



# PUTTING OFF THE OLD SELF

EPHESIANS 4





Adultery  
Murder  
Stealing



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Gossip  
Lying  
Gluttony



John 10: 10 I came so they can have  
real and eternal life, more and better  
life than they ever dreamed of. (MSG)





What sin is driving your sins?





Ephesians 4: 17 So I tell you this, and insist on it in the Lord, that you must no longer live as the Gentiles do, in the futility of their thinking. 18 They are darkened in their understanding and separated from the life of God because of the ignorance that is in them due to the hardening of their hearts. 19 Having lost all sensitivity, they have given themselves over to sensuality so as to indulge in every kind of impurity, and they are full of greed.



John 16: 9 The world's sin is unbelief in me. (TLB)



*We all want life, but few actually choose to walk down that road for this simple reason: we choose sin instead of life because we know where it leads, what the road will be like. Life is out of control and will take us to place we know we should go to but aren't sure we want to. If I choose anger, I know what my life will be like.*

*I know where doubt, greed, and not trusting people will get me. I know how it will feel and what it'll be like when I get there. I am unsure of how things will go if I trust someone, or if I walk away from temptation instead of giving in.*

*Josh Reich*

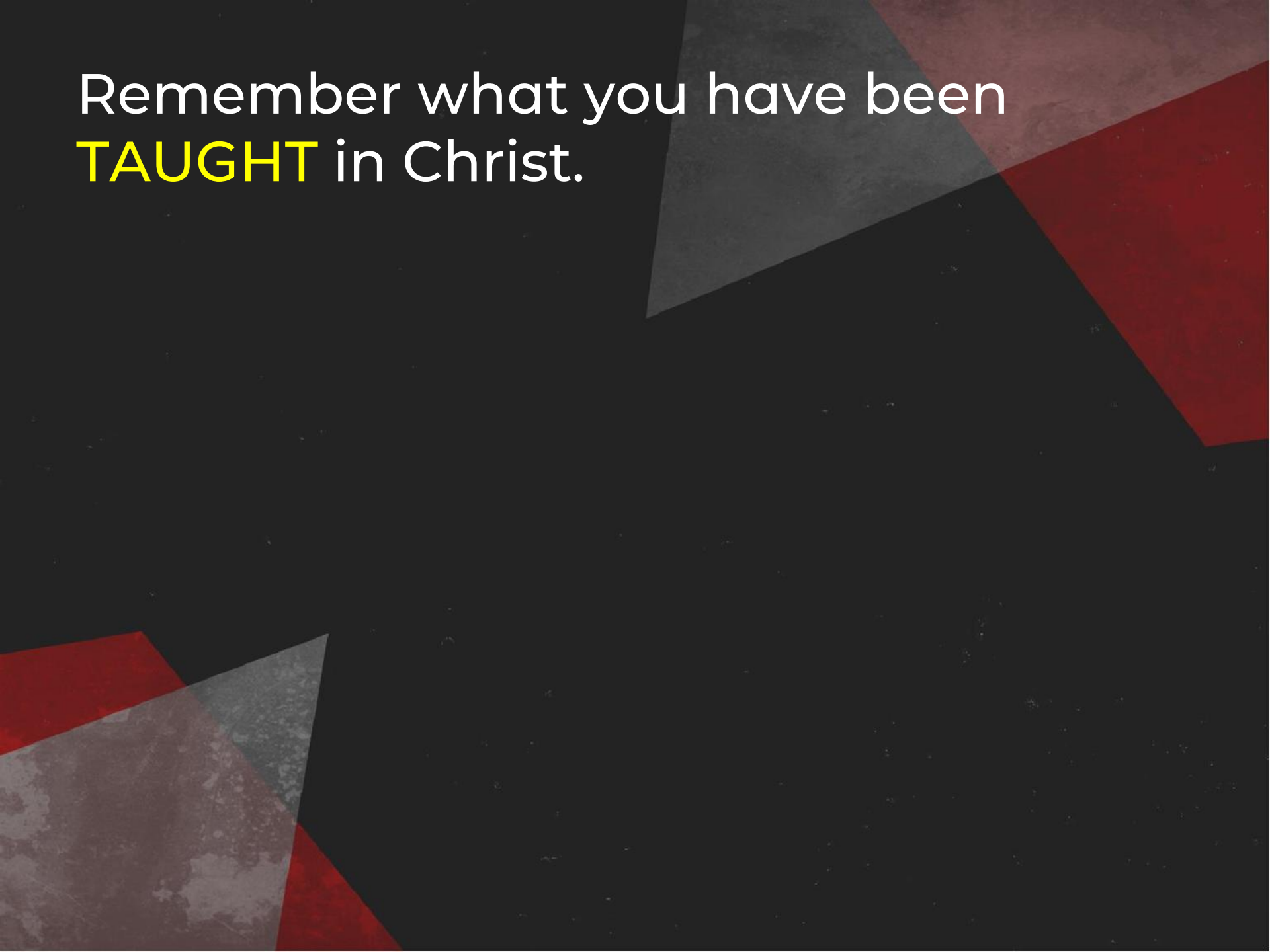




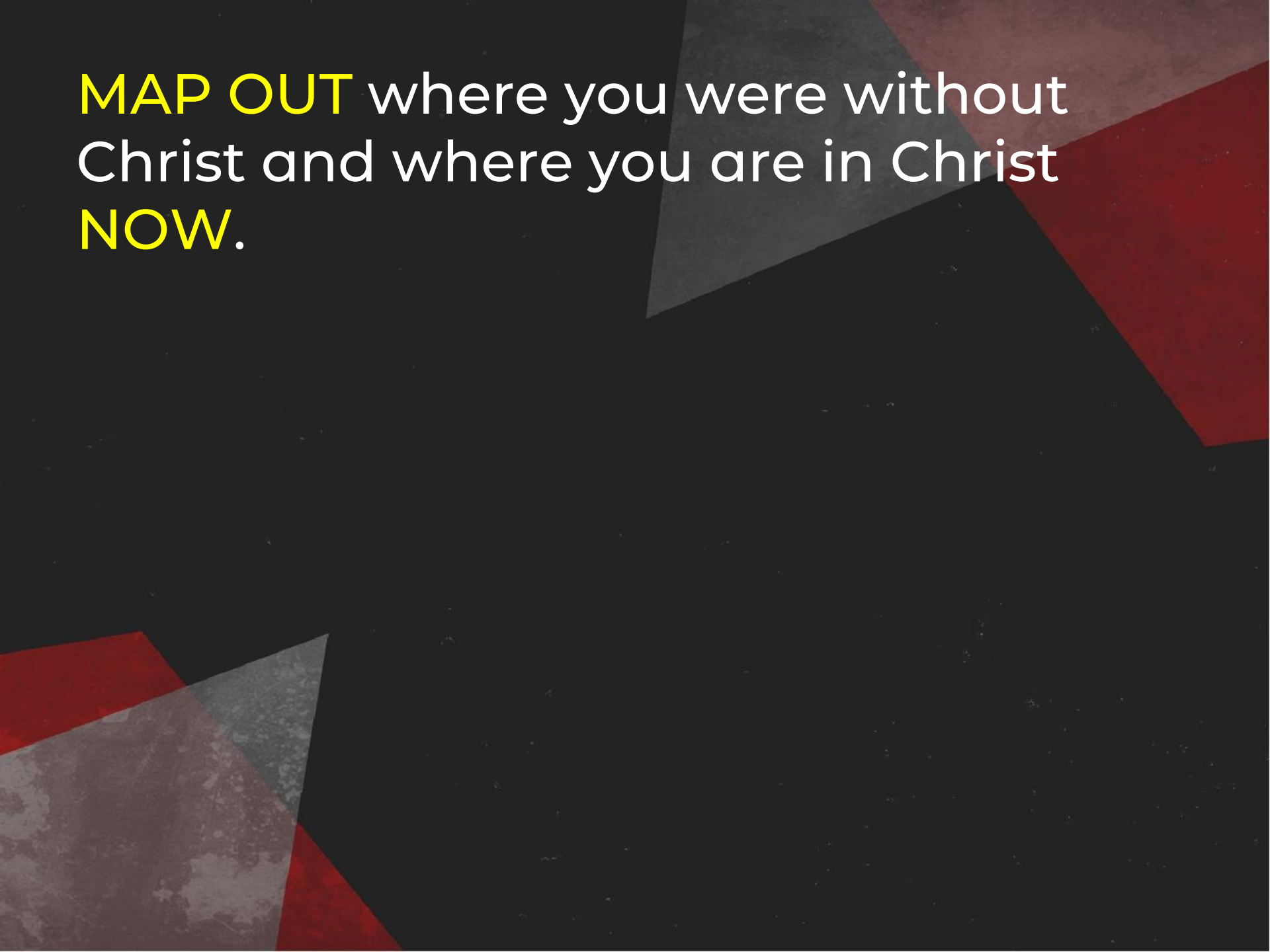
Ephesians 4: 20 That, however, is not the way of life you learned 21 when you heard about Christ and were taught in him in accordance with the truth that is in Jesus. 22 You were taught, with regard to your former way of life, to put off your old self, which is being corrupted by its deceitful desires; 23 to be made new in the attitude of your minds; 24 and to put on the new self, created to be like God in true righteousness and holiness.



Remember what you have been  
**TAUGHT** in Christ.

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**MAP OUT** where you were without  
Christ and where you are in Christ  
**NOW.**

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Reclaim your **FOCUS** in order to resist  
**TEMPTATION.**

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