



CONNECTED: CHRIST AND HIS CHURCH

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Christ is the Shepherd and we are His Sheep [John 10]

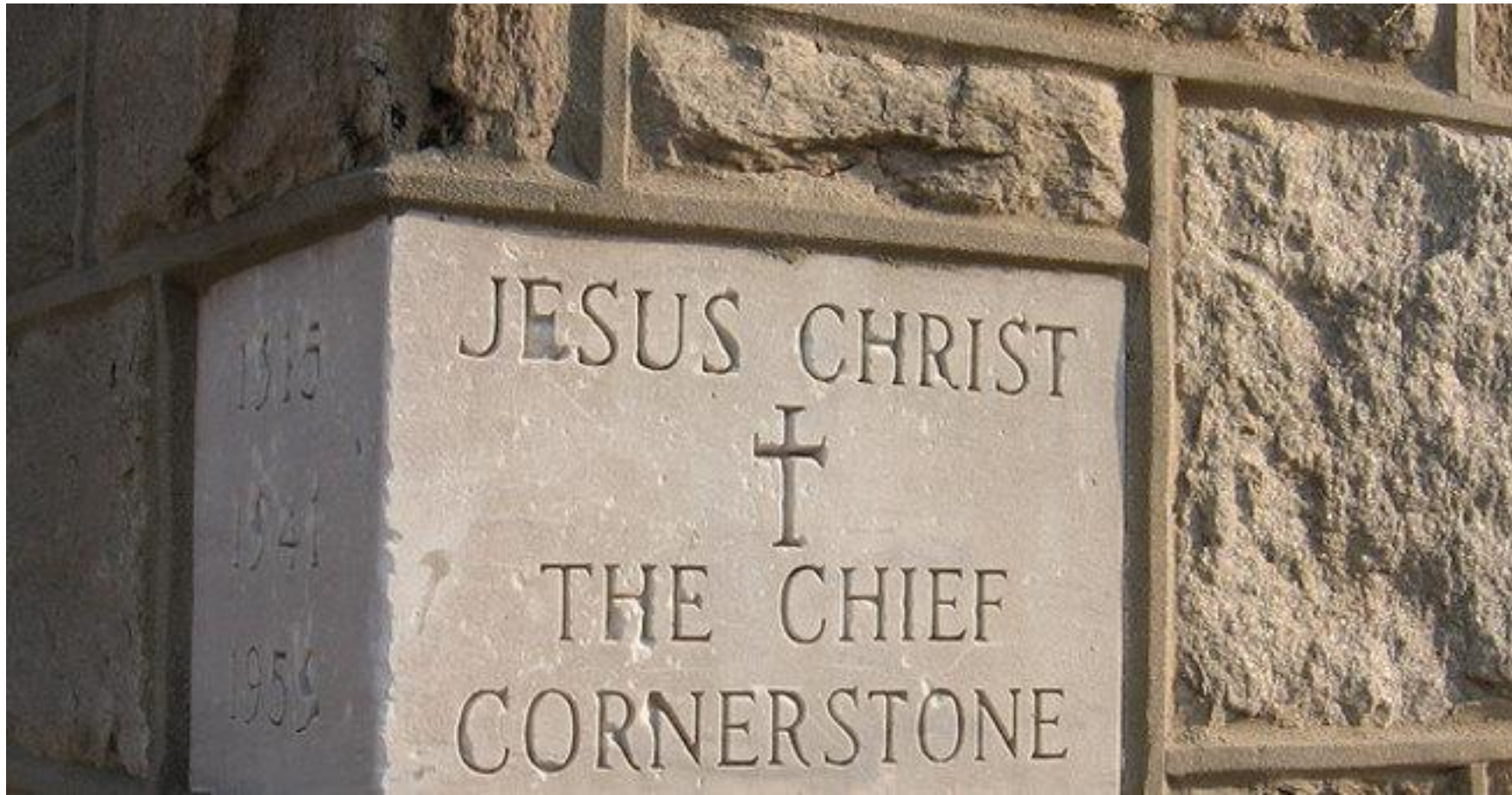


Christ is the Vine and We are the Branches (John 15)

