

WHO I AM IN CHRIST

IN CHRIST I AM ACCEPTED

John 1:12.....I am God's child.....

NASB..... "But as many as received Him, to them He gave the right to become children of God, even to those who believe in His name"

NIV..... "Yet to all who received Him, to those who believed in His name, He gave the right to become children of God..."

John 15:15.....I am Christ's friend.....

NASB..... "No longer do I call you slaves, for the slave does not know what his master is doing; but I have called you friends, for all things that I have heard from My Father I have made known to you."

NIV..... "I no longer call you servants, because a servant does not know his master's business. Instead, I have called you friends, for everything that I learned from my Father I have made known to you."

Romans 5:1.....I have been justified.....

NASB..... "Therefore having been justified by faith, we have peace with God through our Lord Jesus Christ."

NIV..... "Therefore, since we have been justified through faith, we have peace with God through our Lord Jesus Christ..."

1 Corinthians 6:17.....I am united with the Lord, and I am one spirit with Him.....

NASB..... "But the one who joins himself to the Lord is one spirit with Him."

NIV..... "But he who unites himself with the Lord is one with Him in spirit."

1 Corinthians 6:20.....I have been bought with a price, I belong to God.....

NASB..... "For you have been bought with a price: therefore glorify God in your body."

NIV..... "...you were bought with a price. Therefore, honor God with your body."

1 Corinthians 12:27.....I am a member of Christ's Body.....

NASB..... "Now you are Christ's body, and individually members of it,"

NIV..... "Now you are the body of Christ, and each one of you is a part of it."

Ephesians 1:1.....I am a saint.....

NASB..... "Paul, an apostle of Christ Jesus by the will of God, to the saints who are at Ephesus who are faithful in Christ Jesus:"

NIV..... "Paul, an apostle of Christ Jesus by the will of God, to the saints in Ephesus, the faithful in Christ Jesus:"

Ephesians 1:4.....I am chosen by God.....

NASB..... "just as He chose us in Him before the foundation of the world, that we would be holy and blameless before Him. In love."

NIV..... "For He chose us in Him before the creation of the world to be holy and blameless in His sight. In love..."

Ephesians 1:5.....I have been adopted as God's child.....

NASB..... "He predestined us to adoption as sons through Jesus Christ to Himself, according to the kind intention of His will,"

NIV.....“...He predestined us to be adopted as His sons through Jesus Christ, in accordance with His pleasure and will...”

Ephesians 2:18.....I have direct access to God through the Holy Spirit.

NASB.....“for through Him we both have our access in one Spirit to the Father.”

NIV.....“For through Him we both have access to the Father by one Spirit.”

Colossians 1:13-14I have been redeemed and forgiven of all my sins.

NASB.....“For He rescued us from the domain of darkness, and transferred us to the kingdom of His beloved Son, in whom we have redemption, the forgiveness of sins.”

NIV.....“For He has rescued us from the dominion of darkness and brought us into the Kingdom of the Son He loves, in whom we have redemption, the forgiveness of sins.”

Colossians 2:10.....I am complete in Christ.....

NASB.....“...and in Him you have been made complete, and He is the head over all rule and authority.”

NIV.....“...and you have been given fullness in Christ, who is in the head over every power and authority.”

IN CHRIST I AM SECURE

Romans 8:1-2I am free from condemnation.....

NASB.....“Therefore there is now no condemnation for those who are in Christ Jesus. For the law of the Spirit of life in Christ Jesus has set you free from the law of sin and of death.”

NIV.....“Therefore, there is now no condemnation for those who are in Christ Jesus, because through Christ Jesus the law of the Spirit of life set me free from the law of sin and death.”

Romans 8:28I am assured that all things work together for good.

NASB.....“And we know that God causes all things to work together for good to those who love God, to those who are called according to *His* purpose.”

NIV.....“And we know that in all things God works for the good of those who love Him, who have been called according to His purpose.”

