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SCRIPTURES ABOUT OUR UNION WITH CHRIST

1. LIGHT & LIFE

In him was life, and the life was the light of men. John 1:4

2. ETERNAL LIFE

that whoever believes in him may have eternal life. John 3:15

3. ETERNAL LIFE

"For God so loved the world, that he gave his only Son, that whoever believes in him should not perish but have eternal life. John 3:16

4. SAVED THROUGH HIM

For God did not send his Son into the world to condemn the world, but in order that the world might be saved through him. John 3:17

5. ABIDE IN HIM, BEAR FRUIT

Abide in me, and I in you. As the branch cannot bear fruit by itself, unless it abides in the vine, neither can you, unless you abide in me. John 15:4

6. BEAR FRUIT, APART FROM HIM WE CAN DO NOTHING

I am the vine; you are the branches. Whoever abides in me and I in him, he it is that bears much fruit, for apart from me you can do nothing. John 15:5

7. LIVE, MOVE, HAVE OUR BEING

"In him we live and move and have our being'; as even some of your own poets have said, "For we are indeed his offspring. Acts 17:28

8. WE HAVE RECEIVED GRACE AND APOSTLESHIP

through whom we have received grace and apostleship to bring about the obedience of faith for the sake of his name among all the nations, Romans 1:5

9. JUSTIFIED AND REDEEMED IN HIM

and are justified by his grace as a gift, through the redemption that is in Christ Jesus, Romans 3:24

10. OBTAINED ACCESS

Through him we have also obtained access by faith into this grace in which we stand, and we rejoice in hope of the glory of God. Romans 5:2

II. ALIVE IN HIM

What shall we say then? Are we to continue in sin that grace may abound? 2 By no means! How can we who died to sin still live in it? 3 Do you not know that all of us who have been baptized into Christ Jesus were baptized into his death? 4 We were buried therefore with him by baptism into death, in order that, just as Christ was raised from the dead by the glory of the Father, we too might walk in newness of life. 5 For if we have been united with him in a death like his, we shall certainly be united with him in a resurrection like his. 6 We know that our old self was crucified with him in order that the body of sin might be brought to nothing, so that we would no longer be enslaved to sin. 7 For one who has died has been set free from sin. 8 Now if we have died with Christ, we believe that we will also live with him. 9 We know that Christ, being raised from the dead, will never die again; death no longer has dominion over him. 10 For the death he died he died to sin, once for all, but the life he lives he lives to God. 11 So you also must consider yourselves dead to sin and alive to God in Christ Jesus. Romans 6:1-11

12. FREE GIFT OF ETERNAL LIFE

For the wages of sin is death, but the free gift of God is eternal life in Christ Jesus our Lord. Roman 6:23

13. DIED TO THE LAW

Likewise, my brothers, you also have died to the law through the body of Christ, so that you may belong to another, to him who has been raised from the dead, in order that we may bear fruit for God. Romans 7:4

14. NO CONDEMNATION

There is therefore now no condemnation for those who are in Christ Jesus. Romans 8:1

15. SET FREE

For the law of the Spirit of life has set you free in Christ Jesus from the law of sin and death. Romans 8:2

16. If we are in Christ we have the Spirit

in you. Anyone who does not have the Spirit of Christ does not belong to him. 10 But if Christ is in you, although the body is dead because of sin, the Spirit is life because of righteousness. 11 If the Spirit of him who raised Jesus from the dead dwells in you, he who raised Christ Jesus[d] from the dead will also give life to your mortal bodies through his Spirit who dwells in you. Romans 8:9-11

You, however, are not in the flesh but in the Spirit, if in fact the Spirit of God dwells

18. HEIRS WITH CHRIST

and if children, then heirs—heirs of God and fellow heirs with Christ, provided we suffer with him in order that we may also be glorified with him. Romans 8:17

19. DIED TO THE LAW, BEAR FRUIT

Likewise, my brothers, you also have died to the law through the body of Christ, so that you may belong to another, to him who has been raised from the dead, in order that we may bear fruit for God. Romans 8:37

20. CANNOT BE SEPARATED FROM HIM

For I am sure that neither death nor life, nor angels nor rulers, nor things present nor things to come, nor powers, 39 nor height nor depth, nor anything else in all creation, will be able to separate us from the love of God in Christ Jesus our Lord. Romans 8:38-39

21. PART OF A BODY

so we, though many, are one body in Christ, and individually members one of another. Romans 12:5

22. PRIDE IN WORK

In Christ Jesus, then, I have reason to be proud of my work for God. Romans 15:17

