Selected Scripture Quotes on Belonging

**Genesis 1:27** - So God created humankind in his image, in the image of God he created them; male and female he created them.

**Psalm 100:3** - Know that the Lord is God. It is he who made us, and we are his; we are his people, the sheep of his pasture.

**Jeremiah 1:5** - “Before I formed you in the womb I knew you, before you were born I set you apart; I appointed you as a prophet to the nations.”

**Zephaniah 3:17** - The Lord, your God, is in your midst, a warrior who gives victory; he will rejoice over you with gladness, he will renew you in his love; he will exult over you with loud singing.

**John 10:27-28** - My sheep hear my voice. I know them, and they follow me. I give them eternal life, and they will never perish. No one will snatch them out of my hand.

**Romans 15:7** - Welcome one another, therefore, just as Christ has welcomed you, for the glory of God.

**1 Corinthians 12:27** - Now you are the body of Christ and individually members of it.

**2 Corinthians 1:21-22** - But it is God who establishes us with you in Christ and has anointed us, by putting his seal on us and giving us his Spirit in our hearts as a first instalment.

**Galatians 3:28** - There is no longer Jew or Greek, there is no longer slave or free, there is no longer male and female; for all of you are one in Christ Jesus.

**Ephesians 1:5** - He destined us for adoption as his children through Jesus Christ, according to the good pleasure of his will.
**Hebrews 4:15-16** - For we do not have a high priest who is unable to sympathize with our weaknesses, but we have one who in every respect has been tested as we are, yet without sin. Let us therefore approach the throne of grace with boldness, so that we may receive mercy and find grace to help in time of need.

**1 Peter 2:9** - But you are a chosen race, a royal priesthood, a holy nation, God’s own people, in order that you may proclaim the mighty acts of him who called you out of darkness into his marvellous light.

**1 John 3:1-2** – (1) See what great love the Father has lavished on us, that we should be called children of God! And that is what we are! The reason the world does not know us is that it did not know him. (2) Dear friends, now we are children of God, and what we will be has not yet been made known. But we know that when Christ appears, we shall be like him, for we shall see him as he is.

**1 John 4:4** - Little children, you are from God, and have conquered them; for the one who is in you is greater than the one who is in the world.

**Psalm 100:3**-Know that the Lord is God. It is he that made us, and we are his; we are his people, and the sheep of his pasture.

**Psalm 119:105**- Your word is a lamp to my feet and a light to my path.

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“Live your lives in him, rooted and built up in him and established in the faith...abounding in thanksgiving” – Colossians 2:6b-7