The Language of Identity
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Scriptures:

- Genesis 1:26, 27
- Matthew 3:2
- Matthew 3:2, *AMPC*
- Matthew 3:2, *NLT*
- Matthew 4:17
- Matthew 4:17, *AMPC*
- Titus 2:11
- Ephesians 5:14
- Ephesians 5:14, *Mirror*
- Romans 13:11
- Romans 13:11, *Mirror*
- 1 Thessalonians 5:10
- 1 Thessalonians 5:10, *Mirror*
- 1 Corinthians 15:34
- 1 Corinthians 15:34, *Mirror*
- 1 Corinthians 1:2
- 1 Corinthians 6:9-11
- 2 Corinthians 5:21
- 2 Corinthians 5:21, *Mirror*

Summary:
God is calling us to live from the identity He breathed into us, not the confusion the world tries to place on us. Jesus urges us to rethink everything and wake up to who we truly are, because the kingdom of God shows up in our lives when we finally think the way He thinks. Although sin once put humanity to sleep, grace shakes us awake so that we can walk in righteousness, peace, and joy. We speak the language of our true identity, because our words either reinforce who God made us or keep us trapped in who we used to be. It's essential to remind ourselves daily that we're God's redeemed children, carrying His nature and His spark within us. We boldly acknowledge that we're saints – not sinners – because Jesus exchanged His righteousness for our brokenness and changed our identity forever. When we stand firm in this truth and declare who we are in Christ, every part of our lives has to line up with what heaven already says about us.

Notes:

1. Believers are born of God and righteous in His eyes. Our language should reflect our identity.
2. During His ministry when Jesus told the people to repent, He didn't mean for them to be sorry, but to change the way they thought.
3. We mustn't forget who we are in Christ. We're God's children who have been redeemed.
4. Whether we're awake to our identity, or asleep and still don't know who we are, it's God's will that we live with Him.
5. Our identity has changed. We've received new natures and are therefore saints, not sinners.

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