



Who are you, whose are you and what do you carry?

WHO ARE WE? THIS IS OUR IDENTITY IN CHRIST... WHO HE SAYS WE ARE AND WHY

HE MADE US WHO WE ARE... OUR PURPOSE

WHOSE ARE WE? WE ARE GOD'S CHILDREN... HIS CHOSEN ONES... HE IS OUR GOOD

GOOD FATHER AND WE BELONG TO HIM

WHAT DO WE CARRY? AS HIS CHILDREN WE CARRY HIS AUTHORITY IN THE EARTH

"But Caleb quieted the people before Moses and said, "Let us go up at once and occupy it, for we are well able to overcome it." Then the men who had gone up with him said,

“We are not able to go up against the people, for they are stronger than we are.” So they brought to the people of Israel a bad report of the land that they had spied out, saying,

“The land, through which we have gone to spy it out, is a land that devours its inhabitants, and all the people that we saw in it are of great height. And there we saw the Nephilim (the sons of Anak, who come from the Nephilim), and we seemed to ourselves like grasshoppers, and so we seemed to them.”“

Numbers 13:30-33 ESV

JOSHUA AND CALEB KNEW WHO THEY WERE... THEY KNEW THAT IN THE LORD THEY WERE VICTORS!

“...and we seemed to ourselves like grasshoppers, and so we seemed to them.”

THIS IS WHY IT IS CRUCIAL FOR US TO KNOW WHO WE ARE IN CHRIST! BECAUSE WE WILL LIVE OUT WHAT WE BELIEVE TO BE TRUE... IT DOESN'T TAKE ANY FAITH OR FORTITUDE TO PARTNER WITH FEAR... OR WITH A FALSE IDENTITY.

IT TAKES INTENTIONALITY TO PURSUE OUR TRUE IDENTITY IN CHRIST AND TO PARTNER WITH HIS PLANS FOR OUR LIFE.

THE DEFAULT OF HUMANITY IS TO TAKE THE PATH OF LEAST RESISTANCE WE REALLY ARE FIGHTING A BATTLE THAT THE LORD HAS ALREADY WON

”Then Moses and Aaron fell on their faces before all the assembly of the congregation of the people of Israel. And Joshua the son of Nun and Caleb the son of Jephunneh, who were among those who had spied out the land, tore their clothes and said to all the congregation of the people of

Israel, "The land, which we passed through to spy it out, is an exceedingly good land. If the Lord delights in us, he will bring us into this land and give it to us, a land that flows with milk and honey. Only do not rebel against the Lord. And do not fear the people of the land, for they are bread for us. Their protection is removed from them, and the Lord is with us; do not fear them." Then all the congregation said to stone them with stones. But the glory of the Lord appeared at the tent of meeting to all the people of Israel."

Numbers 14:5-10 ESV

WHEN WE DON'T KNOW WHOSE WE ARE, WE WILL OFTEN
CHOOSE TO GO RIGHT BACK INTO SLAVERY

WE SETTLE FOR JUST EEKING OUT AN EXISTENCE,
MAKING NO IMPACT ON THE LIVES AROUND US AND
CERTAINLY NOT FINDING ANY FULFILLMENT OF OUR
PURPOSE IN LIFE

WE NEED TO WALK IN THE AUTHORITY OF THE LORD...
WE NEED TO KNOW THAT WE

CARRY HIS AUTHORITY WHEN WE ARE ALIGNED WITH
HIM.

"And do not fear the people of the land, for they are bread for us. Their protection is removed from them, and the Lord is with us; do not fear them."

"But they presumed to go up to the heights of the hill country, although neither the ark of the covenant of the Lord nor Moses departed out of the camp. Then the Amalekites and the Canaanites who lived in that hill country came down and defeated them and pursued them, even to Hormah."

Numbers 14:44-45 ESV

WE DON'T GET OUR AUTHORITY FROM "DOING" CERTAIN THINGS... WE GET OUR AUTHORITY BY ALIGNING OURSELVES WITH THE REALITY OF WHO WE ARE IN JESUS...AND BY SUBMITTING TO WHO HE IS

MATTHEW 28:18

And Jesus came and said to them, "All authority in heaven and on earth has been given to me".

1 CORINTHIANS 12:27

27 Now you are the body of Christ and individually members of it.

1 CORINTHIANS 1:30 And because of him you are in Christ Jesus, who became to us wisdom from God, righteousness and sanctification and redemption,

DOING DOESN'T CREATE BEING WHAT WE DO DOESN'T MAKE US WHO WE ARE... BEING CREATES DOING

WHO WE ARE DETERMINES WHAT WE DO

WE WILL DO WHAT WE DO BASED ON WHO WE BELIEVE WE ARE

LUKE 10:19

Behold, I have given you authority to tread on serpents and scorpions, and over all the power of the enemy, and nothing shall hurt you.

IT COMES DOWN TO US BELIEVING THE TRUTH OF WHAT GOD HAS TO SAY ABOUT

WHO WE ARE, WHOSE WE ARE AND WHAT WE CARRY

DEUTERONOMY 30:19...

19 I call heaven and earth to witness against you today, that I have set before you life and

death, blessing and curse. Therefore choose life, that you and your offspring may live