

A New Creation

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For the love of Christ controls us, having concluded this, that one died for all, therefore all died; 15 and He died for all, so that they who live might no longer live for themselves, but for Him who died and rose again on their behalf. 16 Therefore from now on we recognize no one according to the flesh; even though we have known Christ according to the flesh, yet now we know Him in this way no longer. 17 Therefore if anyone is in Christ, he is a new creature; the old things passed away; behold, new things have come.

The Love of Christ

- His Departure from Glory
- His Incarnation among us
- His Perfect Life and victory over sin
- His Ministry His intercession
- His Death in our place
- His Glorious resurrection

Our Expectations Set Aside

- His Love for ALL sets ALL on equal ground
- His Death for ALL sets our need as equal
- His Resurrection for ALL to live for Him
- No use of old metrics!
- Not age, color, creed, church, or relation
- Christ's Work in us IS our valuation

New Creations

- That which was is dead and crucified!
- Christ has come to give us a new Mindset
- Christ has come to give us a new Heart
- Christ has come to give us a new Focus
- Christ has come to give us a new Nature
- Christ has come to give us a new Identity
- Christ has come to give us a new Team