

**“CHRIST THE HEAD OVER ALL THINGS”**  
**EPHESIANS 1:19-23**

**I. THE APOSTLE USES FOUR CHRISTOLOGICAL ILLUSTRATIONS TO HIGHLIGHT THE POWER THAT IS AVAILABLE TO BELIEVERS**

**A. From The Past: Christ’s Resurrection & Ascension (1:20a)**

**B. From The Present: Christ’s Session (1:20b)**

**1. Paul Alludes To Psalm 110 To Make The Point**

**2. Jesus Christ Is Currently Occupying His Rightful Place At The Right Hand Of The Father In Glory**

**a. From That Position He Intercedes For His Own**

**b. From That Position He Can Be Approached By His Own**

**C. From The Present & Future: Christ’s Exaltation (1:21-23)**

**1. Based On His Current Elevation Which Will Continue Into Eternity: *Far Above All...* (1:21)**

**2. All Things Are *Under His Feet* Even Though The World Has Yet To Realize Or Acknowledge It (1:22)**

**3. Christ Is And Will Remain The Organic Head Of The Church Which Is His *Body* (1:23)**

**II. THE APOSTLE USES A NEARLY INCOMPREHENSIBLE EXPRESSION TO DEFINE THE CHURCH**

**A. The Church As Christ’s Body Is The Glad Recipient Of *The Fullness Of Him That Filleth All In All***

**B. It’s Our Responsibility To Stay Filled**