

Glory in the church

The background of the slide features a dark, moody aesthetic. The upper portion is a solid dark navy blue. The lower portion is filled with a series of overlapping, wavy, translucent layers in various shades of dark blue and black, creating a sense of depth and movement, similar to a stylized ocean or a layered landscape.

ABUNDANCE	ACCEPTED	ACCESS	ADOPTED	BLAMELESS	BLESSED
BODY	BOLDNESS	CHOSEN	CITIZEN	CONFIDENCE	DELIVERANCE
ENLIGHTENMENT	ETERNAL	FAITH	FAVOR	FILLED	FORGIVENESS
FREEDOM	GLORY	GRACE	HERITAGE	HOLY	HOPE
INHERITANCE	INTIMACY	KNOWLEDGE	LOVE	MERCY	NEW LIFE
OBEDIENCE	PEACE	POWER	PRAISE	PREDESTINED	PURPOSE
RAISED	RECONCILED	REDEEMED	REST	REVELATION	RICHES
SALVATION	SANCTIFIED	SEALED	SEATED	STRENGTH	SUCCESS
TEMPLE	UNDERSTANDING	UNITED	UNITY	WISDOM	WORKMANSHIP

...to him be glory in the church and in
Christ Jesus throughout all generations, for
ever and ever! Amen.

Ephesians 3:21

A watercolor-style illustration of a heart. The heart is rendered in various shades of red, pink, and orange, with a soft, painterly texture. It is surrounded by splatters and washes of color, including some light blue and white areas, giving it a dreamy, artistic feel. The background is a light, off-white color.

Love
(agape)

1. God's Love

Ephesians 3:16-19

I pray that out of his glorious riches he may strengthen you with power through his Spirit in your inner being, so that Christ may dwell in your hearts through faith. And I pray that you, being **rooted and established in love**, may have power, together with all the Lord's holy people, to **grasp how wide and long and high and deep is the love of Christ, and to know this love that surpasses knowledge**—that you may be filled to the measure of all the fullness of God.

2. The Church's love

Ephesians 4:2

Be completely humble and gentle; be patient, bearing with one another in love.

Ephesians 4:15

Instead, speaking the truth in love, we will grow to become in every respect the mature body of him who is the head, that is, Christ.

Ephesians 4:16

From him the whole body, joined and held together by every supporting ligament, grows and builds itself up in love, as each part does its work.

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EPHESUS

THE **Seven**
Churches
OF REVELATION



Revelation 2:2-3

I know your deeds, your hard work and your perseverance. I know that you cannot tolerate wicked people, that you have tested those who claim to be apostles but are not, and have found them false. You have persevered and have endured hardships for my name, and have not grown weary.

Revelation 2:4-5

Yet I hold this against you: **You have forsaken the love you had at first.**

Consider how far you have fallen!

Repent and do the things you did at first.