

### **Meet the New You!**

#### **A New Creation**

When you accept God's offer of relationship through Jesus, God does a miraculous work of re-creation in your life. You become a brand new person on the inside, clean and forgiven. The Bible describes this wonderful miracle...

"Therefore, if anyone is in Christ, he is a new creation; the old has gone, the new has come! All this is from God..." 2 Corinthians 5:17-18.

#### **A New Life**

Not only did Jesus represent you when He died, He also represented you in His resurrection. The Cross was the end of your old life. The Resurrection was the beginning of your new life.

"... just as Christ was raised from the dead through the glory of the Father, we too may live a new life" Romans 6:4.

#### **A New Home**

The Bible declares the wonderful truth of what has now happened to you...

"God raised us up with Christ and seated us with him in the heavenly realms in Christ Jesus" *Ephesians 2:6.* 

Heaven is now your home! This is where you now belong. You are now part of a Heavenly family, enjoying the presence of the Lord wherever you go.

#### A New Nature

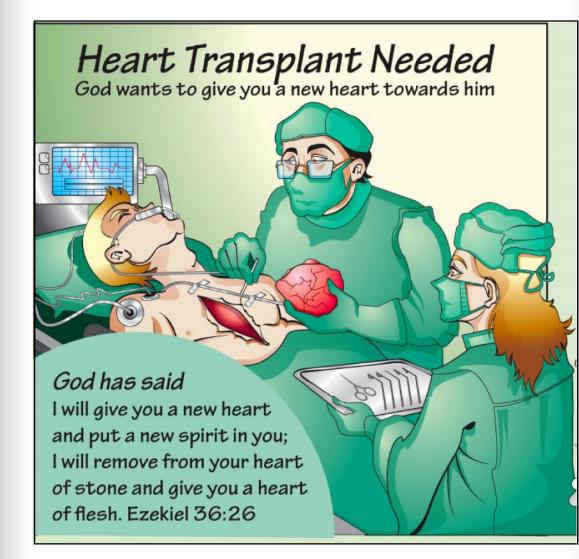
You are not the same anymore. A change has taken place in what you desire and enjoy. "Self" is not longer the centre of your life. You have received God's gift of righteousness (Romans 1:17). You have become "a partaker of the Divine nature" (2 Peter 1:3-4).

#### A New Future

Like the heroes of faith described in the Bible, your eyes are set on a glorious future waiting for you in Heaven (Hebrews 11:8-10).

"Praise be to the God and Father of our Lord Jesus Christ! In his great mercy he has given us new birth into a living hope through the resurrection of Jesus Christ from the dead, and into an inheritance that can never perish, spoil or fade. This inheritance is kept in heaven for you" 1 Peter 1:3.

# You are now a brand new person on the inside



"Therefore, if anyone is in Christ, he is a new creation; old things have passed away; behold, all things have become new" 2 Corinthians 5:17.



## Making the Truth Mine



Write in your own words what this lesson has meant to you and how it will effect your life.

### You can make a difference!

For this study to have its full effect in your life, we encourage you to:

- \* Read and digest the study meditate on the Word of God.
- \* Put into action what you have learnt (James 1:22).
- \* Share the Word of God with others.

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