## **OUR VISION**

- BROADCASTING
  Life Changing
  Teachings for TV and
  Internet
- PROMOTING Ministries and Organizations that help First Nations
- NETWORKING
  with First Nations
  Communities
- CONNECTING with Partners and Viewers through publications, social media and prayer
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# BROADCAST SCHEDULE

GLOBAL Thunder Bay Sunday 9:30 am Thursday 10:00 am

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### FAITH TV

Sunday 3:00 pm Tuesday 3:30 pm Bell 591, Rogers 174, Shaw/MTS 11

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# RAISED UP WITH HIM



#### "And God raised us up and seated us in the heavens with Christ Jesus." Ephesians 2:6 CEB

Jesus was raised to life as the firstborn from the dead. He suffered and died for us. He didn't have to do this for himself. He did it so we could be redeemed and raised to a position of victory with Him. "Christ would suffer and that, as **the first to rise from the dead**, he would proclaim light both to my people and to the Gentiles." (Acts 26:23 CEB) We were dead and defeated under sin and the flesh, but God raised us up with Christ. When God raised Jesus, we were raised with him. As believers, we need to arise to our rightful position, knowing who we are in Christ.

#### **RAISED AND MADE RIGHT**

We were made righteous the moment we accepted Christ and received Him by faith as our Lord and Saviour. This is how we became new, or born again. What does it mean to be righteous? It means we are accepted and made right with God. The Bible also uses the term "justified", which means "just as if I've never sinned". Jesus' death on the cross made this righteousness available to us. "For God made Christ, who never sinned, to be the offering for our sin, so that we could **be made right with** God through Christ." (2 Corinthians 5:21 NLT) The Apostle Paul understood this truth, considering his own works as garbage and placing total confidence in the righteousness he received through faith in Christ. "I no longer count on my own righteousness through obeying the law; rather, I become righteous through faith in Christ. For God's way of making us right with himself depends on faith." (Philippians 3:9 NLT)

#### LACK OF RIGHT TEACHING

Traditionally, most preaching and teaching in churches have majored on our sinful condition. Unfortunately, many sermons and songs have perpetuated a sense of sinfulness and defeat rather than focusing on the reality of our identity and position in Christ. After receiving Christ, believers need to access teaching that will empower them to take their rightful position.

#### **RISE AND REIGN**

Far too many Christians see themselves only from a natural standpoint, not how God sees them through His Word. If we only see our natural condition, we become defeated in life. Once we begin to realize who we are in Christ and understand we are risen with Him, we can live in victory. The book of Ephesians tells us we are raised with Christ "far above all principality and power and might and dominion, and every name that is named, not only in this age but also in that which is to come". (Ephesians 1:21 NKJV) When we understand our position in Christ, we can overcome and rise above any adverse situation. Romans 5:17 affirms this: "those who receive abundance of grace and of the gift of righteousness will reign in life through the One, Jesus Christ." (NKJV)

#### SEE YOURSELF IN HIM

There are 133 Scriptures found in the New Testament that tell us who we are, what we have and what we can do in Christ. Start by studying the "In Him" Scriptures. You'll find most of them in the Epistles, which are the letters written to us the church, New Testament believers. Start meditating on them in your prayer times and throughout the day. Imprint them on your inner consciousness by speaking them out loud. What you focus on the most will become your reality!

### Here are a few to get you started:

- "I am the righteousness of God in Christ." (2 Cor 5:21)
- "I am a joint heir with Jesus." (Rom 8:17)
- "I am a new creation." (2 Cor 5:17)
- "I am blessed with all spiritual blessings." (Eph I:3)
- "I can do all things through Christ who strengthens me." (Phil 4:13)
- "I am more than a conqueror." (Rom 8:37)
- "I am healed by his stripes." (I Pet 2:24)
- "I am redeemed from the curse of the law." (Gal 3:13)

# RECEIVE **NEW LIFE**

God so loved the world that He gave His only Son, so that everyone who believes in Him won't perish but have eternal life. John 3:16 CEB

You can experience God's love and forgiveness today!

- Believe Jesus is God's Son sent for you
- Admit you need a Savior
- Open your heart and ask Him into your life

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- "I am delivered from the powers of darkness." (Col 1:13)

- "I overcome by the blood of the Lamb and the word of my testimony." (Rev 12:11)



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