



## Because I'm in Christ, I can serve others.

1. According to Ephesians 4:1-2, how should believers walk? \_\_\_\_\_

Who lived this way every single day (only one man)? \_\_\_\_\_. Christians should live and become more like Jesus. Can you think of some ways? \_\_\_\_\_

2. In order to live in unity, believers need to focus on what we have in common. As a believer, you have more in common with a Christian child living in extreme poverty in Haiti than you do with a non-believer who lives down the street and plays on your soccer team! Read verses 4-6 and list what you share with other believers.

Things that are different

- language
- rich/ middle class/poor
- education
- interests/ hobbies
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Things that believers share (verses 4-6)

- one \_\_\_\_\_
- one \_\_\_\_\_
- one \_\_\_\_\_
- one \_\_\_\_\_
- one \_\_\_\_\_
- one \_\_\_\_\_

3. Our unity does not erase our different strengths, talents and abilities. We are each saved by grace, but we are also each given different gifts by Jesus. A few of the gifts he gives believers include:

- teaching - speaking God's message to the church - encouraging - organizing people -
- meeting practical needs - giving - welcoming/including - creativity (music, art, writing, drama) - praying - telling others about Jesus - believing God's promises, no matter what

Circle the gift(s) you think Jesus has given you. (If you are not sure what your gift is, don't worry! Talk to your mom, dad or another trusted believer who knows you well. Pray and ask God to show you! There are also spiritual gift inventories you can take, with a parent.)

4. Draw a stick figure. Then read Ephesians 4:15-16. Name who is the "head" of the body and who are the other "parts" of the body. Each part is different, yet essential. YOUR gift is necessary to help the body of Christ grow, no matter your age (1 Timothy 4:12).

What is one way you can use your gift this week?

**"Therefore be imitators of God, as beloved children. And walk in love, as Christ loved us and gave himself up for us, a fragrant offering and sacrifice to God."**

**Ephesians 5:1-2**

