



PARTICIPANT'S GUIDE

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DISCUSSION ►

FOR REFLECTION

After experiencing this session, how do you see yourself now? Who are you? What are you? What are your core identities?



For each identity that you listed, write beside it what that identity leads you to do or be. For example, if you listed “teacher,” that might lead you to find students, prepare lessons, or keep on learning.

Are there any of these identities that you would like to be rid of? If so, which ones, and why?

How does someone receive these new identities that God gives? John 1:12, 13 describes how someone becomes a child of God, the first identity Kyle talked about. According to this passage, how does this happen?

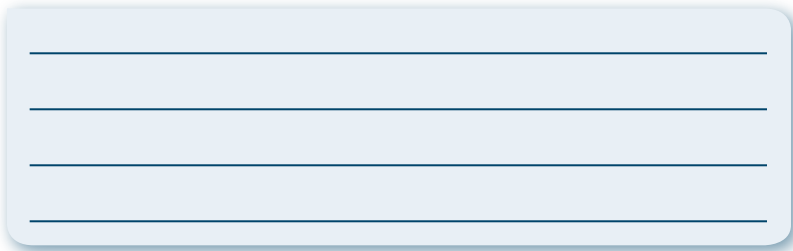
But to all who did accept him [Jesus] and believe in him he gave the right to become children of God. They did not become his children in any human way—by any human parents or human desire. They were born of God.
—JOHN 1:12, 13, NCV

What’s your last name? _____

How did you get this last name? _____

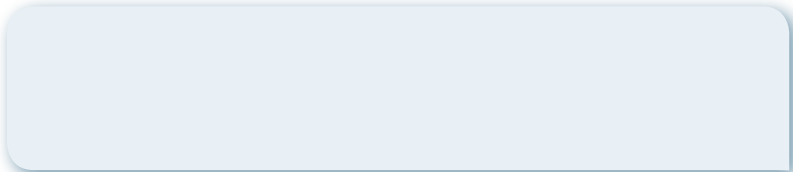
What, if anything, goes along with having this last name? For instance, maybe you are a Jones, and the Joneses always play a lot of sports, graduate from college, and make good in the business world. Or you are a Smith, and the Smiths love music, eat pasta, and laugh a lot. What goes along with your last name?





Have you lived out this family identity, pushed away from it, or maybe done a bit of both?

Those who decide to trust what God has done through Jesus are automatically given the Father's name and become His children. It is not something we must *earn*, but it is something we must *learn*. We learn how to be the child of God we have become. What might it be like to live out of this family identity?



Will you accept this family identity?

