Ephesians 4

- 1) In what sense was Paul a "prisoner?"
- 2) What should characterize the Christian's walk? (verses 2-3 for help)
- 3) Verses 4-6 contain what some call "the platform of unity:" What seven items are listed by Paul?
- 4) Christ gave "gifts" to men upon His ascension (v. 8). What gifts did He give according to verse 11?
 - a) What was the purpose of these gifts? (vs. 12-13)
- 5) Verses 12-16 are important in defining the work of the church: What works are here assigned to the church?
 - (Note: See Acts 6:1&4 for an explanation of what all is involved in the work of the "ministry.")
- 6) How do we know that the "body" of Ephesians 4:12-16 is the *local* church and not the universal church?
- 7) What things generally characterized the gentiles in the past according to verses 17-19?
- 8) According to verses 20 and 21, what is required in order for one to put off the old self and put on the new self?

Questions On Ephesians

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- 9) Is all anger sinful? Explain (from verse 26, and see Mark 3:5 and Mark 10:14 for help about this from the example of Christ):
- 10) What does verse 28 tell people *not* to do in order to obtain possessions and what *to do* instead?
- 11) What is "corrupt speech?" (v. 29) (see also 5:4 for help)
- 12) How does one "grieve" the Holy Spirit? (v. 30) (see Acts 7:51-53 for a commentary on this)
- 13) What qualities are to be put away (v. 31)
- 14) What qualities are to be developed? (v. 32)