

What God Really Thinks About You!

God never gives up on you. No matter how many times you fall, how far you've wandered, or how long you've been running, His love and His plans for your life remain unchanged. This is the foundation of everything worth knowing about faith.

Why Does God Never Give Up on Us?

The Bible says, "If a righteous man falls seven times, he will rise again" (Proverbs 24:16). That might even mean seven times in one day. The point is not the falling. The point is the rising, and God is the one cheering you on every single time.

Think about the thief on the cross. He was moments from death, a criminal by every measure. But when he turned to Jesus and said, "Lord, remember me when You come into Your kingdom," Jesus answered, "Assuredly, I say to you, today you will be with Me in Paradise" (Luke 23:42-43).

It was not too late. It was not too much. And it is never too late or too much for you either.

What Does It Mean to Be Blessed with Every Spiritual Blessing?

Ephesians 1:3 says, "Blessed be the God and Father of our Lord Jesus Christ, who has blessed us with every spiritual blessing in the heavenly places in Christ Jesus."

Every natural blessing you could ever need has its origin in the spiritual realm. Everything seen came from the unseen. God has already provided it all in the Spirit. The question is whether you are positioned to receive it.

Think of it like a radio. Radio waves are filling a room whether anyone can hear them or not. But the moment someone turns on a receiver, they can tune in and enjoy what was already there. Faith works the same way. Faith is your receiver. It takes what God has already provided in the Spirit and brings it into your natural life.

And how do you build that faith? Romans 10:17 tells us, "Faith comes by hearing, and hearing by the word of God." The more you hear truth, the stronger your receiver becomes.

How Does God See You? Understanding Your Identity in Christ

Ephesians 1:4-6 lays out three powerful truths about who you are to God.

- You are chosen. "Just as He chose us in Him before the foundation of the world, that we should be holy and without blame before Him in love" (Ephesians 1:4). Jesus told His disciples, "You did not choose Me, but I chose you" (John 15:16). This was God's idea, not yours.
- You are accepted. Ephesians 1:6 says He "has made us accepted in the Beloved." When Jesus was baptized, the Father declared, "This is My beloved Son, in whom I am well pleased" (Matthew 3:17). You are accepted in that same Beloved Son. That makes you beloved of God.
- You are destined. Verse 5 says He has "predestined us to adoption as sons by Jesus Christ to Himself, according to the good pleasure of His will." God's will for your life is good and pleasurable. He has already destined you for greatness.

How Do I Overcome a Rejection Mentality?

Rejection is one of the most common and most damaging lies people carry. It whispers that you are unwanted, that you do not belong, that you have been abandoned. And many people have carried those wounds for years, letting them color every relationship and every room they walk into.

But here is what God says in response to every one of those lies.

- Rejection says you are unwanted. God says you are chosen.
- Rejection says you do not belong. God says you are accepted in the Beloved.
- Rejection says you have been abandoned. God says, "I will never leave you nor forsake you" (Hebrews 13:5).
- Rejection says you are not important. God says you are the apple of His eye (Zechariah 2:8).

Paul opens his letter to the Romans with this: "To all who are in Rome, beloved of God, called to be saints: Grace to you and peace from God our Father and the Lord Jesus Christ" (Romans 1:7). Beloved of God. That is your title. That is your identity.

What God says about you supersedes anything anyone else has ever said about you, including what you say about yourself.

Why Does God Use People the World Overlooks?

First Corinthians 1:26-31 makes this beautifully clear. "For you see your calling, brethren, that not many wise according to the flesh, not many mighty, not many noble, are called. But God has chosen the foolish things of the world to put to shame the wise, and God has chosen the weak things of the world to put to shame the things which are mighty."

It was never about your credentials. It has always been about His grace. He chose the lowly, the overlooked, the ones the world would pass by, and He pours His blessing out on them. He raises them up and seats them with Christ in the heavenly places.

That means if you have ever felt like you were not enough, you actually qualify. His grace is the reason, not your resume.

What Keeps People from Walking in Their Destiny?

The answer is simple but serious: believing lies. When rejection, fear, and negative thoughts go unchallenged, they become the lens through which a person sees everything. They stop stepping out. They stop trying. They convince themselves that people will not accept them, that they will fail, that it is not worth it.

