

**Ephesians 1:17~** That the God of our Lord Jesus Christ, the Father of glory, may give you a spirit of wisdom and of revelation<sup>1</sup> in the accurate knowledge of him.

**Footnote:** Literally, uncovering; disclosure Greek, *a-po-ka-ly'pse-os*

- 1• Paul asks in prayer for God to give the Ephesians a spirit of wisdom, and to reveal his will for them through accurate knowledge, for the spirit can make us know all things, that God wants us to know.

**[Question]** What kind of a spirit did Paul ask God to fill them with?

**[Question]** What things, can the spirit make us know accurately?

- 2• For Yehowah himself **gives wisdom**, out of his mouth there are **knowledge** and discernment. (**Proverbs 2:6**)

**[Question]** What comes forth from the mouth of Yehowah God, through his spirit?

- 3• That is also why we, from the day we heard of it, have not ceased praying for you and asking, that you may be filled with the **accurate knowledge** of his will, in all **wisdom** and spiritual comprehension. (**Colossians 1:9**)

**[Question]** What did Paul not cease praying for them to be filled with?

- 4• Whose will is, that all sorts of men should be saved, and come to an **accurate knowledge of truth**. (**1 Timothy 2:4**)

**[Question]** What is God's will for all sorts of men, and what does he want them to know accurately?

- 5• And you yourself are to speak to all the ones wise with a heart that I have filled with the **spirit of wisdom**, and they must make Aaron's garments for sanctifying him, that he may act as priest to me. (**Exodus 28:3**)

**[Question]** What did Yehowah God promise to fill Aaron's heart with, for him to fulfill his work in the priesthood?

- 6• And upon him the **spirit** of Yehowah must settle down, the **spirit of wisdom** and **of understanding**, the **spirit** of counsel and of mightiness, the **spirit of knowledge**, and of the fear of Yehowah. (**Isaiah 11:2**)

**[Question]** What spirit settles down upon Yehowah's Messiah?

- 7· And he is changing times and seasons, removing kings and setting up kings, giving **wisdom** to the wise ones and **knowledge** to those knowing discernment. (**Daniel 2:21**)

**[Question]** What things does Yehowah God do, and what does he impart to men who love him?

- 8· **Jesus** said to her; Stop clinging to me. For I have not yet ascended to the **Father**. But be on your way to my brothers and say to them, I am ascending to my **Father** and your **Father**, and to my God and your God. (**John 20:17**)

**[Question]** What did Jesus say shortly after his resurrection, for where was he then heading?

- 9· For I bear them witness that they have a zeal for God, but not according to **accurate knowledge**. (**Romans 10:2**)

**[Question]** What favorable thing did Paul say about his Jewish relatives in the flesh, but what were they lacking?

- 10· That your faith might be, not in men's **wisdom**, but in God's power. (**1 Corinthians 2:5**)

**[Question]** What should our faith be in?

- 11· For example, to one there is given through the **spirit**, speech of **wisdom**, to another speech of **knowledge**, according to the same **spirit**. (**1 Corinthians 12:8**)

**[Question]** What things does the spirit impart to different ones, just as it wills?

- 12· In order to walk worthily of Yehowah, to the end of fully pleasing him, as you go on bearing fruit in every good work, and increasing in the **accurate knowledge** of God. (**Colossians 1:10**)

**[Question]** To what end are all anointed Christians called to God's service?

**[Question]** What will cause us to keep on bearing good fruits?