

Kingdom Politics #4: Kingdom Citizens

Philippians 3:18 - 4:1

18 For, as I have often told you before and now tell you again even with tears, many live as enemies of the cross of Christ. **19** Their destiny is destruction, their god is their stomach, and their glory is in their shame. Their mind is set on earthly things. **20** But our citizenship is in heaven. And we eagerly await a Savior from there, the Lord Jesus Christ, **21** who, by the power that enables him to bring everything under his control, will transform our lowly bodies so that they will be like his glorious body.

4:1 Therefore, my brothers and sisters, you whom I love and long for, my joy and crown, stand firm in the Lord in this way, dear friends!

*Our **IDENTITY** as Citizens of Heaven*

Philippians 3:20

1. Our eternal destiny is secure
2. Our final transformation is promised
3. Our true family is spiritual

*Our **MISSION** as Kingdom Ambassadors*

2 Corinthians 5:20

The Oxford dictionary defines **ambassador** as “an accredited diplomat sent by a country as its official representative to a foreign country.”

1. Pray for our governing officials (1 Timothy 2:1-4)
2. Love every person as God has loved us (Matthew 5:43-48)
3. Maintain the bond of peace within our church (Ephesians 4:1-6)
4. Proclaim Christ to our world (Romans 10:14-15)