

# AFTER CHURCH DEVO

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## Topic: Walking Daily in Christ's Redemption

### Opening Prayer:

Psalm 37:23

Lord, we thank You for redeeming us and giving us new life in Christ. Help us to walk daily in Your grace, rooted in Your truth, and growing in faith. Teach us today what it means to live as those redeemed by Your love. In Jesus' Name, Amen.

### Read: Colossians 2:6-7

Redemption is not just a one-time event—it's an ongoing journey. When Paul writes in Colossians 2:6-7, "As you received Christ Jesus the Lord, so walk in him," he paints a picture of redemption as a daily, active process. It's not just about receiving salvation but living it out each day.

To "walk in him" means to live a life that reflects the reality of Christ's redemption. The word "walk" (*peripateō* in Greek) suggests a continuous, habitual way of life.

Redemption changes not only our eternal destiny but also how we live moment by moment—shaping our thoughts, actions, and priorities.

Paul adds that we should be "rooted" in Christ, drawing from the image of a tree. Roots don't just anchor the tree; they provide nourishment and life. In the same way, when we are rooted in Jesus, we find stability and strength through His Word, prayer, and a close relationship with Him. Without deep roots in Christ, we are vulnerable to being uprooted by life's challenges.

But redemption doesn't stop at stability. Paul also calls us to be "built up in him," like a structure being carefully constructed over time. The foundation of our lives is Jesus, but our growth depends on continual building through faith, obedience, and spiritual disciplines. Brick by brick, God is shaping us into the image of His Son.

Finally, Paul highlights gratitude as an essential mark of the redeemed. “Abounding in thanksgiving” reminds us that those who walk in Christ do so with hearts full of gratitude for His grace. When we reflect on the depth of His sacrifice and the transformation He brings, thankfulness becomes the natural response. It’s this gratitude that keeps us grounded, humble, and focused on Christ, even when life feels overwhelming.

Walking daily in Christ’s redemption means leaning into His grace, growing in faith, and living with a heart of gratitude. It’s about letting every part of your life be shaped by who He is and what He has done for you.

### **Conclusion:**

Living as the redeemed isn’t just about looking back at what Christ has done but also walking forward in Him each day. As you grow in faith, let your roots go deeper into His love and your life overflow with gratitude. Redemption is not just a moment; it’s a daily walk.

### **Discussion Questions:**

#### **For Students:**

1. How does being redeemed by Christ affect your decisions at school or with your friends?
2. What does it mean to you to be “rooted” in Jesus?
3. How can you practice gratitude for your redemption this week?

#### **For Parents:**

1. How can you model walking daily in Christ’s redemption for your children?
2. What steps can your family take to grow “built up” in faith together?
3. How does thankfulness for Christ’s redemption shape the way you parent?

#### **For Professionals:**

1. How does Christ’s redemption influence your purpose in the workplace?
2. What are some ways you can stay rooted in your faith during your daily routines?
3. How can you express gratitude to God and others in your professional life?

**Each morning this week, begin your day by thanking God for one specific way His redemption has transformed your life. Write it down, reflect on it throughout the day, and ask Him to help you walk in His grace and truth.**