

SERIES: The Beauty of Becoming

TITLE: He Says I Am

SPEAKER: Pastor Bob Marvel

PASSAGE: 2 Peter 1:5,8,18; Hebrews 5:12;1
Corinthians 13:11;Philippians 3:12,13,16;
2 Corinthians 4:16; Colossians 3:11-12

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MESSAGE TAKEAWAY

***“Only let us live up to what we have already attained.”* Philippians 3:16**

DISCUSSION QUESTIONS

- Think back a few years to the first time you saw *“the bumper sticker”* Pastor Bob referred to. What were your thoughts when you saw it?
- Discuss 2 Peter 1:8. *For if you possess these qualities in increasing measure, they will keep you from being ineffective and unproductive in your knowledge of our Lord Jesus Christ.* Do you feel it happening in your life? Are you consciously attempting to become more productive in your life?
- Discuss some practical ways we can *“narrow the gap.”* How can failure to narrow the gap cause us to backslide or stall in our spiritual life?
- Think about people in your life. Do they see a difference (growth) in your life compared to how you were 3-5 years ago? Use 2 Corinthians 3:18 for a discussion aid. *“And we all, who with unveiled faces contemplate the Lord’s glory, are being transformed into his image with ever-increasing glory, which comes from the Lord, who is the Spirit.”*
- Pastor Bob finished with this question, *“Am I becoming the person God says I am?”* Talk about ways we can become more like the person God says I am.
- **CHANGING YOUR MIND** (Romans 12:2)

NEXT STEPS Start each day with this quote: **“I am chosen, I am holy, I am dearly loved.”**