## Who Am I?

- Matthew 5:13 I am the salt of the earth.
- Matthew 5:14 I am the light of the world.
- John 1:12 I am a child of God (part of His family). Romans 8:16
- John 15: 1,5 I am part of the True Vine.
- John 15:15 I am Christ's friend.
- John 15:16 I am chosen and appointed by Christ to bear his fruit.
- Acts 1:8 I am a personal witness of Christ for Christ.
- Romans 6:11 I am alive to God in Christ Jesus.
- Romans 6:18 I am a servant of righteousness.
- Romans 8:14 I am a son/daughter of God. Gal 3:26, 4:6.
- Romans 8:17 I am a joint heir with Christ sharing His inheritance with Him.
- 1Cor. 3:16 I am a temple of God.
- 1Cor. 6:17 I am joined to the Lord and am one spirit with Him.
- 1Cor. 12:27 I am a member of Christ's body.
- 2Cor. 5:17 I am a new creation.
- 2Cor. 5:18 I am reconciled to God and am a minister of reconciliation.
- Eph. 1:1 I am a saint sanctified in Christ.
- Eph. 2:19 I am a fellow citizen with the rest of God's family.
- Eph. 3:1 I am a prisoner of Christ.
- Eph. 4:24 I am made righteous and holy in Christ.
- 1Thess. 1:4 I am chosen and dearly loved.

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## Formula Living.

Jesus' formula has a 100% success rate for those who we are willing to follow it daily.

Since, then, you have been raised with Christ, set your hearts on things above, where Christ is seated at the right hand of God. <sup>2</sup> Set your minds on things above, not on earthly things. <sup>3</sup> For you died, and your life is now hidden with Christ in God. <sup>4</sup> When Christ, who is your life, appears, then you also will appear with him in glory. Colossians 3:1-4

Paul gives us a "formula" to follow:

- > Set your hearts and minds on things above.
  - ✓ That is the "formula!"

## Here are some things to set your heart and mind on for one week.

- 1. Your faith in Christ. Col 1:3
- 2. Your love for your fellow brothers and sisters in Christ. Col 1:4
- 3. You hope of glory, of eternal life. Col 1:5
- 4. Being filled with the knowledge of God's will. Col 1:9
- 5. The ability to live a life worthy of God. Col 1:10
- 6. The ability to produce Godly fruit. Col 1:10
- 7. Being strengthened with God's power. Col 1:11
- 8. Having great endurance and patience. Col 1:11
- 9. Living a life of thankfulness to the Lord. Col 1:12
- 10. Being one of God's chosen children. Col 1:27
- 11. Living a life free from religious rules. Col 2:16
- 12. Being dead to your old life and alive to your new life. Col 3:3
- 13. Being hidden with Christ in God. Col 3:3
- 14. Being a new creation. 2Corinthians 5:17
- 15. Never having to live under condemnation again. Romans 8:1