

“KNIVES OUT: Our True Inheritance”

Ephesians 1:3-14

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Introduction: “Meet The Thrombeys!”

“What is a BLESSING?”

Blessed be the God and Father of our Lord Jesus Christ, who has blessed us in Christ with every spiritual blessing in the heavenly places.

-Ephesians 1:3, ESV-

What Did Your Family TEACH You?

1. Family Lessons on _____ (Eph. 1:5-8).

“Our family of origin shapes us... Our Christians family re-shapes us.”

2. Family Lessons on _____ (Eph. 1:9-10).

What kind of parent did you have? What kind of parent are you?

1. Irresponsible
2. Ignorant
3. Inconsistent
4. Involved
5. INTENTIONAL

3. Family Lessons on _____ (Eph. 1:11-14).

Characteristics of those who KNOW GOD (J.I. Packer):

1. Those who know God have **GREAT ENERGY** for God.
2. Those who know God have **GREAT THOUGHTS** about God.
3. Those who know God show **GREAT BOLDNESS** for God.
4. Those who know God have **GREAT CONTENTMENT** in God.

Conclusion: “Our RANSOM”

*For even the Son of Man came not to be served but to serve others and to give his life as a ransom for many. **Mark 10:45, NLT***