23. FELLOW WORKERS IN CHRIST

Greet Prisca and Aquila, my fellow workers in Christ Jesus, Romans 16:3

24. APPROVED IN CHRIST

Greet Apelles, who is approved in Christ. Greet those who belong to the family of Aristobulus. Romans 16:10

25. WORK HARD IN THE LORD

Greet those workers in the Lord, Tryphaena and Tryphosa. Greet the beloved Persis, who has worked hard in the Lord. Romans 16:12

26. SANCTIFIED, CALLED SAINTS

To the church of God that is in Corinth, to those sanctified in Christ Jesus, called to be saints together with all those who in every place call upon the name of our Lord Jesus Christ, both their Lord and ours: 1 Corinthians 1:2

27. GRACE GIVEN TO US

I give thanks to my God always for you because of the grace of God that was given you in Christ Jesus, 1 Corinthians 1:4

28. ENRICHED IN HIM WITH SPEECH AND KNOWLEDGE

that in every way you were enriched in him in all speech and all knowledge—1 Corinthians 1:5

29. WISDOM, RIGHTEOUSNESS, SANCTIFICATION, AND REDEMPTION

And because of him you are in Christ Jesus, who became to us wisdom from God, righteousness and sanctification and redemption, 1 Corinthians 1:30

30. FAITHFUL CHILDREN IN THE LORD

That is why I sent you Timothy, my beloved and faithful child in the Lord, to remind you of my ways in Christ, as I teach them everywhere in every church. 1 Corinthians 4:17

31. ONE SPIRIT WITH THE LORD

But he who is joined to the Lord becomes one spirit with him. 1 Corinthians 6:17

32. MARRIED TO BELIEVERS IN THE LORD

A wife is bound to her husband as long as he lives. But if her husband dies, she is free to be married to whom she wishes, only in the Lord. 1 Corinthians 7:39

33. MEMBERS OF THE BODY OF CHRIST

Now you are the body of Christ and individually members of it. 1 Corinthians 12:27

34. ALIVE IN CHRIST

For as in Adam all die, so also in Christ shall all be made alive. 1 Corinthians 15:22

35. PRIDE IN OUR BROTHERS

I protest, brothers, by my pride in you, which I have in Christ Jesus our Lord, I die every day! 1 Corinthians 15:31

36. GIVES US VICTORY

But thanks be to God, who gives us the victory through our Lord Jesus Christ. 1 Corinthians 15:57

37. OUR LABORS IN THE LORD ARE NOT IN VAIN

Therefore, my beloved brothers, be steadfast, immovable, always abounding in the work of the Lord, knowing that in the Lord your labor is not in vain. 1 Corinthians 15:58

38. ALL HIS PROMISES ARE YES AND AMEN

For all the promises of God find their Yes in him. That is why it is through him that we utter our Amen to God for his glory. 2 Corinthians 1:20

39. ESTABLISHES AND ANOINTS US

And it is God who establishes us with you in Christ, and has anointed us, 2 Corinthians 1:21

40. LEADS US IN TRIUMPH, SPREAD THE FRAGRANCE OF CHRIST

But thanks be to God, who in Christ always leads us in triumphal procession, and through us spreads the fragrance of the knowledge of him everywhere. 2 Corinthians 2:14

41. NEW CREATION

Therefore, if anyone is in Christ, he is a new creation. The old has passed away; behold, the new has come. 2 Corinthians 5:17

42. RECONCILED TO HIM, GIVEN THE MINISTRY OF RECONCILIATION

All this is from God, who through Christ reconciled us to himself and gave us the ministry of reconciliation; 2 Corinthians 5:18

43. WE ARE THE RIGHTEOUSNESS OF GOD

For our sake he made him to be sin who knew no sin, so that in him we might become the righteousness of God. 2 Corinthians 5:21

44. PAUL'S IDENTITY WAS "IN CHRIST"

I know a man in Christ who fourteen years ago was caught up to the third heaven—whether in the body or out of the body I do not know, God knows. 2 Corinthians 12:2

45. FREEDOM IN CHRIST JESUS

Yet because of false brothers secretly brought in—who slipped in to spy out our freedom that we have in Christ Jesus, so that they might bring us into slavery—Galatians 2:4

46. JUSTIFIED BY FAITH

yet we know that a person is not justified by works of the law but through faith in Jesus Christ, so we also have believed in Christ Jesus, in order to be justified by faith in Christ and not by works of the law, because by works of the law no one will be justified. Galatians 2:16

CRUCIFIED WITH CHRIST, HE LIVES IN ME, I LIVE BY FAITH

I have been crucified with Christ. It is no longer I who live, but Christ who lives in me. And the life I now live in the flesh I live by faith in the Son of God, who loved me and gave himself for me. Galatians 2:20

