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Key Thought: When you know who you are, you'll know what to do.

Who Do You Think You Are?

- With Christ, you are an _____

⁴ You, dear children, are from God and have overcome them, because the one who is in you is greater than the one who is in the world. ^{5:4} for everyone born of God overcomes the world. This is the victory that has overcome the world, even our faith. ⁵ Who is it that overcomes the world? Only he who believes that Jesus is the Son of God.

1 John 4:4, 5:4-5 (NIV)

³³ I have told you all this so that you may have peace in me. Here on earth you will have many trials and sorrows. But take heart, because I have overcome the world.”

John 16:33 (NLT)

As An Overcomer

- We win with divine _____

³ Indeed, we live as human beings, but we do not wage war according to human standards; ⁴ for the weapons of our warfare are not merely human, but they have divine power to destroy strongholds. 2 Corinthians 10:3-4a (NRSV)

- We bring godly _____ and _____ to life's challenges

⁴ We destroy arguments ⁵ and every proud obstacle raised up against the knowledge of God, and we take every thought captive to obey Christ.

2 Corinthians 10:4b-5 (NRSV)

- We are no longer _____ but _____

⁵⁷ But thank God! He gives us victory over sin and death through our Lord Jesus Christ. ⁵⁸ So, my dear brothers and sisters, be strong and immovable. Always work enthusiastically for the Lord, for you know that nothing you do for the Lord is ever useless.

1 Corinthians 15:57-58 (NLT)

⁷ We now have this light shining in our hearts, but we ourselves are like fragile clay jars containing this great treasure. This makes it clear that our great power is from God, not from ourselves. ⁸ We are pressed on every side by troubles, but we are not crushed. We are perplexed, but not driven to despair. ⁹ We are hunted down, but never abandoned by God. We get knocked down, but we are not destroyed.

2 Corinthians 4:7-9 (NLT)

My Next Step Today Is To...

- Receive Jesus as my Savior, asking Him to forgive my past and to be the power to overcome in this life.
- Believe that Christ will help me to overcome an area of my life that has been defeating me.
- To use the weapons God offers me to overcome in this life.
- Meditate on and/or memorize John 16:33