



LIFE CIRCLES

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Ontological Transfer - Biodivine, Part 6

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SUMMARY

“Ontological transfer” is the fundamental change in our being through Christ's incarnation. The gospel is not about behavior modification but about a complete transfer of identity and lineage from Adam to Christ. Through Jesus, humanity was removed from Adamic delusion and placed under new headship in Christ. This is not about improving our old life but receiving an entirely new source of existence. Salvation is biological rescue, where we inherit divine DNA through Christ's blood, making us literal offspring of God rather than performance-based Christians.

ICE BREAKER

What's one thing you believed about yourself as a child that you later discovered wasn't true? How did finding out the truth change how you saw yourself?

KEY VERSES

Genesis 3, John 3, Acts 17:28, Ephesians 1:9-10, 1 Corinthians 15:22

SEEDS FOR DISCUSSION

- The gospel is ontological (about being) not moralistic (about behavior). It addresses who we are, not what we do.
- Through Christ's incarnation, humanity was transferred from Adamic lineage to divine lineage. Salvation is not self-improvement under Adam but a completely new existence in Christ as our new federal head.
- The commandments that came through the law were called “the ministry of death and condemnation.”
- We don't need to perform to become God's children. We already are His offspring by virtue of existing in Him.
- “You can't be free from sin until you realize you're free to sin.”
- Creation is always subject to the expectation and nature of humanity.
- Default mode network
- There's a difference between who God is and what God does: He is Healer. His name is the God that heals. Healing is not his nature; healing is the fruit of his nature because his nature is love. God is love.
- Rest and creativity, not striving and performance, reflect our true nature as children of the Creator.