



Sarai: targeted for self-doubt 008.Identity Theft

Challenge from the podcast:

Create an ID Badge of your own, considering the four steps to recognize

For by grace you have been saved through faith. And this is not your own doing; it is the gift of God, not a result of works, so that no one may boast. For we are his workmanship, created in Christ Jesus for good works, which God prepared beforehand, that we should walk in them.

Ephesians 2:8-10 ESV

Below is your new ID Badge, Warrior! Because you are One-Spirit with Jesus... in Christ. And He longs for us to KNOW that we are so much more than what this world tells us. As citizens of the Kingdom of God, let us walk through these steps of awareness. Write one "I am..." or "I will..." statement on each line, claiming your focus for this week so as not to lose your identity. (example below)



Last,	First,	MI	Occupation
			Good Worker on Purposed Plan
REALIZE:			
RECOGNIZE:			
RECEIVE:			
RELY:			

example

REALIZE: *I will trust God to provide all my needs as I wait for a new job.*

REALIZE: God is an excellent provider and not all circumstances are attacks from the enemy. Sometimes God has us in a place of waiting to test our reliance on Him; to stretch our faith and see that we will trust Him. Let us realize who we are in Christ and use our faith in Him.

RECOGNIZE: We have an enemy that would like to steal our identity and keep us from knowing the promises of God. Let us stay focused so that we are not distracted from the purpose which God planned for us beforehand.

RECEIVE: The whole armor of God is given to us for protection. We must make a habit of putting it on daily, letting it sink in. Let us set our mind on this first thing in the morning so that we don't walk around naked and exposed to the schemes of the devil.

RELY UPON: God knows each of our needs before we ask. Let us trust Him before trying to reason our way out of our circumstances. God is able to provide above and beyond all we can ask or imagine.



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KNOW that you are
One Spirit with God...
In Christ, you inherit all
the promises the Bible
has to offer



Sarai was one of only two women honored in Hebrews 11, "Hall of Faith." Over time, She clearly learned how to suit up; lifting her shield of faith and learning how to put on her helmet of salvation, to protect her identity.

SHIELD of FAITH:

I will hold up my shield to extinguish the flaming arrows which seek to distract, protecting myself, and linking up with other warriors, joining forces to defend and defeat those who threaten the Kingdom.



HELMET of SALVATION: This salvation is not limited to my destiny after death, but is essential to protect my daily thought life, knowing who I am, Who I belong to, and where I am going. This gives me significance and purpose and keeps me captive to higher thinking.



Promises of God:

These have been re-written in first person, that you may claim them for yourself!

I have been given a spirit of power, love, and self-discipline, and I will not fear. (2 Timothy 1:7)

He will never leave me nor will He forsake me. (Hebrews 13:5)

There is no weapon formed against me that can prosper, and every tongue that rises up against me in judgment shall be condemned. (Isaiah 54:17)

The One who is in me is greater than he that is in the world. (1 John 4:4)

As an obedient daughter of the Lord, I receive the prosperous abundant blessings that He bestows on me. (Deuteronomy 30:8-9)

The Lord guards my going out and my coming in, today and forever. (Psalm 121:8)

My steps have been ordained and ordered by the Lord. (Psalm 37:23)

I will proclaim His unfailing love in the morning, and His faithfulness in the evening. (Psalm 92:2)

You have a purpose, Warrior!

If the enemy of God didn't see you as a threat, he wouldn't even mess with you. But our God is so much bigger, and has so much more power and all the authority. Instead of walking in fear of what the enemy might have to trip you up, call upon the resources of our mighty God. Suit up in that armor you were given and daily and claim the promises which are yours now and forever.

You are a Warrior... a daughter of the Most High King. Stand firm and know that He's got your back, He's by your side, and He's never more than a prayer away. The battle is already won and we are on the right side!