

Sunday, March 31 2019

New Creation series week 4 – “New Circumstances”

So then whoever is in Christ, they are a new creation!
Everything old has passed away, all things are become
new! 2 Cor 5:17

“Maybe it’s time that I start living my life like I’m born
again.” - John Sinclair.

Ephesians 2

Current Circumstances (Without Christ)

1. Dead in Trespasses and Sin
2. Sons of Disobedience
3. Fulfilling the Desires of the Flesh and of the Mind
4. Children of Wrath
5. Aliens from the commonwealth of Israel
6. Strangers from the covenants of promise
7. Having no hope and without God in the world.

New Circumstances (With Christ)

1. Alive together in Christ
2. Sit together in the heavenly places in Christ
Jesus.
3. For we are His workmanship, created in Christ
Jesus for good works.
4. Brought Near

5. For through Him (Jesus) we both have access by one Spirit to the Father.
6. Fellow citizens with the saints and members of the household of God
7. in whom you also are being built together for a dwelling place of God in the Spirit.

The great miracle of the grace of God is that He forgives sin, and it is the death of Jesus Christ alone that enables the divine nature to forgive and to remain true to itself in doing so. It is shallow nonsense to say that God forgives us because He is love. Once we have been convicted of sin, we will never say this again. The love of God means Calvary – nothing less! The love of God is spelled out on the Cross and nowhere else. The only basis on which God can forgive me is the Cross of Christ. It is there that His conscience is satisfied. – Oswald Chambers, My Utmost for His Highest, November 19

POINT TO PONDER - CHALLENGE

Get with a friend or spouse and discuss What you need the most from the Lord right now and Why - New mind? New Desires? New Purpose? New Circumstances.