Romans 8:31-34I am free from any condemning charges against me.

NASB.....“What then shall we say to these things? If God *is* for us, who *is* against us? He who did not spare His own Son, but delivered Him over for us all, how will He not also with Him freely give us all things? Who will bring a charge against God’s elect? God is the one who justifies; who is the one who condemns? Christ Jesus is He who died, yes, rather who was raised, who is at the right hand of God, who also intercedes for us.

NIV.....“What then, shall we say in response to this? If God is for us, who can be against us? He who did not spare His own Son, but gave Him up for us all – how will He not also, along with Him, graciously give us all things? Who will bring any charge against those whom God has chosen? It is God who justifies. Who is he that condemns? Christ Jesus, who died – more than that, who was raised to life – is at the right hand of God and is also interceding for us.”

2 Corinthians 1:21-22.....I have been established, anointed and sealed by God.

NASB.....“Now He who establishes us with you in Christ and anointed us is God, who also sealed us and gave *us* the Spirit in our hearts as a pledge.”

NIV.....“Now it is God who makes both us and you stand firm in Christ. He anointed us, set His seal of ownership on us, and put His Spirit in our hearts as a deposit, guaranteeing what is to come.

Philippians 1:6.....I am confident that God will complete the good work He started in me.....

NASB.....“*For I am* confident of this very thing, that He who began a good work in you will perfect it until the day of Christ Jesus.

NIV.....“...being confident of this, that He who began a good work in you will carry it on to completion until the day of Christ Jesus.”

Philippians 3:20.....I am a citizen of heaven.....

NASB.....“For our citizenship is in heaven, from which also we eagerly wait for a Savior, the Lord Jesus Christ;”

NIV.....“But our citizenship is in heaven. And we eagerly await a Savior from there, the Lord Jesus Christ;”

Colossians 3:3.....I am hidden with Christ in God.

NASB.....“For you have died and your life is hidden with Christ in God.”

NIV.....“For you died, and your life is now 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.

NASB.....“For God has not given us a spirit of timidity, but of power and love and discipline.”

NIV.....“For God did not give us a spirit of timidity, but a spirit of power, of love and of self-discipline.”

Hebrews 4:16.....I can find grace and mercy in time of need.....

NASB.....“Therefore let us draw near with confidence to the throne of grace, so that we may receive mercy and find grace to help in time of need.”

NIV.....“Let us then approach the throne of grace with confidence, so that we may receive mercy and find grace to help us in our time of need.”

Hebrews 13:5.....I am never alone, God will never leave me.....

NASB.....“Make sure that your character is free from the love of money, being content with what you have; for He Himself has said, ‘I will never desert you, nor will I forsake you;’”

NIV.....“Keep your lives free from the love of money and be content with what you have, because God has said, ‘Never will I leave you; never will I forsake you;’”

1 John 5:18.....I am born of God and the evil one cannot touch me.

NASB.....“We know that no one who is born of God sins; but He who was born of God keeps him, and the evil one does not touch him.”

NIV.....“We know that anyone born of God does not continue to sin; the one who was born of God keeps him safe, and the evil one cannot harm him.”

IN CHRIST I AM SIGNIFICANT

Matthew 5:13-14I am the salt and light of the earth.....

NASB..... “You are the salt of the earth; but if the salt has become tasteless, how can it be made salty *again*? It is no longer good for anything, except to be thrown out and trampled under foot by men. You are the light of the world. A city set on a hill cannot be hidden;”

NIV..... “You are the salt of the earth, But if the salt loses its saltiness, how can it be made salty again? It is no longer good for anything, except to be thrown out and trampled by men. You are the light of the world. A city on a hill cannot be hidden.”

John 15:1,5I am a branch of the true vine, a channel of His life.

NASB..... “I am the true vine, and My Father is the vinedresser.”

“I am the vine, you are the branches; he who abides in Me and I in him, he bears much fruit, for apart from Me you can do nothing.”

