

# “Why Is My Christian Life So Unstable?”

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Colossians 2:6-7

The \_\_\_\_\_ event of receiving Christ must be a \_\_\_\_\_ reality in the believer’s life.

We are saved by \_\_\_\_\_ and we live by \_\_\_\_\_.

“So then, just as you received Christ Jesus as Lord, continue to live in Him, rooted and built up in Him, strengthened in the faith as you were taught and overflowing with thankfulness.” Colossians 2:6-7

## 1. We Are Sinking Our \_\_\_\_\_ In Christ!

“rooted and built up in Him...” Colossians 2:7

Your roots determine your v \_\_\_\_\_ and p \_\_\_\_\_.

If you want to establish stability in your Christian life, you must learn to live \_\_\_\_\_ Christ, not just \_\_\_\_\_ Christ.

## 2. We Are \_\_\_\_\_ In Him!

“...and built up in Him.” Colossians 2:7

It is an \_\_\_\_\_-\_\_\_\_\_ process!

You are God’s \_\_\_\_\_.

“I am confident of this, that He who began a good work in you will carry it on to completion until the day of Christ Jesus.” Philippians 1:6

If you want to establish stability in your Christian life, you will have to change the way you interpret your \_\_\_\_\_.

## 3. We Are Strengthened In The F \_\_\_\_\_

“...strengthened in the faith as you were taught...” Colossians 2:7

Christ as your strength, and your faith in Him is the key that unlocks God’s \_\_\_\_\_ in your life.

Where is your trust in God today?

I Trust In Me	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	I Trust In God
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## 4. We Are Overflowing With \_\_\_\_\_.

“...and overflowing with thankfulness.” Colossians 2:7

Expressing thankfulness in \_\_\_\_\_ is an act of faith!