

IS YOUR IDENTITY IN CHRIST ALONE?

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Scripture Reading – Philippians 3:3-14

Opening Prayer

Main Idea – We have been crucified with Christ. Now Christ lives in us. Therefore, we now must live by faith in the Son of God. (Galatians 2:20) **OUR IDENTITY IS IN CHRIST ALONE.**

Point to Ponder – We are unable to be in right standing before a Holy God on our own merit, but through faith in Jesus Christ, it is credited to us as righteousness

(Philippians 3:9). **OUR IDENTITY IS IN CHRIST ALONE**

Let's examine 3 important areas that scripture teaches about the transformation of one's identity:

I. Our "past" identity "before" Christ.

a) Ephesians 2:1-2 –

b) John 8:34 –

c) Isaiah 53:6 –

d) Romans 3:23 –

OUR OLD IDENTITY WAS NOT IN CHRIST

II. Our "present" identity "now" in Christ.

a) Acts 20:28 –

b) 1 Corinthians 6:19-20 –

c) Galatians 2:20 –

d) 2 Corinthians 5:17 –

e) 1 John 2:15-17 –

f) Colossians 3:1-3 –

**OUR NEW IDENTITY IS IN CHRIST
ALONE**

III. Our “goal” as believers in Christ.

a) Philippians 3:8-9 –

b) Philippians 3:10 –

c) Philippians 3:13 –

d) Philippians 3:14 –

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Famous Quote: “Paul sees all kinds of sins in himself and all kinds of accomplishments too, but he refuses to connect them with his identity.”

– Timothy Keller

**Closing Prayer – OUR IDENTITY MUST BE
IN CHRIST ALONE**