



MESSAGE

STUDY GUIDE

GROUP MATERIAL

SONGS

No Other Gospel: United with Christ – Our Identity, Our Living

Bible Reading: Galatians 2:19-21

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I am crucified with Christ – “in Christ”

- A. United with Christ by faith – believing into Christ
 - 1. United with Christ by faith – believing into Christ and being baptized into Christ
 - 2. Represented with Christ
 - 3. Participating with Christ
 - 4. Example of David and Goliath (Israel and Philistines)
 - 5. Example of coming to Canada before born
 - 6. Christ died, we died, Christ was raised, we were raised
- B. I no longer live
 - 1. Relationship to the law has ended
 - 2. “I...died to the Law...” Gal 2:19
 - 3. I no long live – no longer ego-centered but Christ-centered
 - 4. Not suppressing or replacing our personality
 - 5. “it is no longer I who live...?the life I now live in the body”
 - 6. Christ lives in and through us.

Christ lives in me and I live in my body

- A. Christ lives in me – a transformative life
- B. Christ lives and I live
- C. Christ living in us – Our identity
 - 1. Our identity determines how we live
 - 1. Before the Damascus experience, Saul lived as a law keeper
 - 2. After a new living (crucified, raised, Christ living in him...)
 - 3. Paul's primary identity was "a man in Christ." 2 Cor. 12:2
 - 4. Paul's secondary identity – a Jew (never denied he was a Jew) but it was not his primary/main identity
 - 2. What is your primary identity?
 - 3. Paul shares with the Gentiles the primary identity of being in Christ
 - 4. How do I make Christ, being in Christ, my primary identity?

Living by faith and the faithfulness of the Son of God

- A. By faith in the Son of God and the faithfulness of the Son of God
- B. Christ loved me and gave himself for me
 - 1. Living in a relationship of love of Christ
 - 2. Responding in obedience to the one who gave Himself for us.
 - 3. This new life of faith is motivated and guided by the sacrificial love of the Son of God, who loved me and gave himself for me?(v. 20).
- C. Living in fellowship with God and men