



# THE APPLE OF GOD'S EYE

*JOHN 1:1-12*

*“Yet to all who did receive him, to those who believed in his name, he gave the right to become children of God”*

**John 1:12**

**You are a Child of God!**



**“You are the apple of my eye”**

**- God**

***“For the Lord’s portion is his people, Jacob his allotted inheritance. In a desert land he found him, in a barren and howling waste. He shielded him and cared for him; he guarded him as the apple of his eye.”***

**Deuteronomy 32:10**

**HELLO**

**my name is**

**I am a friend of Jesus.**

*I no longer call you slaves, because the slave does not understand what his master is doing. But I have called you friends, because I have revealed to you everything I heard from my Father. (John 15:15)*

**I will not be condemned by God.**

*There is therefore now no condemnation for those who are in Christ Jesus. (Romans 8:1)*

**I am a new creation in Christ.**

*So then, if anyone is in Christ, he is a new creation; what is old has passed away--look, what is new has come.  
(2 Corinthians 5:17)*

*“I praise you because I am fearfully and wonderfully made.”*

“This mystery is that through the gospel the Gentiles are heirs together with Israel, members together of one body, and sharers together in the promise in Christ Jesus...

In him and through faith in him we may approach God with freedom and confidence.”

Ephesians 3:6,12



# Luke 15: The Prodigal Son parable of Jesus

“Father, I have sinned against heaven and against you. I am no longer worthy to be called your son; make me like one of your hired servants.’ So he got up and went to his father. But while he was still a long way off, his father saw him and was filled with compassion for him; he ran to his son, threw his arms around him and kissed him.

“The son said to him, ‘Father, I have sinned against heaven and against you. I am no longer worthy to be called your son.’ “But the father said to his servants, ‘Quick! Bring the best robe and put it on him. Put a ring on his finger and sandals on his feet. Bring the fattened calf and kill it. Let’s have a feast and celebrate. For this son of mine was dead and is alive again; he was lost and is found.’ So they began to celebrate.”

