

# The Prize

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Jesus alone is our \_\_\_\_\_.

## 2 CORINTHIANS 5:17 KJV

17 Therefore if any man be in Christ, he is a new creature: old things are passed away; behold, all things are become new.

A new creature or creation is not a \_\_\_\_\_, retread or fixer-upper, but a new kind; unprecedented, novel, \_\_\_\_\_, \_\_\_\_\_ of.

The Father made us new \_\_\_\_\_, so we could change \_\_\_\_\_.

One who becomes a new \_\_\_\_\_:

- Changes \_\_\_\_\_, from satan to Jesus
- Finds "Jesus is Lord" is about \_\_\_\_\_, not just a cute slogan
- Moves from darkness to \_\_\_\_\_
- Moves from sin to \_\_\_\_\_
- Moves from prideful to \_\_\_\_\_ and \_\_\_\_\_
- Moves from a \_\_\_\_\_ focus to a \_\_\_\_\_ focus

Being a genuine new creation literally guarantees a \_\_\_\_\_ in one's life and fruit.

## MATTHEW 18:3 KJV

3 And said, Verily I say unto you, Except ye be converted, and become as little children, ye shall not enter into the kingdom of heaven.

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Being converted happens in \_\_\_\_\_, behavior, and \_\_\_\_\_.

A genuine conversion brings \_\_\_\_\_ change, first to you and then to others.

**LISTEN:** If nothing's \_\_\_\_\_, nothing HAPPENED.

## **LUKE 22:32b KJV**

*32B and when thou art converted, strengthen thy brethren.*

Converted//to obey God, and love \_\_\_\_\_ and righteousness

\_\_\_\_\_ happens whether you're born-again or not; it's just \_\_\_\_\_ if it's not from Him.

## **MATTHEW 12:33 KJV**

*33 Either make the tree good, and his fruit good; or else make the tree corrupt, and his fruit corrupt: for the tree is known by his fruit.*

**"Change isn't change 'til it's change."--Dr. Ed Cole**

## **JOHN 15:5 KJV**

*5 I am the vine, ye are the branches: He that abideth in me, and I in him, the same bringeth forth much fruit: for without me ye can do nothing.*

Abideth//to \_\_\_\_\_, to dwell, \_\_\_\_\_, endure, to \_\_\_\_\_ be present

To \_\_\_\_\_ is to decide to not just \_\_\_\_\_ but be \_\_\_\_\_.