

# *All in One Prayer!*

*John 17:20-23 (Topical Message)*



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## One Gospel

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*What is the Gospel Message?*

### **1 Corinthians 15:3-4 (NASB)**

<sup>3</sup> For I delivered to you as of first importance what I also received, that Christ died for our sins according to the Scriptures, <sup>4</sup> and that He was buried, and that He was raised on the third day according to the Scriptures,

*There is no other Gospel message - There is only "One Gospel Message"!*

## One in God

**John 17:21 (NASB)** <sup>21</sup> that they may all be one; even as You, Father, *are* in Me and I in You, that they also may be in Us, so that the world may believe that You sent Me.

Jesus prays all believers may be one *(Oneness with each other & Oneness with God)*. What does this mean? Let's unpack this and see!

Jesus gives an example of oneness:

- a. You (Father) are in Me (Jesus)
- b. I (Jesus) in You (Father)
- c. They (You) may be in Us (Father, Jesus)

## **Romans 6:6-8 (NASB)**

<sup>6</sup> knowing this, that our old self was crucified with *Him*, in order that our body of sin might be done away with, so that we would no longer be slaves to sin; <sup>7</sup> for he who has died is freed from sin. <sup>8</sup> Now if we have died with Christ, we believe that we shall also live with Him,

As a believer we are “In Him”. We were placed “In Him” the moment we believed. This also means we were “In Him” when Jesus was crucified, and “In Him” when Jesus was resurrected.

Our old self was crucified with Him, because we are “In Him”. The benefit here is that the power of sin has been broken in our lives, because we have risen with Christ. We are freed from the power of sin. The old life was crucified, and the new life has been risen with Christ.

*We live with Christ, because we are “In Christ”!*

## All in One

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The Glory of Spiritual life is given for a reason. Jesus says that they may be "One", just as We are "One".

a. I (Jesus) in them (You)

b. You (God the Father) in Me (Jesus)

***Christ is in You & You are in Christ!***

## Prayer

Lord Jesus, I am willing for You to invade my soul, to control my mind, will and emotions. I ask that every decision I make would be in perfect harmony with You, who lives inside me. Jesus, You are my whole being, You are my life. Lord Jesus I can't do this on my own, but You can. Live your life through me, so the world will see You in me and believe in You. Thank you that I have been resurrected with You to newness of life. I love you Lord. In Jesus precious name, Amen.

Christ in You >  < You in Christ