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## Identity (#1): You Are Wanted

(Genesis 1:26; Psalm 139:13-16; Eph 1:3-4, 11-12)  
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### Sermon Notes

#### FALSE STORY: YOU ARE AN ACCIDENT

The story our culture tells us is that you are an A\_\_\_\_\_ and Life has no M\_\_\_\_\_ other than what you create.

But everyone wants to be W\_\_\_\_\_.

#### TRUE STORY: YOU WERE INTENDED

God said “Let us make mankind (male and female) in our I\_\_\_\_\_, in our L\_\_\_\_\_.” (Genesis 1:26)

You and I were F\_\_\_\_\_ in the womb (Psalm 139:13-15).

You and I were Pre-F\_\_\_\_\_ by being called and purposed before the womb (Isaiah 43:1; Jer 1:5; Psalm 139:16).

E\_\_\_\_\_ person made in the image of God has meaning, intention, and purpose.

#### REALIZED IN CHRIST

What is true in creation is R\_\_\_\_\_ in Christ.

God C\_\_\_\_\_ us in Christ before the creation of the world (Ephesians 1:3-4, 11-12).

In the words of “O Holy Night,” Jesus appeared in flesh and “the soul felt its W\_\_\_\_\_.”

Paul says you are God’s workmanship or “M\_\_\_\_\_” (Ephesians 2:10 NLT). This word is where we get the English word P\_\_\_\_\_.

You are an original, and God loves you just as you are. But Christ is our original S\_\_\_\_\_, and in His life, we find what it means to be who we are meant to be.

*Answers: Accident; Meaning; Wanted; Image; Likeness; Formed; Formed; Every; Realized; Chose; Worthy; Masterpiece; Poem; Standard*