But when you know you are chosen, accepted, and beloved by God, you get up and keep going. You do not need the approval of every person in the room. You already have the approval of the One who created the room.

The enemy works hard to make you stumble. He schemes and plots and assigns resources to tripping you up. But when you fall and immediately get back up, repent, receive forgiveness, and keep moving, all of his effort comes to nothing. That is not weakness. That is warfare.

How Do I Receive God's Grace and Peace?

Grace is not just unmerited favor in a general sense. Grace is God's ability, God's strength, and all that He is and all that He has, freely given to you. Peace is what guards your heart and mind when you stay connected to Him. The Bible says "the peace of God, which surpasses all understanding, will guard your hearts and minds through Christ Jesus" (Philippians 4:7).

When you step out of peace, you step into problems. When you stay in peace, you stay protected. And both grace and peace are available to you right now, through the word of God and through faith.

Life Application

This week, identify one lie about your identity that you have been believing and replace it with what God says. Write it down. Say it out loud. Every time rejection, shame, or fear whispers its version of who you are, answer it directly with what Scripture says about you.

You are chosen. You are accepted. You are beloved of God. Let that become the foundation you stand on, not the opinions of others, not your past failures, and not the voice of the enemy.

Ask yourself these questions as you go into the week:

- What lie about my identity have I been accepting as truth, and what does God actually say about me?
- When I fall or fail, do I get back up quickly in faith, or do I stay down in guilt and condemnation?
- Am I using my faith as a receiver to access what God has already provided, or am I living as though His blessings are out of reach?
- Whose voice is shaping my identity most right now, and does it line up with what God says in His word?

Quotes

1. God never gives up on us, you know, so we should never give up on ourselves and we should never give up on one another.

2. God never, has never given up on us, and he never will give up on you.

3. If a righteous man falls seven times, he will rise again.

4. God's determined to bring his wonderful plans for your life to pass. He's determined.

5. He cares more about you than you care about you.

6. He went to a cross for you.

7. He wants you to make it big.

8. It wasn't too much and it wasn't too late. He wasn't too much for God, and he wasn't too late for God.

9. He's quick to forgive. He's quick to heal. He's quick to deliver, he's quick to rescue.

10. Greater is he that is in you than he that is in the world.

11. Greatness is on the inside of you. You got a great God living on the inside of you.

12. He's an ever present help in a time of Trouble. He's ready 24/7 to answer your prayer requests.

13. I'm too blessed to be cursed. That's right. No curse can cling to you and I.

14. He's blessed us with every spiritual blessing in the heavenly places in Christ Jesus.

15. Faith is what brings what's spiritual into the natural.

16. Just as he chose us in him before the foundation of the world, that we should be holy.

17. You are accepted in the beloved.

18. You didn't choose me. I chose you.

19. I am beloved of God.

20. What God says about you supersedes anything anybody else says about you, including your own opinion.

Verses

1. Ephesians 1:3

2. Ephesians 1:4

3. Ephesians 1:5

4. Ephesians 1:6

5. Proverbs 24:16
6. Matthew 3:16-17
7. Romans 1:7
8. 1 John 4:4
9. Matthew 28:19-20
10. 1 Corinthians 1:20
11. 1 Corinthians 1:26
12. 1 Corinthians 1:27
13. 1 Corinthians 1:28
14. 1 Corinthians 1:29
15. 1 Corinthians 1:30
16. 1 Corinthians 1:31

Summary

God never gives up on you, no matter how far you have wandered or how many times you have fallen. According to Ephesians 1, every believer is chosen, accepted, and destined by God before the foundation of the world. These are not just encouraging words. They are the foundation of your true identity. One of the greatest obstacles to walking in that identity is a rejection mentality, the deep-seated belief that you are unwanted, unimportant, or abandoned. But God answers every one of those lies directly. He says you are chosen, you are accepted in the Beloved, and He will never leave you nor forsake you. Faith is the key to receiving what God has already provided, and it grows through consistent exposure to His Word. When you know who you are in Christ, you no longer need the approval of every person in the room because you already have the approval of the One who created it.