

November 5

TODAY'S BIBLE STUDY & MEDITATION

KEY IDEAS: Do I understand that God generous, kind, and desires to show mercy to all? Do I see myself as God sees me, as His chosen and adopted child? What refinements need to be made to my life to properly demonstrate that I am God's child? Like my Father, do I want to show mercy to all?

1 **God is to be remembered by a people (Gentiles) who were not the obvious aim of His promises** — *Psalm 22:27 All the ends of the world shall remember and turn unto the LORD: and all the kindreds of the nations shall worship before thee.*

How does my life reflect God's desire to be generous to all people?

What examples of God's generosity can I praise Him for?

2 **I am God's adopted child as He determined beforehand** — *Ephesians 1:5 Having predestinated us unto the adoption of children by Jesus Christ to himself, according to the good pleasure of his will...*

How will I live if I know that God chose me and brought me into His family?

Why does the devil want me to think of adoption as something that is negative?

3 **I am called to learn obedience just like a child obeys his parents** — *Colossians 3:20 Children, obey your parents in all things: for this is well pleasing unto the Lord. (Compare: Hebrews 13:17.)*

What inconsistencies need to be purged from my life since I'm God's child?

In what ways does my life demonstrate that I am a child of God?

Holy Spirit, how do you want to apply these verses in my life today?

OPTIONAL BIBLE READINGS

Morning: Hebrews 2

Evening: Jeremiah 34, 35, 36