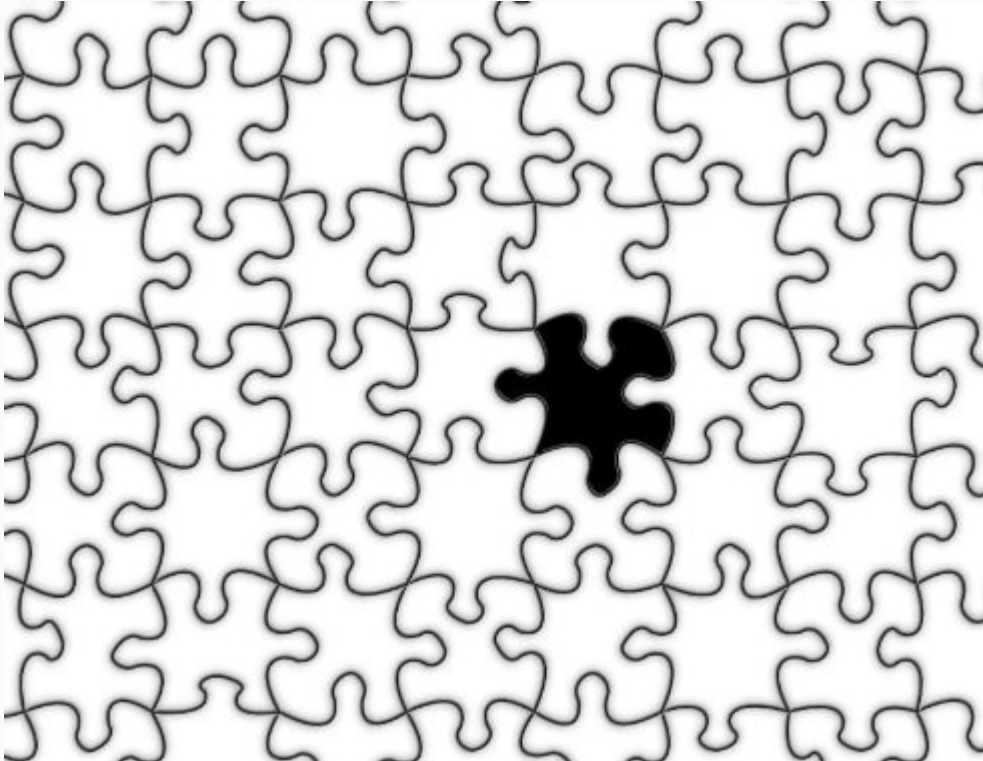


## Which Son are You?



*“Now all of you together are Christ’s body and each of you is a separate and necessary part of it.”*

*The Apostle Paul | 1 Corinthians 12:27 (NLT)*

Who hasn’t labored for days on a puzzle only to find the last piece is missing? The gaping hole glaring, your efforts seem robbed. Even if unseen, a missing part detracts. How long would your car engine run lacking oil? A missing piece greatly diminishes the function of the whole. Ah... but how sweet the hum when all pieces fulfill their roles,

working together in harmony.

By way of the great commission, Jesus calls us, his body, to carry his Mission forward. We have a primary role in his grand redemptive plan. Take a moment to consider... what could be better than all his followers working together toward such a goal, each with a unique and necessary role?

Yet, what happens if one fails the body?

### **You are Necessary**

Perhaps you wrestle with feeling insignificant and it holds you back. Who doesn't? Even King David did.

*"As for me, I am poor and needy, but the Lord is thinking of me right now." King David | Psalm 40:17 (NLT)*

As if by surprise, he stops his "I'm a nobody" despairing in its tracks. It strikes him that the Lord was thinking of him at that very moment... "I'm significant!" Likewise, the Lord is thinking of you right now. Relish this truth!

Not only are you necessary, you are special. You are vital to Jesus and his Mission whether he called you to be a highly visible part or one more hidden. But not only that...

*"I have given special skill to all the naturally talented craftsmen so they can make all the things I have instructed them to make." The Lord | Exodus 31:6 (NLT)*

The Spirit gives you special abilities to complement your natural abilities so that you can fulfill your role. As he did to enable your

salvation, God covers both his side and yours. Gifted, you are able to fulfill the Mission he has crafted for you.

## You are Gifted

Much like saying “yes” when you accepted Jesus’ gift of salvation, there is just one thing he requires of you. God has you packed, ready to go... you simply must go.

Yet, what happens if you stand still?

The reality is, Jesus will not fail in his Mission even if you stand still. He challenges you to move for your sake. His love for you is so deep that he wants you to experience fulfillment in this life and rewards in Heaven. Even more, when you go, you’ll experience Jesus most intimately as he forms you to become like himself. As is his way, the choice is yours...

*“But what do you think about this? A man with two sons told the older boy, ‘Son, go out and work in the vineyard today.’ The son answered, ‘No, I won’t go,’ but later he changed his mind and went anyway. Then the father told the other son, ‘You go,’ and he said, ‘Yes, sir, I will.’ But he didn’t go.*

*“Which of the two obeyed his father?” Jesus Christ | Matthew 21:28-31 (NLT)*

## Which Son Are You?

Go off the grid and ask these questions:

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### Coach’s Questions

- Ask God to show you his intentions so you can understand more clearly the role he has for you. Patiently listen. What's he saying?

- What holds your leg as you try to move forward?
  - How will you break free?
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## Spirit Talk

Post this where you will see it regularly.

### I am a necessary and gifted part of Jesus' body.

"For we are God's masterpiece. He has created us anew in Christ Jesus, so we can do the good things he planned for us long ago." The Apostle Paul | Ephesians 2:10 (NLT)



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