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Ephesians: Part 4

Knowing Jesus as our Savior must change who we are and how we live. Our new identity “in Christ” should _____ every area of our lives.

The first three chapters of Ephesians deal with God’s work on our behalf, while the last three chapters reveal our responsibility in walking with Christ.

Ephesians 4:1–32

As Christ-followers we have been rescued, redeemed and blessed with every spiritual blessing in Christ. Therefore, we are responsible to live a life worthy of our calling that will...

1. Cultivate healthy _____.
(Ephesians 4:2)
 - Paul gives us four qualities necessary to build healthy relationships.
 - _____—serve others and place their needs before your own.
 - Gentleness—be kind and easy to get along with.
 - _____—be slow to anger and give grace to others.
 - Love—give to others and live to be a blessing.

2. Pursue _____. (Ephesians 4:3–4)
 - In our diversity we are charged to work towards a unity that values every individual.
3. Choose _____. (Ephesians 4:17–19)
 - The Apostle Paul challenges us to not live as the ungodly Gentiles, but to honor God with our lives.
 - Characteristics of the godly...
 - We set our hearts to _____ God.
 - We desire to do what is _____ and God honoring.
 - We are disciplined and _____.
4. Embraces _____.
(Ephesians 4:20–24)
 - The process of transformation is putting off wrong attitudes and actions, _____ the mind, and putting on right attitudes and actions.

Beyond professing Jesus as our Savior, we are called to follow Jesus. His life in us must change who we are and how we live.

Answers: impact; relationships; Humility; Patience; unity; godliness; seek; right; self-controlled; transformation; renewing

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