

# WHO AM I?

A group of seven people are silhouetted against a bright, cloudy sky. They are standing on a dark, grassy hill. The sky is a mix of light blue and white, with scattered clouds. The overall mood is contemplative and hopeful.

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# WHO WERE WE CREATED TO BE?

"live a life worthy of the Lord"  
Colossians 1:10

We were created to be  
content, confident people  
able to consistently handle  
whatever life bring us.

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## Free from FEAR, defined by Christ's SUPREMACY

He is before all things, and in him all things hold together." Colossians 1:18

## Free from THE MUNDANE, defined by \_\_\_\_\_ Christ's ENERGY + PURPOSE

To this end I labor, struggling with all his energy, which so powerfully works in me.  
Colossians 1:29

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# THE BARRIER OF INSECURITY

"Researchers speculate that modern society's emphasis on wealth and external appearances places an enormous pressure on young adults who grow up believing that success

is being rich, skinny and "hot". The Week

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# HOW DO WE OVERCOME OUR INSECURITY?

Colossians 2:6 - 2:23

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Colossians 2:6-10

Captured by Hollow/Human Philosophy

vs

Rooted in Christ

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## Colossians 2:11-15

Circumcised by Christ - vs. 11

Buried in baptism, raised in faith - vs. 12

Dead in sins, alive in Christ - vs. 13

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Canceled written code - vs. 14

Nailing our sins to cross - vs. 14

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# HOW DO WE OVERCOME OUR INSECURITY?

Colossians 2:16-23

Hollow Colossians philosophies

- \* Legalists
- \* Angel Worship
- \* Ascetics

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WHAT IS OUR  
HOLLOW/HUMAN  
PHILOSOPHY?

Insecurity!

You *NEED* to have a better . . .

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We cannot overcome  
insecurity by ourselves, we  
need God to free us.

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# HOW DO I OPEN MYSELF UP TO GOD'S FREEDOM?

Turn the issues over to God:

Write them down, ask for  
freedom, receive prayer

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# HOW DO I OPEN MYSELF UP TO GOD'S FREEDOM?

See yourself as God sees you

- God doesn't see failure as failure
  - God never compares you to others
- God never puts you down.

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A group of seven people are silhouetted against a bright, cloudy sky. They are standing on a dark horizon line, possibly a hill or a field. The sky is filled with white and grey clouds, and the overall color palette is dominated by the blue and white of the sky and the dark tones of the silhouettes and ground.

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