

What God says about us who have believed on Christ

1.As my creation you are valuable.

I am the Creator and you are **my creation**. I breathed into your nostrils the breath of life (Genesis 2:7). I created you **in my own image** (Genesis 1:27). I knit you together in your mother's womb (Psalm 139:13). I know the number of hairs on your head, and before a word is on your tongue I know it (Matthew 10:30; Psalm 139:4). You are fearfully and wonderfully made (Psalm 139:14). You are **more valuable** than many sparrows (Matthew 10:3).

2.As a believer you are now saved from wrath.

In my great love, I gave my unique Son, that all those who believe in him will **not perish** but have everlasting life (John 3:16). While you were still sinners, **Christ died for you**. While you were still hostile toward me, you **were reconciled** to me by the death of my Son (Romans 5:8,10). You who have believed on Christ are **born again** (1Peter1:3). I have **adopted** you (Ephesians 1:5). You are now my **children**, my heirs (1John 3:2; Romans 8:16,17).You are no longer orphans. You now **belong to me** (John 14:18; 1Corinthians 6:1). **I love you as a perfect Father** (1 John 3:1; Luke 15:20-24).

3.In Christ you are now a new creation.

For you the old has passed away; **the new has come** (2Corinthians 5:17).Sin is no longer your master, for you **died to sin** and are now **alive to me** (Romans 6:11;Ephesians 2:4,5). You are finally **free from the slavery of sin and death**. There is now **no condemnation** for you (Romans 8:1,2). All your **sins are forgiven** (1John1:9). All your unrighteousness has been **cleansed by the blood** of Jesus (1John1:7,9). You are now **righteous in my sight** with the very righteousness of my perfect Son (Romans 4:5). You've been **saved** by grace (Ephesians 2:8). You've been **justified** by faith (Romans 5:1). You are utterly **secure in me**; nothing will be able to separate you from my love in Christ Jesus (Romans 8:39). No one is able to snatch you out of my hand (John10:29). I will **never leave you** nor forsake you (Hebrews 13:5).

4.By my Spirit you are now united to Christ and his people.

You are now **part of the people of God** (1Peter 2:9). And together the life you now live is by faith in my Son (Galatians 2:20). **Christ is in you** by my Spirit, and **you are in Christ** (John15:5; Colosians1:27). Your life is now **found in him** (John14:6; Colosians3:3,4). Now for you **to live is Christ**, and to **die is gain** (Philippians 1:21). I have given **you the Holy Spirit** to be with you and in you (Romans 5:5; John14:17). The Spirit **will guide you** into all truth, **help you to obey me**, and **empower you** to do my work (John 16:7,13; Acts1:8;Galatians 5:16).

5.You are now being transformed and have a glorious future.

As you seek me and see more of my glory, I am transforming you **into the image of my Son** (2Corinthians 3:18). One day you will be **completely changed**, in a moment, in the twinkling of an eye, at the last trumpet (1Corinthians 15:52). When Jesus appears, **you will be like him**, because you shall see him as he is (1 John 3:2; Romans 8:29).**You will be delivered** from your body of death through Jesus Christ, and your **dwelling place will be with me** (Romans 7:24,25;John14:3). I will wipe away every tear from your eyes, and **death shall be no more**, neither shall there be mourning, nor crying, nor pain.(Revelation 21:3,4). Through Jesus you are **victorious over death** (1Corinthians 15:57). You have a **glorious future** ((Romans 8:18). You are a now a **citizen of heaven** (Philippians 3:20).

6.You are now one of my special representatives in the world.

Therefore, walk in a manner worthy of your calling (Ephesians 4:1). You are **no longer darkness**, but are light in my Son. now walk as children of light (Ephesians 5:8). You are the **light of the world**, a city set on a hill (Matthew 5:14). I have **called** you (2 Peter1:3). I have **chosen** you (Revelation17:14 Ephesians1:4). You are now a **saint**, a **servant**, a **steward**, and a **soldier** (Romans 1:7;Acts 26:16;1Peter4:10;2Timothy 2:3). You are a my **witness** and **worker** (Acts1:8; Ephesians2:10) You are an **ambassador** for my Son and the gospel (2 Corinthians 5:20).