

Sunday, November 1, 2020

**Sermon Series:
Our True Identity: The Book of
Ephesians**

**Sermon Title: "Recalling the Sad So
We Can Celebrate the Glad"**

Text: Ephesians 2:1-10

Pastor Perry Kallis

BIG IDEA: Paul wants believers to remember what God has saved us from so that we will grow in spiritual health to joyfully remember what we are saved for.

What should I remember about the "before" of my salvation? (Ephesians 2:1-3)

- 1) Remember that spiritually dead means unresponsive.
- 2) Remember that spiritually dead means falling short.
(Romans 3:23 & Romans 1:21)

What should I recall about the "after" of my salvation? (Ephesians 2: 4-10)

- 1) I should never forget that I was made alive.
- 2) I should never forget that I was raised up.
- 3) I should never forget that I was designed to point to God.

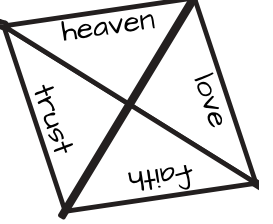
Sometimes the "chipping workmanship" of God in my life can feel painful, but it is always eternally purposeful.

Personal Application – Study Questions:

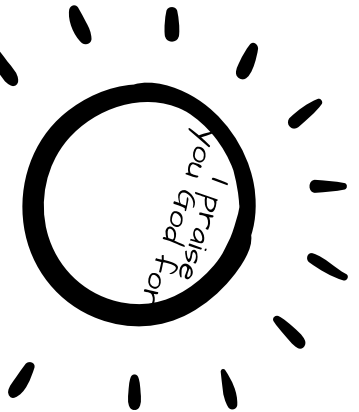
- How can the reminder of my past helplessness motivate me each day this next week to begin the day with worship?
- How does my current status as "one of the King's kids" help motivate me to live with joy in my daily life?
- What do you think Francis Chan means when he says, "Something is wrong if your life as a believer makes sense to unbelievers?"
- Name some ways that a current "chipping pain" in your life could be used by God to bring Him glory and give you eternal perspective.

SERMON NOTES FROM HOME

How many times did you hear these words:



One of today's worship songs:



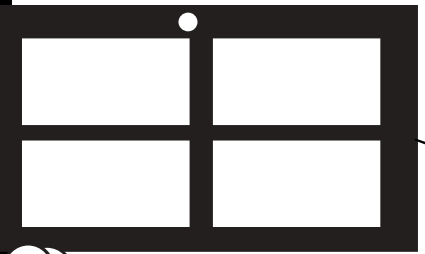
What room are you in?
 What are you sitting on?
 What do you like about worship at home?

Who is worshipping with you?

Draw you:

Pjs or dress clothes or comfy clothes??
 Are you snuggling with a blanket or a pet?

What does God want you to do?



Decorate your door:

Something you want to ask God:

3 things you learned from today's message that will grow you closer to God!

Who do you miss?
 name

Today's Bible passage:
 book: chapter : verse

People you are praying for: 1

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