



## “The Power of a Positive Self Image”

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**Texts: Numbers 13:26-33, Genesis 1:26, Acts 17:28-29, Revelation 5:10, I Peter 2:9, II Peter 1:3-4, Romans 8:37**

How do you see yourself? How's your self-esteem? What's your self-image like? Many people rate themselves based on how they grew up and all the negative, failure misfortunes, and disappointments they experienced. Many people rate themselves based on their family background that may be full of failure people. But as a born again, redeemed Kingdom heir of God that has God's divine God nature, it's important that your image of yourself be exactly as God sees you.

Do you see yourself as God sees you, and has seen you since He chose you out of Himself before the foundation of the world according to Ephesians 1:3-4?

**Ephesians 1:4 According as He hath chosen us in Him before the foundation of the world that we should be holy and without blame before Him in love.**

**5: Having predestinated us unto the adoption of children by Jesus Christ to Himself, according to the good pleasure of His will.**

In order to really see yourself as God sees you and have the Positive Self Image He wants you to have you must realize and identify with four of the most important times in your life.

1. When you beat out millions of other sperm competing for conception space and you were biologically conceived. In actuality you became a champion right then.

2. When you were physically born with your first natural birthday.

3. When you received Jesus as Lord and Savior and became the king and priest, heir of God and joint heir with Christ, New Creature, Kingdom Son, and More Than a Conqueror as God declared you to be in Revelation 5:10, Romans 8:17, II Corinthians 5:17, and Romans 8:37.

4. When you realize God's divine purpose for your life and why you are here.

What God's word says about you is exactly how God sees you, so it is vital that you learn His word. His word says He has a divine eternal purpose He intends to fulfill in your life no matter what or who comes against you to try and prevent it.

**Isaiah 14:24 The Lord of host have sworn, saying, Surely as I have thought, so shall it come to pass; and as I have purposed so shall it stand.**

**26: This is the purpose that is purposed upon the whole earth: and this is the hand that is stretched out upon all the nations.**

**27: The Lord of host hath purposed, and**

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**who shall dis annul it? And has His hand is stretched out, and who shall turn it back?**

Don't see yourself as people see you unless they see you exactly as God's word says God sees you. Since you are God's divine offspring you are comprised of the same spirit and power essence He is comprised of. You have the same divine life Jesus is and can do the same works He did.

**Acts 17:28 for in Him we live, and move, and have our being, as certain also of your own poets have said, for we are also His offspring.**

**29: Forasmuch then as we are the offspring of God, we ought not to think that the Godhead is like unto gold, or silver, or stone, graven by art and man's device.**

**John 14:12 Verily, verily, I say unto you, He that believeth on me, the works that I do shall he do also; and greater works than these shall he do; because I go unto my Father.**

In order to have the right Positive God Image of yourself you must realize you have God's very divine nature and the divine life of Jesus in your mortal flesh and body.

**II Corinthians 4:10 Always bearing about in the body the dying of the Lord Jesus, that the life also of Jesus might be made manifest in our body.**

**11: For we which live are always delivered unto death for Jesus' sake, that the life also of Jesus might be made manifest in our mortal flesh.**

**II Peter 1:4 Whereby are given unto us exceeding great and precious promises: that by these ye might be partakers of the divine nature having escaped the corruption that is in the world through lust.**

God sees you as his Last Days End Time Divine Glory in the earth prior to the return of the Lord Jesus when the earth is going through it's most sinful darkest times. A very clear picture of this can be found in Isaiah 60:1-15.

God sees you as His righteousness in the earth as clearly seen in II Corinthians 5:17-21

God sees you as being rich since you got saved by the grace of Jesus as clearly seen in II Corinthians 8:9. Positive self-image causes Faith and confidence in what God's word says about you to rise up and be strong in you no matter what obstacles or oppositions you face. A positive self-image can cause you to want to be the star in your own Life's Movie. God sees

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you as the star of His divine purpose and the great destiny He has for you.

A negative defeat filled failure filled self-image causes fear, doubt, discouragement, depression, anxiety, worry, and confusion.

God sees you as an owner of the earth as His word clearly states in Psalm 115:16, and Psalm 2:8. God also sees you as divinely healed as clearly stated in Exodus 15:26, Exodus 23:25, Psalm 103:1-5, Psalm 107:20, Isaiah 53:5, I Peter 2:23, Matthew 8:17. God sees you as being More Than a Conqueror and as having all His strength might, power, and patience as clearly stated in Romans 8:37, and Colossians 1:10. You can't afford to see yourself as less than God sees you. Don't be like Israel and see yourself as inferior and a grasshopper as seen in Numbers 13:26-33. The enemy they faced saw them as they saw themselves. People will always see you as no more than you see yourself. There's tremendous supernatural power in a Positive Self Image.

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