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Satan is a \_\_\_\_\_.

<sup>4</sup> My guilt has overwhelmed me. It's overwhelmed me like a burden too heavy to bear.

Psalm 38:4 (TNIV)

Every saint has a \_\_\_\_\_,  
Every sinner has a \_\_\_\_\_.

1. I have to recognize that my biggest sins are not too big for \_\_\_\_\_.

- \_\_\_\_\_ is not from God. Guilt paralyzes action and breeds self-hatred.
- \_\_\_\_\_ of the Holy Spirit produces changed lives.

But if we confess our sins, he is faithful and just to forgive us our sins and cleanse us from everything we've done wrong.

1 John 1:9 (CEB)

2. You are not what you have \_\_\_\_\_, you are who \_\_\_\_\_ says you are.

- Sin is an event not an identity.

Anyone who belongs to Christ has become a new person. The old life is gone and a new life has begun! 2 Corinthians 5:17 (NLT)

Do I belong to Christ?

3. You cannot change your \_\_\_\_\_, but the risen Christ can change your \_\_\_\_\_.

I don't mean to say that I have already achieved these things or that I have already reached perfection. But I press on to possess that perfection for which Christ Jesus first possessed me. <sup>13</sup> No, dear brothers and sisters, I have not achieved it, but I focus on this one thing: Forgetting the past and looking forward to what lies ahead, <sup>14</sup> I press on to reach the end of the race and receive the heavenly prize for which God, through Christ Jesus, is calling us.

Philippians 3:12-14 (NLT)

### My Next Step Today Is To...

- Become a child of God by giving Him my past and receiving a new identity from Him.
- Pray that God would reveal the future he has for me.
- Begin a journey with God that leads to healing and/or forgiveness for the hurts and pains of my past.
- Meditate on and/or memorize 1 John 1:9