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48. WE ARE SONS OF GOD

for in Christ Jesus you are all sons of God, through faith. Galatians 3:26

49. PUT ON CHRIST

For as many of you as were baptized into Christ have put on Christ. Galatians 3:27

50. NO MORE DIVISION, WE ARE ONE IN CHRIST

There is neither Jew nor Greek, there is neither slave nor free, there is no male and female, for you are all one in Christ Jesus. Galatians 3:28

51. SONS AND HEIRS

So you are no longer a slave, but a son, and if a son, then an heir through God. Galatians 4:7

52. OUTWARD CEREMONY NO LONGER MATTERS

For in Christ Jesus neither circumcision nor uncircumcision counts for anything, but only faith working through love. Galatians 5:6

53. FAITHFUL IN HIM

Paul, an apostle of Christ Jesus by the will of God, To the saints who are in Ephesus, and are faithful in Christ Jesus: Ephesians 1:1

54. BLESSED WITH EVERY SPIRITUAL BLESSING

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, Ephesians 1:3

55. REDEEMED AND FORGIVEN

In him we have redemption through his blood, the forgiveness of our trespasses, according to the riches of his grace, Ephesians 1:7

56. HIS WILL NO LONGER A MYSTERY

making known to us the mystery of his will, according to his purpose, which he set forth in Christ Ephesians 1:9

57. OBTAINED AN INHERITANCE, PREDESTINED

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, Ephesians 1:11

58. GOD GLORIFIED IN US

so that we who were the first to hope in Christ might be to the praise of his glory. Ephesians 1:12

59. SEALED WITH THE SPIRIT

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, Ephesians 1:13

60. RAISED AND SEATED WITH HIM

and raised us up with him and seated us with him in the heavenly places in Christ Jesus, Ephesians 2:6

61. ENDLESS AND LIMITLESS GRACE

so that in the coming ages he might show the immeasurable riches of his grace in kindness toward us in Christ Jesus. Ephesians 2:7

62. HIS MASTERPIECE, CREATED FOR GOOD WORKS

For we are his workmanship, created in Christ Jesus for good works, which God prepared beforehand, that we should walk in them. Ephesians 2:10

63. BROUGHT NEAR

But now in Christ Jesus you who once were far off have been brought near by the blood of Christ. Ephesians 2:13

WE ARE PART OF A GROWING TEMPLE, JESUS IS THE CORNERSTONE

built on the foundation of the apostles and prophets, Christ Jesus himself being the cornerstone, in whom the whole structure, being joined together, grows into a holy temple in the Lord. Ephesians 2:20-21

65. BEING BUILT TOGETHER, THE SPIRIT DWELLS IN US

In him you also are being built together into a dwelling place for God by the Spirit. Ephesians 2:22

66. PARTAKERS OF THE PROMISE

This mystery is that the Gentiles are fellow heirs, members of the same body, and partakers of the promise in Christ Jesus through the gospel. Ephesians 3:6

67. THE CHURCH GIVES HIM GLORY FOREVER

to him be glory in the church and in Christ Jesus throughout all generations, forever and ever. Amen. Ephesians 3:21

68. FORGIVEN AND SO WE FORGIVE

Be kind to one another, tenderhearted, forgiving one another, as God in Christ forgave you. Ephesians 4:32

69. MARRIAGE IS A PICTURE OF OUR UNION WITH CHRIST, ONE FLESH

For no one ever hated his own flesh, but nourishes and cherishes it, just as Christ does the church, 30 because we are members of his body. 31 "Therefore a man shall leave his father and mother and hold fast to his wife, and the two shall become one flesh." 32 This mystery is profound, and I am saying that it refers to Christ and the church Ephesians 5:29-32

70. OBEDIENCE TO PARENTS IS OBEDIENCE TO THE LORD

Children, obey your parents in the Lord, for this is right. Ephesians 6:1

71. STRENGTH IS FOUND IN THE LORD

Finally, be strong in the Lord and in the strength of his might. Ephesians 6:10

72. CONFIDENCE IN HIM LEADS TO BOLDNESS TO SPEAK WITHOUT FEAR

And most of the brothers, having become confident in the Lord by my imprisonment, are much more bold to speak the word without fear. Philippians 1:14

73. ENCOURAGEMENT COMES FROM CHRIST

So if there is any encouragement in Christ, any comfort from love, any participation in the Spirit, any affection and sympathy, Philippians 2:1

74. WE CAN HAVE THE SAME MIND AS JESUS CHRIST

Have this mind among yourselves, which is yours in Christ Jesus, Philippians 2:5

75. OUR HOPE COMES FROM HIM

I hope in the Lord Jesus to send Timothy to you soon, so that I too may be cheered by news of you. Philippians 2:19

