

He Took My Place – Study Guide

1. Summary & Objective

The lesson teaches that Jesus did not only die for us, but as us, taking our place in death so we can take our place in life through Him. The objective is to help believers understand their identity in Christ and live in the victory, authority, and righteousness given through the cross.

2. Key Scriptures

- Galatians 2:20
- 2 Corinthians 5:21
- Genesis 3:21
- 1 Peter 2:24
- Colossians 2:14-15
- Hebrews 10:12
- 1 John 4:17
- Hebrews 4:16
- John 14:12
- Luke 10:19

3. Key Points & Discussion

Covered, Not Patched (Genesis 3:21)

God does not improve the old nature; He provides covering through sacrifice, pointing to Christ.

- What did God do for Adam and Eve instead of accepting their attempt to cover themselves?
- How does understanding God's covering change how you view your identity?

My Sin, His Cross (1 Peter 2:24)

Jesus carried and dealt fully with sin so we could live in righteousness.

- What does this verse say Jesus did with our sins?
- What does it mean to live unto righteousness today?

Nailed Means Over (Colossians 2:14-15)

Everything against us was nailed to the cross and no longer has authority.

- What was nailed to the cross according to this passage?
- What are you still holding onto that Jesus already defeated?

The Blood Worked (Hebrews 10:12)

Jesus' finished work is complete; nothing needs to be added.

- Why did Jesus sit down after His sacrifice?
- How does this truth affect your confidence in salvation?

Now Stand in Him (1 John 4:17)

Believers are called to live now in Christ's identity and authority.

- According to this verse, how are we like Christ in this world?
- What would it look like for you to stand in Christ daily?

4. Full Scripture References (KJV)

Galatians 2:20

I am crucified with Christ: nevertheless I live; yet not I, but Christ liveth in me: and the life which I now live in the flesh I live by the faith of the Son of God, who loved me, and gave himself for me.

2 Corinthians 5:21

For he hath made him to be sin for us, who knew no sin; that we might be made the righteousness of God in him.

Genesis 3:21

Unto Adam also and to his wife did the LORD God make coats of skins, and clothed them.

1 Peter 2:24

Who his own self bare our sins in his own body on the tree, that we, being dead to sins, should live unto righteousness: by whose stripes ye were healed.

Colossians 2:14-15

Blotting out the handwriting of ordinances that was against us... nailing it to his cross; And having spoiled principalities and powers, he made a shew of them openly, triumphing over them in it.

Hebrews 10:12

But this man, after he had offered one sacrifice for sins for ever, sat down on the right hand of God;

1 John 4:17

...because as he is, so are we in this world.

Hebrews 4:16

Let us therefore come boldly unto the throne of grace...

John 14:12

...He that believeth on me, the works that I do shall he do also...

Luke 10:19

Behold, I give unto you power... over all the power of the enemy...