

Evening Home Assemblies...continued

PRACTICAL APPLICATIONS:

Did you have any take aways from today's sermon?

Explain how "Zoe" is different from other parts of life?

Are there really two different ways a person can live their life? Explain your belief

Describe how a person can work out of the self-deception and into the genuine life they were created to live.

Describe how we can best communicate the "Life of Christ" all humans were designed to live?

POINTS FOR PRAYER:

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Morning Assembly-November 10th,2019

Title: Truth Statement of Christ #3 "I AM THE LIFE"

Text: John 14:1-6 and John 11:25

Introduction: Jesus came to rescue us from a life of discouragement and despair. He came to give us a life abundant in joy, peace, and power and free from the fear of death and the guilt of sin.

POINT 1: Defining "The Life"

- * *There are countless counterfeits but only one is Real!*
 - **Life (2222) "Zoe"**
The absolute fullness of life both essential and ethical, which belongs to God and was manifested through the man Jesus Christ. A life that is real and genuine.
 - **John 11:25**
Jesus as He lived in the flesh is the "real" life that we were designed to live. Life that is overflowing with meaning, purpose, fulfillment and joy.
 - **1 John 1:1-4**
Jesus is the "Prototype" human being that is filled with the Spirit of God.
* Zoe was manifested in the man Jesus Christ
* Life filled with courage, zeal, and kindness
* Life empowered with purpose and meaning
* Life built on God's promises and sacrifice, one that is overflowing with gratitude & joy.

POINT 2: The Counterfeit or the Genuine?

- * *"All that glitters is not gold!"*
 - **Ephesians 4:17-19**
* A "life" excluded from the life of God
* A "life" of emptiness and despair built upon self-deception and denial of the truth.
* A "life" that leads to only eternal excruciating pain and suffering
 - **Galatians 2:20/Colossians 3:1-4**
Christians have crucified the "Old-Self" and have been raised up to live in newness of life. The real genuine life that God intended us to live in joyfully fulfilling God's purpose

Conclusions: Will you choose the Genuine or Counterfeit life?