

Teaching : "Who we are in Christ"

Our perception of ourself is what matters.

Abraham, how he saw himself vis. others:

- I *am* a stranger and a sojourner with you, **Genesis 23:4**.
- Thou *art* a mighty prince among us, **Genesis 23:6**.

Moses, how he saw himself vis. NT. Scripture.

- Moses said to the LORD, I am slow of speech, **Exodus 4:10**.
- Moses was mighty in words and in deeds, **Acts 7:22**.

The 12 spies, what they said vis. their enemies.

- We were in our own sight as grasshoppers and also in their sight, **Numbers 13:33**.
- That your terror is fallen upon us, and that all the inhabitants of the land faint because of you, **Joshua 2:9**.

These examples are from the OT. But as New Testament believers we need to know / believe the promises of God.

Now we are under a better covenant:

Beloved, now are we the sons of God, and it does not yet appear what we shall be: but we know that, when He shall appear, we shall be like Him; for we shall see Him as He is, **1st John 3:2**.

If then you were raised with Christ, seek those things which are above, **Colossians 3:1**.

If ye continue in My Word, *then* are ye My disciples indeed; And ye shall know the truth, and the truth shall make you free, John 31-32.

I am in Christ Jesus

I am a new creature, I have been bought with a price, saved, redeemed, delivered, set free, forgiven, sanctified, made righteous, healed and whole, prosperous and rich, a man of integrity and I am loved