

Believing, Belonging & Behaving
(Part 2 – Belonging)

Text: 1 Peter 2:9-10

Main Idea: Because we have believed in Christ, we have a new identity, belonging & purpose as unique members of God's family!

1. Know your new _____ & belonging! (v. 9a)

- Believers are a **chosen** _____: *Elected by Christ.* (Deut 7:6-9, Jn 15:16, Acts 13:48, Rom 9:13-16, 1 Cor 1:9, Eph 1:3-5, 1 Thes 1:4)
- Believers are a **royal** _____: *Dominion with Christ.* (Ex 19:6, Rev 5:10, 20:6)
- Believers are **holy** _____: *Set apart to Christ!* (Acts 15:7-9, Heb 10:10, 14)
- Believers are a **possessed** _____: *Possessed by Christ!* (1 Peter 1:18-19, 1 Cor 6:20, Tit 2:13-14)

2. Know your new _____: To _____ the excellencies of Christ & His glorious Gospel! (v. 9b)

3. Know what has _____ to you! (v. 9c-10)

- We were _____ out of darkness into God's marvelous light. (Col 1:13, 1 Cor 1:9, 24)
- We were made God's _____. (Hos 1:6-10)
- We received God's merciful _____! (2 Cor 1:3, Rom 9:23, Tit 3:5)