

***Mere Christianity***  
**Book 4, Chapter 6**  
**Two Notes**

**Questions:**

1. Lewis responds to two possible misunderstandings from the previous chapter. What are they?
2. How does Lewis answer this first misunderstanding?
3. Regarding misunderstanding 2, how is the Trinity reflected in humanity? In the church (1 Cor. 12:12-27; Eph. 4:11)?
4. Lewis says that a Christian must be neither an *individualist* nor a *totalitarian*. What does each term mean? Give examples of each from religion/Christianity:

5. Only in Christ can we be truly authentic humans. However, the world keeps trying to squeeze us into its mold (**Rom. 12:2**). Reflect on the following statement by Frederick Buechner:

*“...we try to make ourselves into something that we hope the world will like better than it apparently did the selves we originally were. That is the story of all our lives, needless to say, and in the process of living out that story, the original shimmering self gets buried so deep that most of us end up hardly living out of it at all. Instead we live out all the other selves which we are constantly putting on and taking off like coats and hats against the world’s weather” (Telling Secrets; 1991; pp. 48-50).*