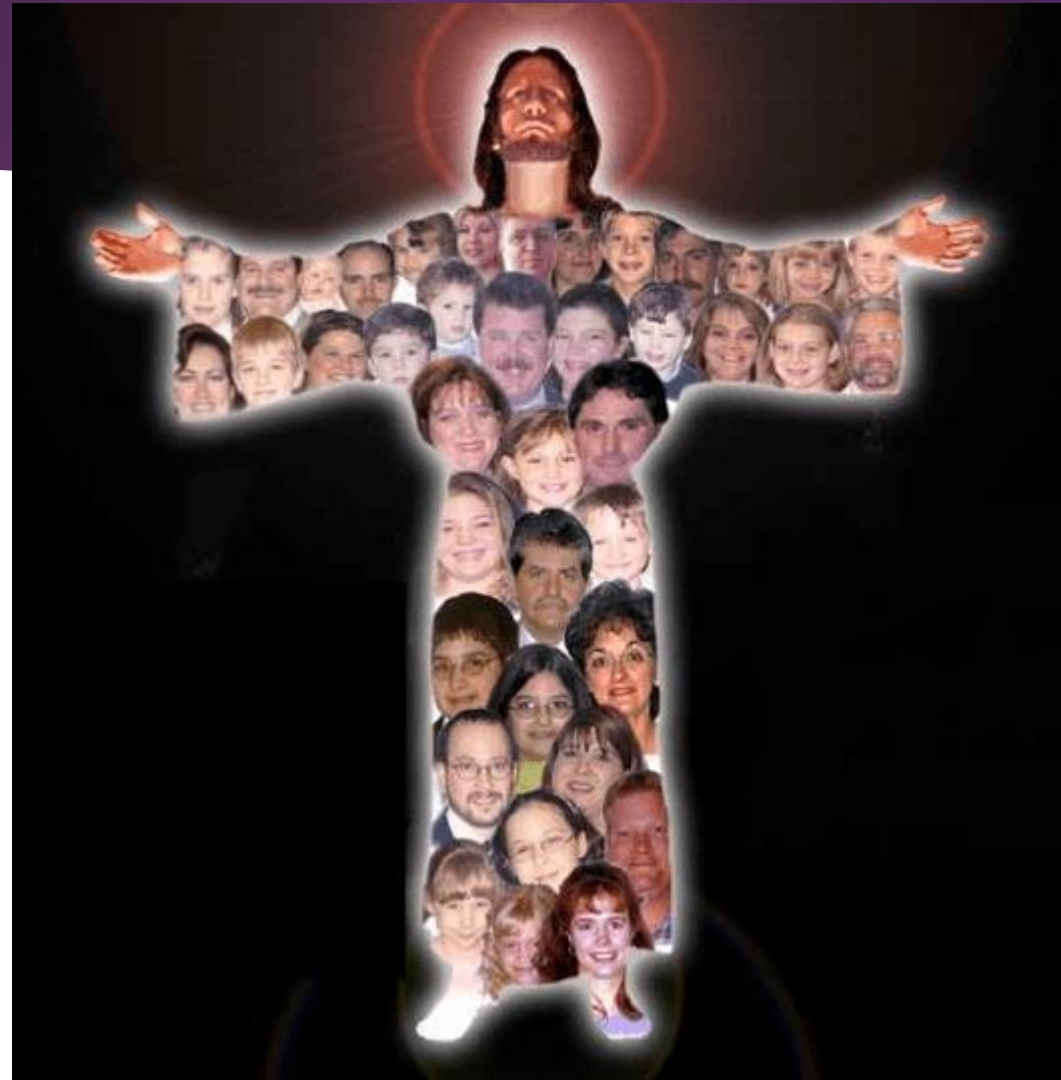
Jesus: The True Vine
John 15:1-8



Christ is the Chief Cornerstone and we are Stones in the Building (Eph.2:19-22)



Christ is the Head and we are the Body of Christ



Christ as the High Priest and We are Believer Priests



Christ as the Groom and We are the Bride of Christ (Ephesians 5:22-33)



HOW TO STAY CONNECTED TO CHRIST AND HIS CHURCH

- ▶ **As sheep follow our Shepherd Jesus**
- ▶ **As branches abide in Christ the Vine**
- ▶ **As stones in the temple glorify Christ the Chief Cornerstone**

HOW TO STAY CONNECTED TO CHRIST AND HIS CHURCH

- ▶ **As the Body of Christ use your gifts to serve others and Christ as the Head**
- ▶ **As Believer Priests present spiritual sacrifices of worship to Christ our High Priest**

HOW TO STAY CONNECTED TO CHRIST AND HIS CHURCH

- ▶ **As the Bride of Christ live holy lives as we wait for our coming Bridegroom**