

5.23.21

Could I See Some Identity Please?

John 6:41-59



1. What did you get out of Pastor's sermon from John 6:41-59 that will help you clearly find where your PRIMARY identity is located and how it needs to be in Christ?

2. If you are a follower of Christ, a Christian, it is vital to have your identity formed PRIMARILY by your vertical relationship with Jesus Christ rather than by anything horizontal (people, possessions, positions, etc). Look up the following "identity" passages and note any thoughts and honestly examine yourself as to whether this is a primary way of you identifying yourself:
 - II Corinthians 5:17
 - I Peter 2:9
 - Galatians 2:20
 - John 1:12, 13
 - Romans 8:1
 - Philippians 3:20
 - I Corinthians 6:19,20
 - Ephesians 4:24

3. If you have determined the above "identity" passages are not the primary way your identity has been formed or how you want others to see you then you must examine yourself to make sure you are even in the faith. Several next steps would be:
 - Read through the letter of I John and see if the different evidences of a believer listed in I John are true of you?
 - Speak with someone you trust and consider a true follower of Christ and ask them to speak honestly about what they see in your life and if there are evidences of being a genuine follower?
 - Speak directly to Jesus confessing to Him that you are a sinner and that you want to receive Jesus into your life for forgiveness of sins and the gift of eternal life. Thank Him for dying on the cross for you! Tell someone the Good News about becoming a child of God!

Connection Card Next Steps: Memorize John 6:51

I desire to find my identity in first and foremost in Jesus Christ so I will pursue a deeper relationship with Him by reading my Bible each day this week.

I desire to find my identity in first and foremost in Jesus Christ so I will examine my life and identify things or people I prioritize instead of Him and reorder my life starting this week.