

NEW CREATURE

When we are born again, we are transferred from the domain of darkness and are delivered into the kingdom of the Lord Jesus Christ (Colossians 1:13). We are no longer the same person, as we see differently (John 3:30) and are being transformed (Romans 12:2) into the image of our Lord.

2 Corinthians 5:16-17

“Therefore from now on we recognize no man according to the flesh; even though we have known Christ according to the flesh, yet now we know {Him} {thus} no longer.

Therefore if any man is in Christ, {he is} a new creature; the old things passed away; behold, new things have come.”

We are a spiritual being, our spirit regenerated by the Holy Spirit (John 3:6), and are being led by the Spirit in all endeavors. Therefore, we are no longer to see according to the flesh nor fight flesh and blood, but will recognize the real battle and war is on a spiritual plane.

Ephesians 6:12

“For our struggle is not against flesh and blood, but against the rulers, against the powers, against the world forces of this darkness, against the spiritual {forces} of wickedness in the heavenly {places.}”

There is no partiality with God, because He sees us all as equal. There are no longer any restrictions placed on us, as is the case in the natural world, because we are not of the world (John 17:16). There is no preference either by gender, nationality or any other natural distinction. God looks at the heart.

Romans 2:28-29

“For he is not a Jew who is one outwardly; neither is circumcision that which is outward in the flesh.

But he is a Jew who is one inwardly; and circumcision is that which is of the heart, by the Spirit, not by the letter; and his praise is not from men, but from God.”

We are spiritual and our inheritance is spiritual, as we are sons of Abraham who is the father of faith.

Galatians 3:26-29

“For you are all sons of God through faith in Christ Jesus.

For all of you who were baptized into Christ have clothed yourselves with Christ.

There is neither Jew nor Greek, there is neither slave nor free man, there is neither male nor female; for you are all one in Christ Jesus.

And if you belong to Christ, then you are Abraham's offspring, heirs according to promise.”