



I Am a Child of God

Romans 8:14-23

1. We are all in need of a father and a family.

“Yet to all who received him, to those who believed in his name, he gave the right to become children of God”. *John 1:12 (NIV)*

2. We become children of God by adoption.

“By this the children of God and the children of the devil are obvious: anyone who does not practice righteousness is not of God, nor the one who does not love his brother.”

1 John 3:10 (NASB)

"You are of your father the devil, and you want to do the desires of your father. He was a murderer from the beginning, and does not stand in the truth because there is no truth in him. Whenever he speaks a lie, he speaks from his own nature, for he is a liar and the father of lies." *John 8:44 (NASB)*

“For you are all children of God through faith in Christ Jesus.” Galatians 3:26 (NLT2)

3. The result of being adopted as a child of God.

a. I have a new _____.

“So now you Gentiles are no longer strangers and foreigners. You are citizens along with all of God’s holy people. You are members of God’s family.” Ephesians 2:19 (NLT2)

b. I have a family for _____.

c. I have an inheritance that is _____.