

## **IDENTITY** Galatians 2:20 **Message Reflection Guide**

One of my favorite movies is The Bourne Identity. The main character, Jason Bourne, suffers from a severe amnesia that leaves him haunted, frustrated, and confused.

A lot of us live like Jason Bourne. Our stories are not as dramatic but the issues are the same: Who am I, and does anyone care? We run from relationship to relationship, social event to social event, job to job, etc..., trying to "find ourselves." And if we seek our sense of identity in our career, who will we be when we retire?

But there's good news for "identity seekers." We can find acceptance security and significance in a relationship with Jesus.

## **Conversation Starter**

What are three words that you would use to describe yourself?

## **Getting Into The Scriptures Read Galatians 2:20**

Pastor Jason said "Jesus defines and refines your identity." How do you feel God has refined you over the last year or two?

Jesus says you are accepted. Who is a person in your life that makes you feel accepted? (besides a spouse or parent) How can you see Jesus showing you acceptance through that person?

**Jesus says you are secure.** Do you find it easy or difficult to be vulnerable and open with people? Why? What makes you feel safe?

**Jesus says you are significant**. What are some unique gifts, talents or qualities that you feel God has given you? What does Jesus' death on the cross tell you about your significance?

Take some time to praise God in prayer for his audacious love that tells us that we are accepted, secure and significant.

## Making It Real

Read the "Who I am in Christ" sheet and share 2 - 3 statements that you struggle to believe. Why do you feel that is? Pray that the Holy Spirit will help you to believe those statements in your mind and heart.