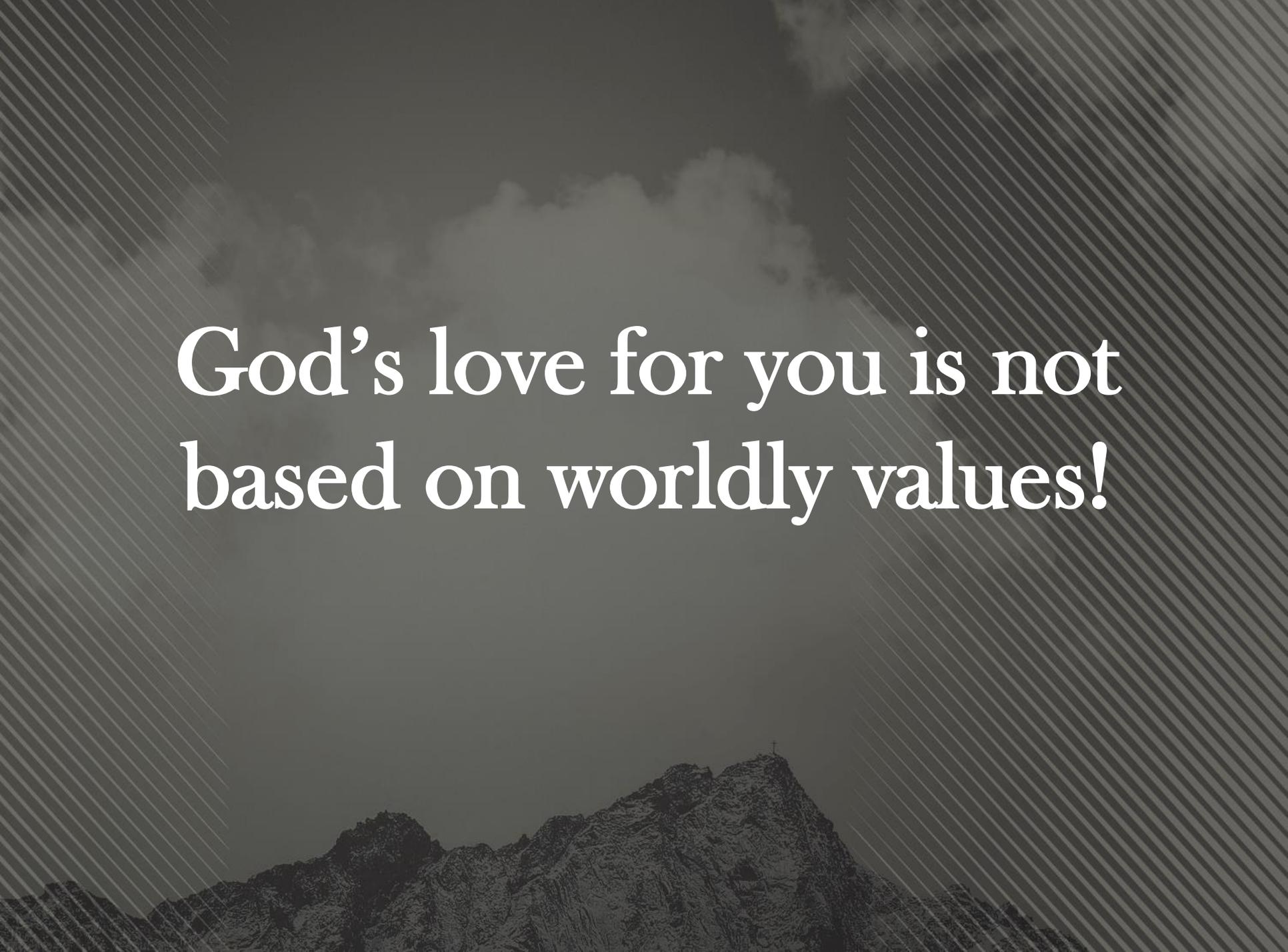
*The world tells you many lies about who you are and you simply have to be realistic enough to remind yourself of this. Every time you feel hurt, offended or rejected you have to dare to say to yourself, these feelings, strong as they may be, are not telling me the truth about myself. The truth, even though I can't feel it right now, is that I am the chosen child of God, precious in God's eyes, called the beloved from all eternity and held safe in an everlasting embrace.*

**- Henri Nouwen**



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God's love for you is not  
based on worldly values!

**HELLO**

**my name is**

*Child of God*

RECEIVE !

BELIEVE !

HAVE FAITH IN JESUS !

*You are a Child of God!*



“Who You Say I Am”

Who am I that the highest King  
would welcome me.  
I was lost but He brought me in.  
Oh His love for me.  
Oh His Love For me.

Who the son sets free,  
Oh is free indeed.  
I'm a Child of God,  
Yes I am.

Free at last He has ransomed me.

Oh His Grace runs deep.

While I was a slave to sin,

Jesus died for me.

Yes, He died for me.

