# **Reborn and Remade.**

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# *"Let the redeemed of the Lord tell their Story."*

Psalm 107:2

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# Reborn.

#### John 3:5-7

Jesus replied, "I assure you, unless you are born again, you can never see the Kingdom of God. The truth is, no one can enter the Kingdom of God without being born of water and the Spirit. Humans can reproduce only human life, but the Holy Spirit gives new life from heaven. So don't be surprised at my statement that *you must be born again*."

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# What is Born Again?

- Your <u>SIN</u> has separated you from God, your Father.
- God sent his son <u>JESUS</u> to pay the price for your sin and connect you with the Father.

#### John 14:6

Jesus said to Thomas, "I am the way, the truth, and the life. No one can come to the Father except through me."

Q: Have you been Born Again?

Q: Do you want to do that today?

#### John 3:18-21

(Continued Jesus to Nicodemus) – "There is no judgement awaiting those who trust him. But those who do not trust him have already

been judged for not believing in the only son of God. Their judgement is based on this fact: The light from heaven came into the world, but they loved the darkness more than the light, for their actions were evil. They hate the light because they want to sin in the darkness. They stay away from the light for fear their sins will be exposed and they will be punished. But those who do what is right come to the light gladly, so everyone can see that they are doing what God wants."

## My Born Again Moment.

- I had to <u>SURRENDER</u> my sins to Jesus and come into the light.
- I had to <u>REMOVE</u> what was destroying me and <u>REPLACE</u> it with what was pleasing to God.

Jesus can't use us, until we stop using him.

# Remade.

#### 1 Corinthians 5:17

Therefore, if anyone is in Christ, the new creation has come. The old is gone and the new is here!

Old Me	New Me	Scripture
Addiction	Sober	1 Peter 5:8
Prideful	Grateful	Colossians 3:17
Control	Surrender	Luke 9:23-24
Anger	Forgiveness	Ephesians 4:31-32
Greed	Generosity	1 Timothy 6:17-18

# Replace Addiction with <u>SOBER</u>.

#### 1 Peter 5:8

Be sober minded; be watchful. Your adversary the devil prowls around like a roaring lion, seeking someone to devour.

# **Replace Prideful with <u>GRATEFUL</u>.**

#### Colossians 3:17

And whatever you do, in word or deed, do everything in the name of the Lord Jesus, giving thanks to the God the Father through him.

## **Replace Control with SURRENDER.**

#### Luke 9:23-24

Then Jesus said to them all: "Whoever wants to be my disciple must deny themselves and take up their cross daily and follow me. For whoever wants to save their life will lose it, but whoever loses their life for me will save it."

## Replace Anger with <u>FORGIVENESS</u>.

#### Ephesians 4:31-32

Get rid of all bitterness, rage and anger, brawling and slander, along with every form of malice. Be kind and compassionate to one another, forgiving each other, just as in Christ God forgave you.

## Replace Greed with <u>GENEROSITY</u>.

#### 1 Timothy 6:17-19

Command those who are rich in this present world not to be arrogant nor to put hope in wealth, which is so uncertain, but to put their hope in God, who richly provides us with everything for our enjoyment. Command them to do good, to be rich in good deeds, and to be generous and willing to share.

### 2 Things You Must Do!

- Be in the <u>WORD</u>.
- Be in <u>COMMUNITY</u>.
- Q: Have you been Reborn?
- Q: Are you being Remade?