

Identity Matters

2 Corinthians 5:17; Romans 6:4

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NOTES

Big Idea: Your identity in Christ is not achieved, it's received.

Observation #1: You are a new person.

Observation #2: The old is gone.

Observation #3: A new life has begun.

WHO YOU ARE IN CHRIST

I am accepted...

- I am God's child ~ *John 1:12*
- As a disciple, I am a friend of Jesus Christ ~ *John 15:15*
- I have been justified ~ *Romans 5:1*
- I am united with the Lord, and I am one with Him in spirit ~ *1 Corin. 6:17*
- I have been bought with a price, and I belong to God ~ *1 Corin. 6:19-20*
- I am a member of Christ's body ~ *1 Corin. 12:27*
- I have been chosen by God and adopted as His child ~ *Eph 1:3-8*
- I have been redeemed and forgiven of all my sins ~ *Col 1:13-14*
- I am complete in Christ ~ *Colossians 2:9-10*
- I have direct access to the throne of grace through Jesus Christ ~ *Hebrews 4:14-16*

I am secure...

- I am free from condemnation ~ *Romans 8:1-2*
- I am assured that God works for my good in all circumstances ~ *Romans 8:28*
- I am free from any condemnation brought against me, and I cannot be separated from the love of God ~ *Romans 8:31-39*
- I have been established, anointed, and sealed by God ~ *2 Corin. 1:21-22*
- I am hidden with Christ in God ~ *Colossians 3:1-4*
- I am confident that God will complete the good work He started in me ~ *Philippians 1:6*
- I am a citizen of Heaven ~ *Philippians 3:20*
- I have not been given the spirit of fear but of power, love, and a sound mind ~ *2 Timothy 1:7*
- I am born of God, and the evil one cannot touch me ~ *1 John 5:18*

I am significant...

- I am the branch of Jesus Christ, the true vine, and a channel of His life ~ *John 15:5*
- I have been chosen and appointed to bear fruit ~ *John 15:16*
- I am God's temple ~ *1 Corin. 3:16*
- I am a minister of reconciliation for God ~ *2 Corin. 5:17-21*
- I am seated with Jesus Christ in the heavenly realm ~ *Ephesians 2:6*
- I am God's workmanship ~ *Ephesians 2:10*
- I may approach God with freedom and confidence ~ *Ephesians 3:12*
- I can do all things through Christ, who strengthens me ~ *Philippians 4:13*