

But be doers of the Word, and not hearers only, deceiving yourselves - James 1:22

From Rags to Riches

Ephesians 2:1-10

Study

What is the main point of the passage? Write a 2 or 3 sentence summary of the passage.

In verse 1, what does it mean to be dead in trespasses and sins?

What does Paul mean by the idea of “course of this world?”

Who is the prince of the power of the air? Why do you say that?

What is the spirit in verse 2?

What are the passions of the flesh in verse 3?

What is total depravity?

How does one carry out the desires of the body and mind?



Think About It

How do you reconcile what Paul says in verses 1-3 with the idea that people generally do good things? How are we to understand the idea of “good” works in the sense that even fallen people do nice things?

When were you saved? Is it difficult for you to see verses 1-3 as true of you? Why or why not? Why would it be important to review these verses and think through them personally on an occasion?
