

MESSAGE NOTES

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IN CHRIST: Chosen
Ephesians 1:4, 11-12
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- We can live with a _____ or _____ identity. Matt 3:16-17; 4:3,6
- Discovering our true identity _____ with God, _____ with us.

Even before He made the world, God loved us and chose us in Christ to be holy and without fault in His eyes. Ephesians 1:4 (NLT)

SEEING FROM GOD'S VIEWPOINT

- Notice God's choice is _____ to our choosing Him. John 15:16
- The _____ of God's choice: _____ Christ. 1:1,3,4,6,7,9,11,12,13
- Notice the _____ of God's choice: _____, _____, _____. Eph 2:19-22
- The _____ of God's choice: to be _____ & glorify Him. Eph 1:12

IDENTITY: CHOSEN IN CHRIST

- Removes any _____ for superiority or _____-boasting. 1 Cor 1:27-31
- Our _____, _____ & joy depend on it. Rom 8:33-39; Eph 2:10

In order that we, who were the first to put our hope in Christ, might be for the praise of His glory. Ephesians 1:12 (NIV)

LEARNING TO BE CONVINCED

- Beginning to end, vss 3-14 are _ unbroken sentence of _____.
- Praising God for these blessings _____ them in our _____.
- Praising God re-_____ & readies us to live out _____ purpose.
- Will I _____ myself & let _____ be _____ in my life? Rom 4:20-21

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