



The Incomparable Christ

Pt. 1: My Standing In Christ

By Louie Marsh, 1-11-2026

1) Who & what _____

¹*Paul, an apostle of Christ Jesus by the will of God, To the saints who are **IN EPHESUS**, and are faithful **IN CHRIST JESUS**: ²Grace to you and peace from God our Father and the Lord Jesus Christ.*

The Father - The Past	The Son – the Present	The Spirit – The Future
Created	Loved	Sealed
Predestined	Redeemed	Guaranteed
Blessed	Blessed	Blessed

2) I am _____ beyond measure.

³*Blessed be the God and Father of our Lord Jesus Christ, who has blessed us **IN CHRIST** with every spiritual blessing **IN THE HEAVENLY PLACES**, ⁶**to the praise of his glorious grace**, with which he has blessed us **in the Beloved**. (Ephesians 1:3-6, ESV)*

¹⁹*We love because he first loved us.” (1 John 4:19, ESV)*

3) God the Father _____ me before He created the universe.

⁴*even as he chose us **IN HIM** before the foundation of the world, that we should be holy and blameless before him. **IN LOVE** ⁵he predestined us for adoption to himself as sons through Jesus Christ, according to the purpose of his will, Ephesians 1:4-5 (ESV)*

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4) To prove that _____ is superior to Satan’s or the world’s way.

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5) Forgiveness is found _____ in Christ.

⁷**IN HIM** we have redemption through his blood, the forgiveness of our trespasses, according to the riches of his grace, ⁸which he lavished upon us, **IN ALL WISDOM AND INSIGHT** ⁹making known to us the mystery of his will, according to his purpose, which he set forth **IN CHRIST** ¹⁰as a plan for the fullness of time, to unite all things **IN HIM**, things in heaven and things on earth. (Ephesians 1:7–10, ESV)

6) I am _____ in Christ by the Holy Spirit.

¹¹*In him* we have obtained an inheritance, having been predestined according to the purpose of him who works all things according to the counsel of his will, ¹²so that we who were the first to hope **IN CHRIST** might be **to the praise of his glory**. ¹³**IN HIM** you also, when you heard the word of truth, the gospel of your salvation, and believed **IN HIM**, were sealed with the promised Holy Spirit, ¹⁴who is the guarantee of our inheritance until we acquire possession of it, **to the praise of his glory**.” (Ephesians 1:11–14, ESV)



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