

Sermon Discussion (3/8/2026)

It Could Be You #3

Paul is writing to the Corinthian Church. He is almost finished with his letter when he drills down to clarify what it means to be in Jesus Christ.

Title: In Christ

The Main Question: What does it mean to be “in Christ”?

Points to Consider

1. It means we are alive to God.
2. It means eternal life.
3. It means no condemnation.
4. It means that nothing can separate us from the love of God.

Scripture References:

1 Corinthians 15:18–22 NIV

¹⁸ Then those also who have fallen asleep in Christ are lost. ¹⁹ If only for this life we have hope in Christ, we are of all people most to be pitied. ²⁰ But Christ has indeed been raised from the dead, the firstfruits of those who have fallen asleep. ²¹ For since death came through a man, the resurrection of the dead comes also through a man. ²² For as in Adam all die, so in Christ all will be made alive.

Application Questions

- How would you describe your relationship to Jesus?
- Read [1 Corinthians 15:18-22](#).
 - If you had to explain this passage to another person, how would you explain it?
 - What is the subject?
 - What are the comparisons Paul makes?
 - Are these comparisons helpful to you?
 - How does “life” come to you by being “in Christ?”
- Explain verse [1 Corinthians 15:19](#).
 - Why does Paul say that he should be pitied?
- Read [1 Corinthians 15:22](#).
 - “*Through Adam all die, in Christ all shall be made alive.*” This describes the change in our relationship to God from connected to disconnected back to connected. How do you understand this dynamic?
 - Are you connected?