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The Church = God's People in Christ

Welcome

Thank you for downloading this Free Guide.

When many people hear the word **Church**, they immediately think of a building.

But the Church is much more than a place we go.

The Church is God's people.

People transformed by Christ.

People growing in Christ.

People helping others know Christ.

This guide introduces some of the key truths found in *God's Way to the Church*.

Through three of Paul's letters — **Ephesians, Philippians, and Colossians** — we discover three questions every believer must answer:

Ephesians: Who am I in Christ?

Philippians: How should I live in Christ?

Colossians: Why is Christ enough?

And all three questions lead us to the same Person:

Jesus Christ.

Ephesians = Who Am I in Christ?

Before Paul tells believers what they should **do**, he reminds them who they already **are**.

Through Christ, you are:

- Chosen
- Adopted
- Redeemed
- Forgiven
- Loved
- Included
- Sealed by the Holy Spirit

Your identity is not found in your past.

Your identity is not found in your failures.

Your identity is not found in your achievements.

Your identity is found in Christ.

Ephesians teaches us that the Christian life does not begin with what we do for God.

It begins with understanding **what God has already done for us.**

Ephesians teaches:

Know who you are.

Remember how you got here.

Understand why you are here.

Walk worthy of your calling.

Stand firm in the Lord.

You are in Christ — **and that changes everything.**

Philippians = How Should I Live in Christ?

Once we understand who we are in Christ, another question naturally follows:

How should I live?

Philippians shows us the daily walk of the believer.

Paul writes about:

- Purpose
- Humility
- Joy
- Perseverance
- Contentment
- Peace
- Trust
- Knowing Christ more deeply

At the heart of Philippians is Paul's simple desire:

“That I may know Him.”

— Philippians 3:10

The Christian life is not simply knowing **about** Jesus.

It is knowing Him.

Following Him.

Trusting Him.

Becoming more like Him.

Philippians teaches:

Christ is our Purpose.

Christ is our Example.

Christ is our Pursuit.

Christ is our Peace.

Ephesians teaches us **who we are**.

Philippians teaches us **how to live**.

Colossians = Why Is Christ Enough?

Then Paul brings us to one more important question:

Why is Christ enough?

The believers in Colossae were surrounded by teachings that attempted to add human wisdom, religious traditions, rules, and philosophies to Christ.

Paul continually brings them back to one answer:

Christ is enough.

Colossians reveals Jesus Christ as:

- Supreme over all creation
- Sufficient for salvation
- The One who transforms every area of life

- The One who works through His people

Jesus is Creator.

Jesus is Sustainer.

Jesus is Redeemer.

Jesus is Head of the Church.

Colossians teaches:

Christ is Supreme.

Nothing stands above Him.

Christ is Sufficient.

Nothing needs to be added to Him.

Christ Changes Everything.

He transforms our hearts, minds, relationships, and priorities.

Christ Works Through His People.

A transformed believer becomes a vessel for God's work.

Three Letters — One Journey

Put these three letters together and a beautiful progression appears:

EPHESIANS

Who am I in Christ?

Identity.

Grace.

Purpose.

Transformation.

You are who God says you are.

PHILIPPIANS

How should I live in Christ?

Humility.

Pursuit.

Peace.

Joy.

Live worthy of the calling you have received.

COLOSSIANS

Why is Christ enough?

Supremacy.

Sufficiency.

Transformation.

Service.

Everything necessary is found in Him.

Together they reveal one unchanging truth:

Christ is Supreme.

Christ is Sufficient.

Christ Changes Everything.

The Church in Action

The Church is not simply something we attend.

It is something we are part of.

Where believers gather in the Name of Jesus, love one another, encourage one another, forgive one another, serve one another, and glorify Christ, the Church is present.

As followers of Christ, we are called to:

- **BELONG** — You were created to be connected.
- **GROW** — Be strengthened through God's Word.
- **SERVE** — Use your gifts to make an impact.
- **WORSHIP** — Give glory to God together.

The goal is not merely to understand Scripture.

The goal is not merely to understand the Church.

The goal is to know Christ more deeply.

Reflection Questions

1. Is my identity rooted in what the world says about me or in what God says about me?
2. What does being "in Christ" mean in my daily life?
3. Does the way I live reflect the humility, joy, peace, and purpose Paul describes in Philippians?
4. Am I looking somewhere other than Christ for something only He can provide?
5. Am I actively connected to other believers?
6. How am I using what God has given me to encourage or serve others?
7. What would change in my life if I truly believed that Christ is enough?

About Not1Point

Not1Point was created to help people grow closer to God through Faith, Prayer, Forgiveness, Obedience, His Word, and a deeper relationship with Jesus Christ.

The name comes from a simple truth learned through competition:

The enemy only wins when we surrender the point.

Through Jesus Christ, we have been given victory.

When we stumble, God's grace restores us.

When we repent, God forgives us.

When we walk together in Christ, we encourage one another to keep moving forward.

Because of Jesus Christ, **the enemy never gets to keep the point.**

Ready For The Next Step?

If this Free Guide encouraged you, I invite you to continue the journey with the complete book:

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Inside you will walk through **Ephesians, Philippians, and Colossians** and discover:

- Who you are in Christ
- How grace establishes your identity
- God's purpose for His Church
- How believers grow together in unity and maturity
- How to live with purpose, humility, joy, and peace

- Why Jesus Christ is supreme and sufficient
- How Christ transforms everyday life
- How God works through His people

The full book was specifically designed to help believers understand God's purpose for the Church and their place within it.

Available on Amazon in **Paperback, and Hardcover** formats.

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