

## **God's View of the Church**

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**Ephesians 5:25-27**, *“Christ also loved the church and gave Himself up for her, so that He might sanctify her, having cleansed her by the washing of water with the word, that He might present to Himself the church in all her glory, having no spot or wrinkle or any such thing; but that she would be holy and blameless.”*

**Colossians 2:9-10**, *“IN Christ all the fullness of Deity dwells in bodily form, and IN Christ you have been made complete.”*

**Luke 13:34**, *“O Jerusalem, Jerusalem, the city that kills the prophets and stones those sent to her! How often I wanted to gather your children together, just as a hen gathers her brood under her wings, and you would not have it!”*

**Psalms 103:2-12**, *“Bless the Lord, O my soul, and forget none of His benefits; who pardons all of your sin...who redeems your life from the pit, who crowns you with lovingkindness and compassion, who satisfies your years with good things, so that your youth is renewed like the eagle... The Lord has not dealt with us according to our sins... As far as the east is from the west, so far has He removed our sins from us.”*

**Romans 5:9**, *“Having been justified by Christ's blood, we shall be saved from the wrath of God through Christ Jesus.”*

**Ephesians 1:7**, *“IN Him we have redemption through Christ's blood, the forgiveness of our trespasses, according to the riches of His grace.”*

**Ephesians 2:13**, *“Now IN Christ Jesus you who formerly were far off have been brought near by the blood of Christ.”*

**Hebrews 8:12**, *“For I will be merciful to their sins, and I will remember their sins no more.”*

**2 Corinthians 5:17**, *“If anyone is IN Christ, he is a new creature; the old things passed away; behold, new things have come.”*

**Galatians 3:27**, *“You who were baptized INTO Christ have clothed yourselves with Christ.”*