

## **SECTION 14 (Solo): A REAL MAN (Ephesians 6 v 21-24)**

### **THE BIG IDEA:**

The Christian life is all about grace, the grace that anyone who loves Jesus as their Lord and King enjoys.

### **GUIDANCE FOR QUESTIONS:**

1. Tychicus. A dear brother, faithful servant in (ie: "of") the Lord.
2. To tell them how Paul is doing, and to encourage them to keep going.
3. Because Paul faced the same challenges as we do, lived in the same world as we do, experienced the same highs and lows of life as we do. He's not telling us to live in any way that he wasn't trying to live himself. He knows what real life is like (as, of course, does Jesus, God's Son). So what he says isn't unrealistic or far-fetched—it's a real Christian man telling real Christian men how to follow the real Jesus in the real world.
4. Grace.
5. Undeserved kindness.
6.  
2 v 5: made us alive (eternally).  
1 v 13-14: given us the Holy Spirit now, and guaranteed us perfect life eternally (our "inheritance").  
4 v 7, 11-12: given us gifts and abilities to use to serve other Christians in our church.  
6 v 11: all we need to stand firm in our battle with the devil.