

It's ALL About HIM!

KJV Ephesians 3:20 Now unto him that is able to do exceeding abundantly above all that we ask or think, according to the power that worketh in us,
21 Unto him be glory in the church by Christ Jesus throughout all ages, world without end. Amen.

Today more than ever people are praised for their abilities and accomplishments!

And we should! Steve Jobs, Jeff Bezos and LeBron James to name a few.

These people have accomplished great things and receive praise from every media outlet!

Praise is simply **celebration**, where the word **celebrity** comes from—celebrities are people celebrated for the things they have accomplished.

There's nothing wrong with celebrating a person's accomplishments; In fact, we should probably do it more in The Kingdom!

The apostle Paul becomes inspired to pray for the church after recounting the salvation God delivered to the Gentiles by faith in Jesus Christ!

Paul prays 5 things for the church to become:

1. Strengthened with might in our spirits (vs 16)
2. That Christ (and His anointing) would live in our hearts by faith!
3. That we be (established & unmoved) rooted and grounded in love!
4. That we would **truly understand** the **dimensions of Christ's love**, how wide, how long, how high and how deep!
5. That we might be filled with **all the fulness of God** (vs 19)!
 - Paul's prayer was magnificent meaning "great, powerful and extravagant."

But this is not the **end** of Paul's prayer!

Before he ends his prayer, Paul goes on to bless The One makes all things possible, The One whose able!

ESV Ephesians 3:20 **Now to him** who is able to do far more abundantly than all that we ask or think, according to the power at work within us,
21 **to him** be glory in the church and in Christ Jesus throughout all generations, forever and ever. Amen.

Paul can't end his prayer without giving glory to The One he's praying to!

➤ The first **5 requests** were about **us!**

That we gain more strength, more anointing, more love and more understanding of God's love for us!

And lastly, that we would be filled with all of who and what God is!

➤ It was **all about us**, but now it's **ALL ABOUT HIM!**

Bless God saints cause it's really **ALL ABOUT HIM!**

The focus of our attention must be upon HIM!

Because He alone is able to do....these 5 things and more!

Job understood it while he was going through the worst trial a man could face.

KJV Job 1:21 And said, Naked came I out of my mother's womb, and naked shall I return thither: the LORD gave, and the LORD hath taken away; blessed be the name of the LORD.

Every person under the sound of my voice came into this world with absolutely nothing!

We all started out with zero and most every person under the sound of my voice has plenty more than they started with!

Look how far you've come! Look how far God has brought you!

Think about it, if God was **able** to bring you this far...the saints out to Bless God!

Since God was **able** to take you from where you were, to where you are now?

➤ **Since God was able then, He is certainly able NOW!**

It's time to take your mind off what you've been praying for and place your mind on who you're praying to!

NOW UNTO HIM! It's ALL about HIM...who is ABLE!

I trying to pick somebody up from the lowest point in their life!

God is able to do **exceeding abundantly above** (far more above and beyond)!

God can do more than we ask or imagine!

But it's based on the **power (strength) of our **faith** and the **creativity** of our **imagination**! Can we **Expect The Unexpected!****

