

MATURING IN CHRIST

EPHESIANS 4:11-16

EPHESIANS 4:1-16

VERSES 1-6 PLAN FOR UNITY

VERSES 11-16 RESULTS OF UNITY

CLOSE LOOK AT VERSES 11-16

VERSE 11 - THE RESOURCES

MATTHEW 25:14-30

**INDIVIDUALS WITH TALENTS AND
RESPONSIBILITIES**

ALL PARTS IMPORTANT

THUMBS, BIG TOES JUDGES 1:1-7

VERSE 12 – PURPOSE

**NASV - for the equipping of the saints for the
work of service**

PREPARE BODY FUNCTION AS INTENDED

THREE AREAS OF WORK IN CHURCH

EVERY MEMBER HAS PART TO PLAY

VERSE 13 – THE GOAL

UNITY OF THE FAITH

KNOWLEDGE-ACQUAINTANCE WITH CHRIST

UNTO A PERFECT MAN-MATURITY

MEASURE-BECOME MORE CHRIST LIKE

VERSE 14 – COMMITMENT

WISHY-WASHY NO FIRM CONVICTIONS

CHANGE THEIR MIND EVERY DAY

I PETER 3:15

**But sanctify the Lord God in your hearts:
and be ready always to give an answer to
every man that asketh you a reason of the
hope that is in you with meekness and fear:**

VERSE 15 – THE AMMUNITION

JOHN 8:32

2 TIMOTHY 3:16,17

IN LOVE

GROW

ALL THINGS

VERSE 16 – THE WORK

**COOPERATION
JOINED TOGETHER AND COMPACTED**

**INDIVIDUALITY
MEASURE OF EVERY PART**

WORK TOGETHER AND INDIVIDUALLY

SEE THAT EVERY MEMBER IS IMPORTANT

**THE RESOURCES OF VERSE 14, THE
PURPOSE OF VERSE 12, THE GOAL OF
VERSE 13, THE COMMITMENT OF VERSE
14, THE AMMO OF VERSE 15, WE CAN DO
THE WORK OF VERSE 16**

**MATURE CHRISTIANS BRINGING UP
MATURE CHRISTIANS**