NIV..... “I am the true vine, and my Father is the gardener.”

“I am the vine; you are the branches. If a man remains in me and I in him, he will bear much fruit! apart from me you can do nothing.”

John 15:16I have been chosen and appointed to bear fruit.

NASB..... “You did not choose Me but I chose you, and appoint you *that* you would go and bear fruit, and that your fruit would remain, so that whatever you ask of the Father in My name He may give to you.”

NIV..... “You did not choose me, but I chose you and appointed you to go and bear fruit – fruit that will last. Then the Father will give you whatever you ask in my name.”

Acts 1:8I am a personal witness of Christ.

NASB..... “but you will receive power when the Holy spirit has come upon you; and you shall be My witnesses both in Jerusalem, and in all Judea and Samaria, and even to the remotest part of the earth.”

NIV..... “But you will receive power when the Holy Spirit comes on you; and you will be my witnesses in Jerusalem, and in all Judea and Samaria, and to the ends of the earth.”

1 Corinthians 3:9I am God’s fellow worker (coworker in 2 Corinthians 6:1)

NASB..... “For we are God’s fellow workers; you are God’s field, God’s building.”

NIV..... “For we are God’s fellow workers; you are God’s field, God’s building.”

1 Corinthians 3:16I am a God’s temple.....

NASB..... “Do you not know that you are a temple of God and that the Spirit of God dwells in you?”

NIV..... “Don’t you know that you yourselves are God’s temple and that God’s Spirit lives in you?”

2 Corinthians 5:17-21I am a minister of reconciliation for God.....

NASB..... “Therefore if anyone is in Christ, *he is* a new creature; the old things passed away; behold, new things have come. Now all *these* things are from God, who reconciled us to himself through Christ and gave us the ministry of reconciliation, namely, that god was in Christ reconciling the world to Himself, not counting their trespasses against them, and He has committed to us the word of reconciliation. Therefore, we are ambassadors for Christ, as though God were making an appeal through us we

beg you on behalf of Christ, be reconciled to God. He made him who knew no sin to be sin on our behalf, so that we might become the righteousness of God in Him.”

NIV.....“Therefore, if anyone is in Christ, he is a new creation; the old has gone, the new has come! All this is from God, who reconciled us to himself through Christ and gave us the ministry of reconciliation: that God was reconciling the world to himself in Christ, not counting men’s sins against them. And he has committed to us the message of reconciliation. We are therefore Christ’s ambassadors, as though God were making his appeal through us. We implore you on Christ’s behalf: Be reconciled to God. God made him who had no sin to be sin for us, so that in him we might become the righteousness of God.

Ephesians 2:6.....I am seated with Christ in the heavenly realm.

NASB.....“and raised us up with Him, and seated us with Him in the heavenly *places* in Christ Jesus,”

NIV.....“And God raised us up with Christ and seated us with him in the heavenly realms in Christ Jesus,”

Ephesians 2:10.....I am God’s workmanship.....

NASB.....“For we are His workmanship, created in Christ Jesus for good works, which God prepared beforehand so that we would walk in them.

NIV.....“For we are God’s workmanship, created in Christ Jesus to do good works, which God prepared in advance for us to do.”

Ephesians 3:12.....I may approach God with freedom and confidence.....

NASB.....“in whom we have boldness and confident access through faith in Him.”

NIV.....“In him and through faith in him we may approach God with freedom and confidence.”

Philippians 4:13.....I can do all things through Christ who strengthens me.....

NASB.....“I can do all things through Him who strengthens me.”

NIV.....“I can do everything through him who gives me strength.”

WHO I AM IN CHRIST EXERCISE

1. Write out the verse.
2. Write down what the verse says to you.
3. Write out the verse with your name. (Personalize verse)
4. Working off of the verse, write a letter to yourself from Jesus.
5. Reflect on your time while writing the letter. What do/did I envision while/when writing this?