

2: Confuse who I am for _____.

"He is no longer like a slave to you. He is more than a slave, for he is a beloved brother, especially to me. Now he will mean much more to you, both as a man and as a brother in the Lord."
Philemon 16 NLT

"Listen, dear friends. Isn't it clear by now that God operates quite differently? He chose the world's down-and-out as the kingdom's first citizens, with full rights and privileges."
James 2:5 MSG

3: My choices reflect a _____.

"Look, I'm dying of starvation!" said Esau. "What good is my birthright to me now?"
Genesis 25:32 NLT

Choosing convenience over _____.

Choosing comfort over _____.

Choosing safety over _____.

"For what does it profit a man to gain the whole world and forfeit his soul?"
Mark 8:36 ESV

"What good would it do to get everything you want and lose you, the real you?"
Mark 8:36 MSG

4. Attempt to live without _____.

"Obsession with self in these matters is a dead end. Attention to God leads us out into the open, into a spacious, free life."
Romans 8:6 MSG

"It is God who directs the lives of his creatures; everyone's life is in his power."
Job 12:10 TEV

"For everything, absolutely everything, above and below, visible and invisible ... everything, got started in him and finds its purpose in him."
Col. 1:16 MSG

Welcome to Church Requel

a community loving God and loving people

We're So Glad You're Here

We plan to celebrate Christ's love for seventy-five minutes tonight. We hope you'll sing, pray, worship and learn along with us. Are you worried about the rules – when to stand, when to sit, what to say? Don't be! Just sit back, relax, and enjoy our service. You're definitely among friends here at Church Requel.

Prayer Request and Praises

Do you have something you'd like us to pray about? We will pray for your requests and join in with you to praise God for answered prayers. Fill out the peach colored Prayer Request card and drop it into one of the baskets on the communion table.

Communion Tonight

We plan to celebrate communion together. We invite you to participate if you are a Christ-follower. Please reflect quietly and examine yourself. When ready, go to the communion table for the bread and cup. Take the elements individually when you are ready. You do not need to be a member of our church to participate.

"Summer Singles" Series

Why do we call it Summer Singles?... (1) Each sermon is separate from all the others. If you miss one, don't worry about it. Come back the next weekend for a new summer single. (2) Each sermon will give us a "single" good idea for us to live a better, more joyful Christian life. (3) It's baseball season! The "single" is the best way to get on base. This summer sermon series will insure your Christian life "gets on base" too!

Tonight: "Selling Short"

Have you ever sold yourself short? Tonight we read the story of Esau, who sold his birthright for a bowl of soup! Before you go and get all critical about him, stop and think about the way you might be selling your own birthright short. We all do it and tonight we'll find out 4 ways we sell ourselves short too.

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