

CrossRoads Community Church
Sermon Summary Sheet, Week of February 6, 2022
“LIVING WITH HIS PRESENCE...A Study of Additional “I Am” Sayings of Jesus”
Part 4: Living with His Exclusion,” John 17: 9-19

INTRODUCTION: The discussion of the “I Am” statements of Jesus usually center on the seven major truths Jesus shares in the Gospel of John. However, He makes other “I Am” statements that give us additional insights into Himself. **Today we will look at “They are not of the world, just as I am not of the world.” John 17:16**

KEY WORD:

Hagiazo: ἁγιάζω

1. to be / make holy
2. to set apart, dedicate, separate.

1. BLESSED BY THE MASTER

“And all Mine are Yours, and Yours are Mine, and I am glorified in them.” John 17: 10

- **With Prayer – Heb. 7:25**
- **By Possession – 1 Cor. 6:20**
- **With Praise – John 17:22**
- **With Power – Nehemiah 8:10b, Romans 15:13**
- **With Protection – 2 Thess. 3:3**
- **With Perfection – Phil. 1:6**

2. BELIEF MATTERS

“They are not of the world, just as I am not of the world.” John 17: 16

“And this is eternal life, that they may know You, the only true God, and Jesus Christ whom You have sent.” John 17: 3

- **What do we believe?**
- **Are we living “not of the world,” but with the Christian World View?**

Why are we here? Where did we come from? We’re created by God for His purpose, to govern the world and to glorify Him.

Why is the world in such terrible shape? We’ve sinned against God and the entire world is affected by the sin of Adam and Eve.

What can we do to fix it? God has redeemed the world through the sacrifice of His Son, Jesus Christ, and will one day restore creation to its perfect state.

3. BUILDING (WITH THE RIGHT) MATERIALS

“Sanctify them by Your truth. Your word is truth” John 17: 17

1 Corinthians 3: 11-21

- **Wood, Hay, Straw (stubble) - Hastily, Cheaply**
- **Gold, Silver, Precious Stones - With Eternity in Mind**

CONCLUSION

We must always remember that God has chosen us out as His disciples and BLESSES us by dedicating us for holiness and special service. That is, we should love and obey Him and should bring others to do the same. And God didn’t leave us to serve Him in our own strength, but with His grace He fits us for the task, guiding us with the mind of Christ. Therefore, our BELIEF is separate from the view of the world. He equips us to “BUILD for eternity” as we place our lives in His hands.