

# Embracing Your Identity “IN CHRIST”

These are true of those who have received Christ as their Savior, and have become His child - that's how you are “IN CHRIST.” As you read, study, and accept this list of what God says about you, the TRUTH will help you combat the lies that others and the enemy say about you. Accept God's TRUTH and reject the LIES. Discovering our true identity “In Christ” is truly a lifelong pursuit.

*I renounce the lie that I am rejected, unloved, dirty, or shameful because in Christ I am completely accepted. God says...*

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| • John 1:12               | I am God's child                                       |
| • John 15:15              | I am Christ's friend                                   |
| • Romans 5:1              | I have been justified                                  |
| • 1 Corinthians 6:17      | I am united with the Lord and I am one spirit with Him |
| • 1 Corinthians 6:19 - 20 | I have been bought with a price: I belong to God       |
| • 1 Corinthians 12:27     | I am a member of Christ's body                         |
| • Ephesians 1:1           | I am a saint, a holy one                               |
| • Ephesians 1:5           | I have been adopted as God's child                     |
| • Ephesians 2:18          | I have direct access to God through the Holy Spirit    |
| • Colossians 1:14         | I have been redeemed and forgiven of all my sins       |
| • Colossians 2:10         | I am complete in Christ                                |

*I renounce the lie that I am guilty, unprotected, alone, or abandoned because in Christ I am totally secure. God says...*

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| • Romans 8:1,2          | I am free forever from condemnation  |
| • Romans 8:28           | I am assured that all things work together for good                          |
| • Romans 8:31-34        | I am free from any condemning charges against me                             |
| • Romans 8:35-39        | I cannot be separated from the love of God                                   |
| • 2 Corinthians 1:21,22 | I have been established, anointed, and sealed by God                         |
| • Philippians 1:6       | I am confident that the good work God has begun in me will be perfected      |
| • Philippians 3:20      | I am a citizen of heaven   |
| • Colossians 3:3        | I am hidden with Christ in God   |
| • 2 Timothy 1:7         | I have not been given a spirit of fear, but of power, love, and a sound mind |
| • Hebrews 4:16          | I can find grace and mercy to help in time of need                           |
| • 1 John 5:18           | I am born of God and the evil one can not touch me                           |

*I renounce the lie that I am worthless, inadequate, helpless, or hopeless because in Christ I am deeply significant. God says...*

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| • Matthew 5:13,14       | I am the salt of the earth and the light of the world        |
| • John 15:1,5           | I am a branch of the true vine, Jesus, a channel of His life |
| • John 15:16            | I have been chosen and appointed by God to bear fruit        |
| • Acts 1:8              | I am a personal, Spirit-empowered witness of Christ's        |
| • 1 Corinthians 3:16    | I am a temple of God   |
| • 2 Corinthians 5:17-21 | I am a minister of reconciliation for God                    |
| • 2 Corinthians 6:1     | I am God's coworker  |
| • Ephesians 2:6         | I am seated with Christ in the heavenly realm                |
| • Ephesians 2:10        | I am God's workmanship, created for good works               |
| • Ephesians 3:12        | I may approach God with freedom and confidence               |
| • Philippians 4:13      | I can do all things through Christ who strengthens me!       |

*I am not the great “I Am,” but by the grace of God I am what I am.  
(See Exodus 3:14; John 8:24, 28,58; 1 Corinthians 15:10.)*

Embracing your Identity “In Christ” is a process. It will take time to get these truths deep down in your heart and soul. When you find it hard to believe a truth, ask God to give you the faith to accept what He says in His Holy Word. Small steps of faith in the right direction lead to your freedom in Christ!

(Adapted from “Bondage Breaker” by Neil Anderson)