes it to be _____.

Paul's stewardship was _____ to him by God.

The word "stewardship" refers to a household _____.

We are stewards who are to manage our _____ and possessions in service to the owner of them all.

The Plan (vs 4-6)

Insight means to _____ carefully as to what it means. Paul wanted them to _____.

This mystery was _____ to past generations. It was there but not _____.

It has now been _____ to the _____ and prophets by the _____.

The mystery is that Gentiles are fellow _____, fellow _____ of the body, and fellow _____ of the promise in Christ Jesus through the _____.

2) The Mystery Proclaimed

Words: assurance, changed, doctrine, food, glory, horizontally, humbled, Jesus Christ, Jews, knowledge, least, love, mystery, not, patience, power, preaching, riches, servant, stewardship, tables, together, understand, word

Paul's ministry given to him (vs 7)

He was _____ self-appointed.

The word "minister" means _____. It was used of one who served _____.

God has ordained _____ as the means for people to be saved.

Paul saw himself as one called to serve up spiritual _____. Christ is the _____ behind the servant.

Paul's 2 goals in preaching (vs 8-9)

Paul describes himself as the very _____ of all saints.

Looking back on his former life _____ him because grace had completely _____ him.

1) Unfathomable _____ of Christ.

Impossible to fully _____. To know these riches is to understand _____.

Rom 2:4 - His kindness, forbearance, and _____.

Rom 11:33 - His wisdom and _____. Eph 2:4 - His mercy and _____.

Eph 3:16 - His _____. Col 2:2 - His _____. Col 3:16 - His _____.

2) Administration of the _____.

Administration means the same as _____. Vs 2 it is vertically, vs 9 it is _____.

Paul was to help the _____ and Gentile live and serve _____.

His letters first teach _____ and then the practical (applying the truth).