76. REJOICE IN THE LORD

Finally, my brothers, rejoice in the Lord. To write the same things to you is no trouble to me and is safe for you. Philippians 3:1

WE WORSHIP BY THE SPIRIT, GLORY IN JESUS, NO CONFIDENCE IN OUR FLESH

For we are the circumcision, who worship by the Spirit of God and glory in Christ Jesus and put no confidence in the flesh. Philippians 3:3

78. FOUND IN HIM, RIGHTEOUS THROUGH FAITH IN CHRIST

and be found in him, not having a righteousness of my own that comes from the law, but that which comes through faith in Christ, the righteousness from God that depends on faith —Philippians 3:9

79. WE CAN KNOW HIM, RESURRECTION POWER, SHARE IN HIS SUFFERINGS

that I may know him and the power of his resurrection, and may share his sufferings, becoming like him in his death, Philippians 3:10

80. Press on for the prize that's ours in Jesus

I press on toward the goal for the prize of the upward call of God in Christ Jesus. Philippians 3:14

81. WE CAN GET ALONG WITH OTHERS

I entreat Euodia and I entreat Syntyche to agree in the Lord. Philippians 4:2

82. REJOICE IN HIM

Rejoice in the Lord always; again I will say, rejoice. Philippians 4:4

83. PEACE OF GOD WILL GUARD US

And the peace of God, which surpasses all understanding, will guard your hearts and your minds in Christ Jesus. Philippians 4:7

84. REJOICE WHEN GOD PROVIDES

I rejoiced in the Lord greatly that now at length you have revived your concern for me. You were indeed concerned for me, but you had no opportunity. Philippians 4:10

85. WE CAN DO ALL THINGS THROUGH HIM

I can do all things through him who strengthens me. Philippians 4:13

86. HE SUPPLIES ALL OUR NEEDS OUT OF HIS RICHES

And my God will supply every need of yours according to his riches in glory in Christ Jesus. Philippians 4:19

87. WE CAN GIVE A WARM WELCOME TO OUR BROTHERS AND SISTERS

Greet every saint in Christ Jesus. The brothers who are with me greet you. Philippians 4:21

88. HE HOLDS ALL THINGS TOGETHER

And he is before all things, and in him all things hold together. Colossians 1:17

89. CHRIST IS IN YOU

To them God chose to make known how great among the Gentiles are the riches of the glory of this mystery, which is Christ in you, the hope of glory. Colossians 1:27

90. WE MATURE IN HIM

Him we proclaim, warning everyone and teaching everyone with all wisdom, that we may present everyone mature in Christ. Colossians 1:28

91. OUR FAITH IS FIRM IN CHRIST

For though I am absent in body, yet I am with you in spirit, rejoicing to see your good order and the firmness of your faith in Christ. Colossians 2:5

92. WALK IN HIM

Therefore, as you received Christ Jesus the Lord, so walk in him, Colossians 2:6

rooted and built up in him and established in the faith, just as you were taught, abounding in thanksgiving. Colossians 2:7

94. ALL THE FULLNESS OF GOD DWELLS IN JESUS

For in him, the whole fullness of deity dwells bodily, Colossians 2:9

95. WE ARE FILLED IN JESUS

and you have been filled in him, who is the head of all rule and authority. Colossians 2:10

96. RECEIVED CIRCUMCISION OF OUR HEARTS

In him also you were circumcised with a circumcision made without hands, by putting off the body of the flesh, by the circumcision of Christ, Colossians 2:11

97. BURIED WITH HIM IN BAPTISM, RAISED WITH HIM IN FAITH

having been buried with him in baptism, in which you were also raised with him through faith in the powerful working of God, who raised him from the dead. Colossians 2:12

98. GOD MADE US ALIVE IN HIM, FORGAVE ALL OUR SINS

And you, who are dead in your trespasses, and the uncircumcised of your flesh, God made alive together with him, having forgiven all our trespasses Colossians 2:13

99. WE'VE BEEN RAISED WITH HIM, SO WE SHOULD SEEK THE THINGS ABOVE

If then you have been raised with Christ, seek the things that are above, where Christ is, seated at the right hand of God. Colossians 3:1

100. OUR NEW LIFE IS HIDDEN IN CHRIST

For you have died, and your life is hidden with Christ in God. Colossians 3:3

101. HE IS OUR LIFE, WE WILL APPEAR WITH HIM GLORY

When Christ who is your life appears, then you also will appear with him in glory. Colossians 3:4

