

Firm Foundation: It's In Your DNA

1 John 3:1-10
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Who are you?

“If our identity is in our work, rather than Christ, success will go to our heads and failure will go to our hearts.”

- Tim Keller

Our identity in Christ is what defines us in the deepest way!

- 2 Corinthians 5:17

Daughter of God is in your DNA!
Son of God is in your DNA!

- 1 John 3:1-10

According to John, who are we?

1. We Have a Miracle-Filled Identity

- 1 John 3:1

God's grace towards us is the greatest miracle we could ever experience!

- Ephesians 2:1;4-5

Grace: God doing FOR us what we could never do for ourselves

2. We have a Hope-Filled Identity

- 1 John 3:2-3
- Philippians 1:6

Defiant Hope: Saying 'NO' to cultural trends and 'YES' to building our lives on Christ!

3. We have an Identity-Filled Purpose

- 1 John 3:4-10
- 1 Timothy 1:15
- Romans 6:1-2

Challenge FOR Every Alaskan:

- 1. Every morning this week, wake up, smile, and say (out loud) 'I am a child of God'**
- 2. Accept the invitation to the family**