






	<p>SUMMER CHANGES EVERYTHING WEEKEND!</p>
 BIG IDEA	<p>Your identity shapes your direction, your decisions, and your destiny.</p>
 ICE BREAKER	<p>Share about a time someone believed in you and helped you see your potential. How did their words or actions impact you?</p>
 MAIN POINTS	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● How you see yourself influences how you act and what you become. ● God sees us differently than we see ourselves - just as He called Gideon a "mighty warrior" when Gideon saw himself as weak and insignificant. ● We are created in God's image (Genesis 1:27), which means we have inherent worth and potential beyond our current circumstances. ● Two key elements are needed to develop our God-given identity: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ Someone to fight for your identity ○ Experiences that call you up into your identity
 DISCUSS	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. What most stood out to you from the message this weekend? Why? 2. Pastor Shan talked about the idea of self fulfilling prophecies. Where have you seen this in yourself or others? 3. What labels or identities have you accepted about yourself that might be holding you back? 4. How does knowing you're created in God's image change how you view yourself? 5. Like Gideon, when has God called you to be something you didn't feel qualified to be? 6. What spiritual truths or experiences do you want to pass on to the next generation? 7. What would it look like to "turn up the temperature" on your identity in Christ?
 NEXT STEP	<p>Just as Gideon was transformed from hiding to leading an army, how might God be calling you to step into a bigger identity than you've imagined for yourself?</p>
 SCRIPTURE	<p>Judges 6:13-16 “Pardon me, my lord, “Gideon replied, “but if the Lord is with us, why has all this happened to us? Where are all his wonders that our ancestors told us about when they said, ‘Did not the Lord bring us up out of Egypt?’ But now the Lord has abandoned us and given us into the hand of Midian.” The Lord turned to him and said, “Go in the strength you have and save Israel out of Midian’s hand. Am I not sending you?”</p> <p>Genesis 1:27 - So God created mankind in his own image, in the image of God he created them; male and female he created them.</p>
 NEXT WEEK SNEAK PEAK	<p>Join us next week and invite a friend as we continue the series JOYRIDE!</p>

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