



**WILL THE REAL ME PLEASE STAND
UP**



ME NUMBER 1

The ME Others

Think I Am

1 Corinthians 4:3a

- The court of human opinion!

Trying to live up to expectation of others!

- Peer Pressure!!!

Makes me a slave to what people think!

1 Corinthians 7:23 (p 1316)

Matthew 5:16 (p 1115)



ME NUMBER 2

The ME I

Think I Am

1 Corinthians 4:3b, 4a

- Paul speaks of those who judge themselves!

Inaccurate standard of judgment

Judges 21:25 (p 305)

Jeremiah 10:23 (p 881)

Revelation 3:17 (p 1409)



ME NUMBER 2

The ME I

Think I Am

1 Corinthians 4:3b, 4a

- We tend to have a distorted view of SELF!

Romans 12:3 (p 1305)

POSITIVE: Nobody as smart as me; I am the best looking; I am rich

NEGATIVE: I am not smart; I am not good-looking; I am not rich

Luke 12:15 (p 1199) = WRONG VALUES



ME NUMBER 2

The ME I

Think I Am

1 Corinthians 4:3b, 4a

- We tend to have a distorted view of SELF!

Our walk with God!

I am not a good Christian ...

I make a lot of mistakes ...

I am not good enough ...

CHRISTIANITY IS NOT PERFORMANCE BASED

BUT FORGIVENESS BASED!



ME NUMBER 3

The ME God

Says I Am

1 Corinthians 4:4b

- God's assessment is TRUE, ACCURATE and ALWAYS RIGHT!

I need acceptance *Ephesians 1:6 (p 1343)*

I need security *2 Timothy 1:12 (p 1366)*

I need confidence *Philippians 4:13 (p 1351)*

I need assurance *1 John 3:18-19 (p 1400)*

- PRAISE FROM GOD : *1 Corinthians 4:5 (p 1313)*



ME NUMBER 3

The ME God

Says I Am

1 Corinthians 4:4b

- In Christ I Am Not Insecure

I am LOVED

Ephesians 2:4 (p 1343)

I am FORGIVEN

1 John 1:7 (p 1398)

I am ACCEPTED

Psalms 9:10 (p 621)

I am SAVED

2 Corinthians 5:1 (p 1329)

FROM THAT TIME MANY OF HIS DISCIPLES WENT BACK AND WALKED WITH HIM NO MORE. THEN JESUS SAID TO THE TWELVE, "DO YOU ALSO WANT TO GO AWAY?" BUT SIMON PETER ANSWERED HIM, "LORD, TO WHOM SHALL WE GO? YOU HAVE THE WORDS OF ETERNAL LIFE. ALSO WE HAVE COME TO BELIEVE AND KNOW THAT YOU ARE THE CHRIST, THE SON OF THE LIVING GOD."

JOHN 6:66-69 (P 1229)

**COME TO ME, ALL YOU WHO LABOR AND ARE
HEAVY LADEN, AND I WILL GIVE YOU REST. TAKE
MY YOKE UPON YOU AND LEARN FROM ME, FOR I
AM GENTLE AND LOWLY IN HEART, AND YOU WILL
FIND REST FOR YOUR SOULS. FOR MY YOKE IS
EASY AND MY BURDEN IS LIGHT.“**

(MATTHEW 11:28-30)