102. IMITATE THOSE WHO SUFFER WELL FOR CHRIST

For you, brothers, became imitators of the churches of God in Christ Jesus that are in Judea. For you suffered the same things from your own countrymen as they did from the Jews, 1 Thessalonians 2:14

103. STANDFAST IN THE LORD

For now we live, if you are standing fast in the Lord. 1 Thessalonians 3:8

104. THE DEAD IN CHRIST WILL RISE FIRST

For the Lord himself will descend from heaven with a cry of command, with the voice of an archangel, and with the sound of the trumpet of God. And the dead in Christ will rise first. 1 Thessalonians 4:16

105. WORK QUIETLY AND EARN YOUR OWN LIVING

Now such persons we command and encourage in the Lord Jesus Christ to do their work quietly and to earn their own living. 2 Thessalonians 3:12

106. GRACE OF GOD OVERFLOWS TO US

and the grace of our Lord overflowed for me with the faith and love that are in Christ Jesus. 1 Timothy 1:14

107. FAITHFUL SERVICE LEADS TO CONFIDENCE IN FAITH

For those who serve well as deacons gain a good standing for themselves and also great confidence in the faith that is in Christ Jesus. 1 Timothy 3:13

108. WE HAVE LIFE IN CHRIST JESUS

Paul, an apostle of Christ Jesus by the will of God according to the promise of the life that is in Christ Jesus, 2 Timothy 1:1

109. WE ARE STRENGTHENED BY HIS GRACE

You then, my child, be strengthened by the grace that is in Christ Jesus, 2 Timothy 2:1

110. SALVATION IS IN CHRIST

Therefore I endure everything for the sake of the elect, that they also may obtain the salvation that is in Christ Jesus with eternal glory. 2 Timothy 2:10

GODLY PEOPLE WILL BE PERSECUTED

Indeed, all who desire to live a godly life in Christ Jesus will be persecuted, 2 Timothy 3:12

GOD'S WORD MAKES US WISE FOR SALVATION THROUGH FAITH IN JESUS

and how from childhood you have been acquainted with the sacred writings, which are able to make you wise for salvation through faith in Christ Jesus. 2 Timothy 3:15

113. SHARE IN CHRIST

For we have come to share in Christ, if indeed we hold our original confidence firm to the end. Hebrews 3:14

114. WE BELIEVE AND REJOICE IN HIM EVEN WITHOUT SEEING HIM

Though you have not seen him, you love him. Though you do not now see him, you believe in him and rejoice with joy that is inexpressible and filled with glory, 1 Peter 1:8

115. SUFFERING WILL LEAD TO RESTORATION, CONFIRMATION, STRENGTHENING, AND ESTABLISHMENT

And after you have suffered a little while, the God of all grace, who has called you to his eternal glory in Christ, will himself restore, confirm, strengthen, and establish you. 1 Peter 5:10

116. PEACE IS SUPPLIED

Greet one another with the kiss of love. Peace to all of you who are in Christ. 1 Peter 5:14

OUR OBEDIENCE PROVES WE ARE UNITED TO HIM

but whoever keeps his word, in him truly the love of God is perfected. By this we may know that we are in him: 1 John 2:5

118. UNION PRODUCES AN ABIDING, OBEDIENT LIFE

whoever says he abides in him ought to walk in the same way in which he walked. 1 John 2:6

ABIDING LEADS TO CONFIDENCE AND NO SHAME

And now, little children, abide in him, so that when he appears we may have confidence and not shrink from him in shame at his coming. 1 John 2:28

120. ABIDING BRINGS UNION AND COMMUNION WITH GOD

Whoever keeps his commandments abides in God and God in him 1 John 3:24

121. THE SPIRIT IS EVIDENCE OF OUR UNION AND ABIDING LIFE

By this we know that we abide in him and he in us, because he has given us of his Spirit. 1 John 4:13

122. HE HEARS OUR PRAYERS

And this is the confidence that we have toward him, that if we ask anything according to his will he hears us. 1 John 5:14

123. WE HAVE OUR PRAYERS ANSWERED

And if we know that he hears us in whatever we ask, we know that we have the requests that we have asked of him. 1 John 5:15

Union brings understanding to who Christ is

And we know that the Son of God has come and has given us understanding, so that we may know him who is true; and we are in him who is true, in his Son Jesus Christ. He is the true God and eternal life. 1 John 5:20

125. BLESSING COMES TO THOSE WHO DIE IN THE LORD

And I heard a voice from heaven saying, "Write this: Blessed are the dead who die in the Lord from now on." "Blessed indeed," says the Spirit, "that they may rest from their labors, for their deeds follow them!" Revelation 14:13