

P.M. SERMON NOTES
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WORDS (NAMES) THAT DESCRIBE US

(1 Cor. 12:12-27)

INTRODUCTION

(James 2:7) "Do they not blaspheme that noble name by which ye are called?"

Many of our names describe our relationship, expectation, character, or to honor one.

SOME BIBLICAL WORDS (NAMES) THAT DESCRIBE US

1. "DISCIPLES"

"Disciple" - learner, student, imitator, servant of the master-teacher.
(John 8:31; Matt. 10:1; Matt. 11:1; Acts 9:1; Acts 20:7)

2. "BELIEVERS"

"Believer" - to have been persuaded; trusting; yielding; obedient; commitment.
(1 Tim. 4:12; Acts 2:44; Acts 5:14; Acts 8:12)

3. "SAINTS"

"Saint" - sanctified; one who is set apart from the world in devotion to service to God;
appointed to a service designation by God. (never used in reference to a dead person
nor someone who performed two miracles while they were alive. Never!)
(1 Cor. 1:2; Eph. 5:1, 3; Acts 9:13; Acts 9:32)
Writing to the Christians: (Rms. 1:7; 2 Cor. 1:2; Eph. 4:12; Phil. 1:1; Col. 1:2)

4. "BODY" (as one group) "MEMBERS" (as individuals in that group)

(Romans 12:4-5; 1 Cor. 12:12-21)
"Member" - one of the individuals composing a group; belong to; part of the whole.

5. "SONS OF GOD" "CHILDREN OF GOD"

"Sons" "Children" - in the family; God is our "Father."
(1 John 3:1-2; Gal. 3:26-27; Romans 8:16-17; Eph. 5:1-2)

6. "BRETHREN" - We are family: (Matt. 23:8; 1 Peter 1:22; 1 Peter 3:8)

7. "CHRISTIAN" - (Isaiah 55:5; Acts 11:26; 1 Peter 4:16; Acts 26:28)

"Christian" - like Christ; this is what you are and who you are.
This is a God-appointed name: (Isaiah 62:2)