Who the son sets free,

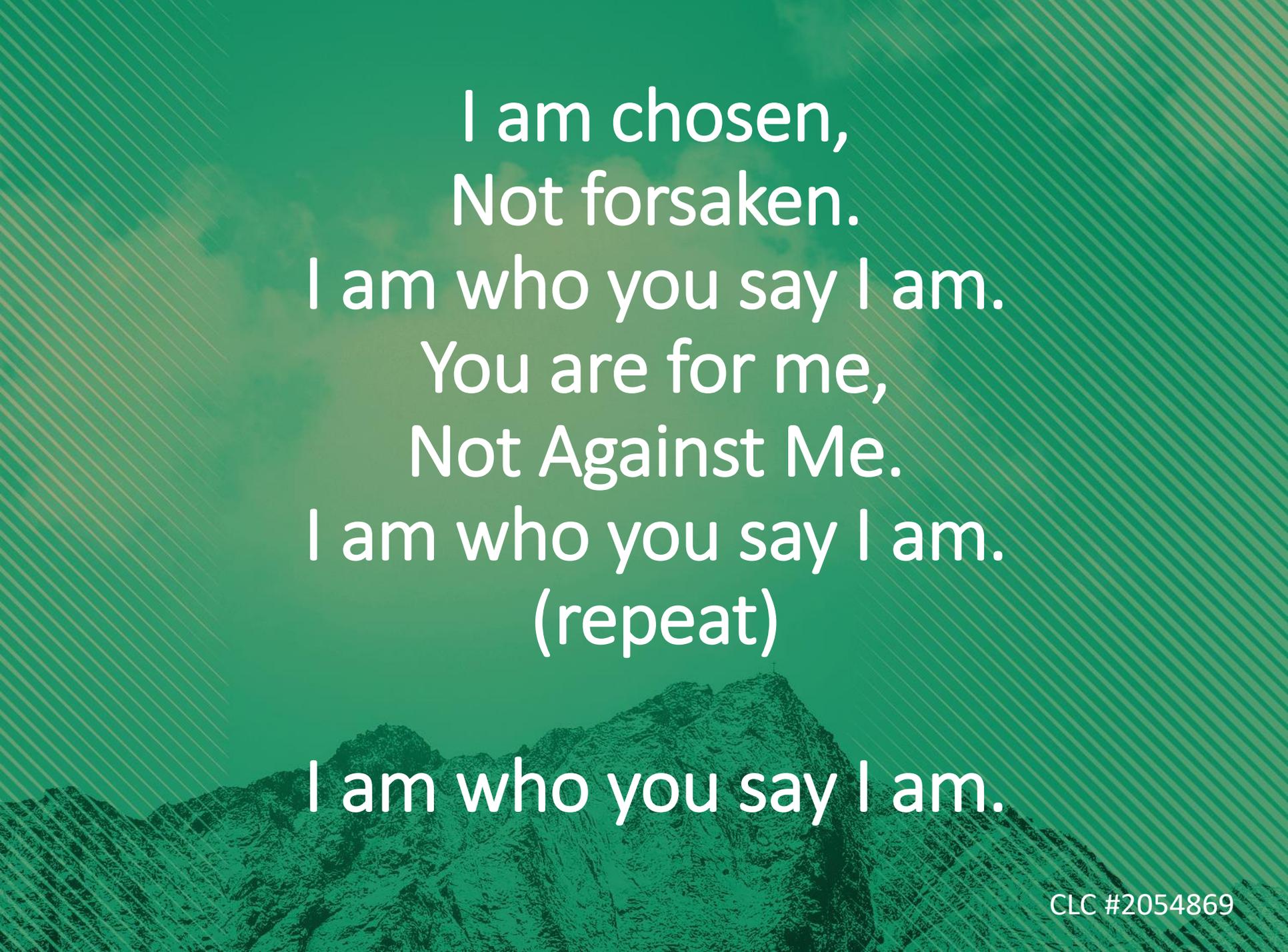
Oh is free indeed.

I'm a Child of God, Yes I am.

