

# Speaking the Truth In Love

**Text:** Ephesians 4:11-16

## **Introduction:**

In the book of Ephesians we find so many so many rich things about the church. Perhaps central to the message is the necessity of truth as revealed in our text.

## **Discussion:**

### **I. Truth Can Be Known**

### **II. Truth Can Be Spoken**

### **III. The Value Of Truth To Protect Against Error (14-15)**

### **IV. The Value Of Truth In Christian Growth (15)**

### **V. The Value Of Truth In Church Growth (16)**

## **Conclusion:**

1. The phrase "speaking the truth" (also used in Galatians 4:16) includes more than just the setting forth of Words – it includes "to be true, to arrive at truth and to speak truth" (*Vine's Expository Dictionary*).
2. Knowing the value of truth, what is my relationship to it?