



5 FACTORS THAT INFLUENCE MY IDENTITY

1. MY CHEMISTRY

"No flaw is sinful or shameful"

A. CHOOSE TO GET HEALTHIER

"You made my body, Lord; now give me sense to heed your laws." Psalm 119:73

"The pain is in my brain"

2. MY CONNECTIONS: RELATIONSHIPS

B. CHOOSE TO DEEPEN RELATIONSHIPS

"Let love be your highest goal." 1 Corinthians 14:1

"I pray that Christ will live in your hearts by faith and that your life will be strong in love and be built on love." Ephesians 3:17

"There is no fear in love. But perfect love drives out fear." 1 John 4::18

The fear of rejection prevents connection

The fear is always worse than the reality

Awkward won't kill me



3. MY CIRCUMSTANCES

C. CHOOSE TO TRUST GOD

God knows us far better than we know ourselves...

"I will praise the Lord no matter what happens." Psalm 34:1

I'm a product of my past, but I am not a prisoner of it. And I can be different.

4. MY CONSCIOUSNESS

Feelings aren't facts

D. CHOOSE WHAT I THINK ABOUT

"Don't copy the behavior and customs of this world, but let God transform you into a new person by changing the way you think."

Romans 12:2

change your brain, change your life.

5. MY CHOICES "The wild card!"

E. CHOOSE JESUS AS YOUR SAVIOR

"When someone becomes a Christian, he becomes a brand new person inside. He is not the same anymore. A new life has begun!"

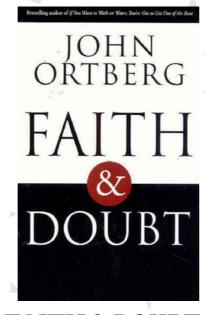
2 Corinthians 5:17



Week 2: Self Doubt

ADDITIONAL RESOURCES

Book Recommendation Music Recommendation



FAITH & DOUBT by John Ortberg



TRANSPERENCY by Terrance McCoy

Film Recommendation



ON THE WATERFRONT