In My Father's House,

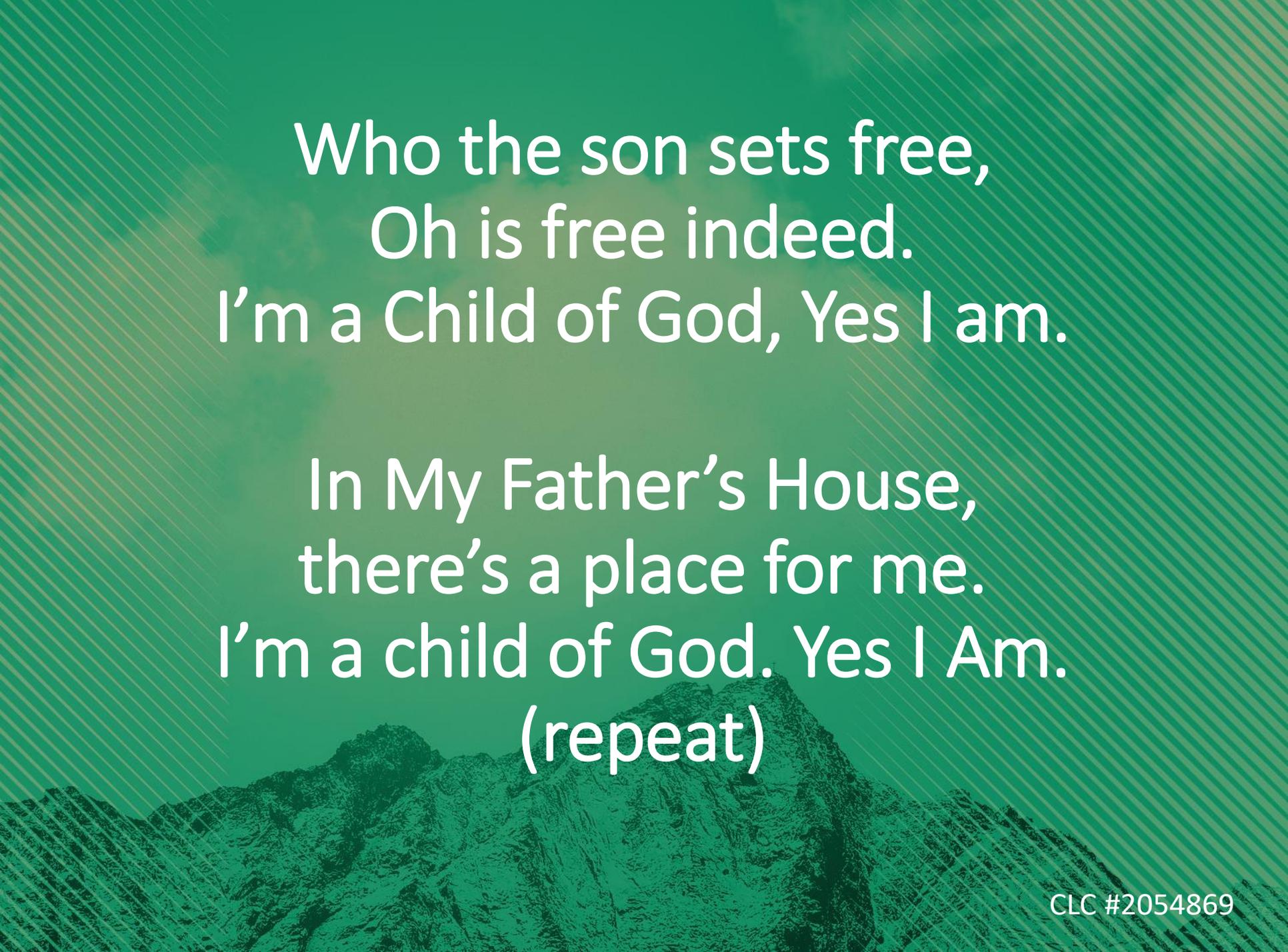
there's a place for me.

I'm a child of God. Yes I Am.



I am chosen,  
Not forsaken.  
I am who you say I am.  
You are for me,  
Not Against Me.  
I am who you say I am.  
(repeat)

I am who you say I am.



Who the son sets free,  
Oh is free indeed.  
I'm a Child of God, Yes I am.

In My Father's House,  
there's a place for me.  
I'm a child of God. Yes I Am.  
(repeat)

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I am who You say I am.  
You are for me,  
not against me.  
I am who You say I am. (x3)

Oh, I am who You say I am  
Yes, I am who You say I am.

Who the son sets free,  
Oh is free indeed.  
I'm a Child of God, Yes I am.

In My Father's House,  
there's a place for me.  
I'm a child of God. Yes I Am.

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I AM A  
CHILD  
OF GOD

