- **6.** The old things is the old man, the sinful values of the carnal mind. "That ye put off concerning the former conversation the old man, which is corrupt according to the deceitful lusts" Ephesians 4:22.
- 7. Then the new man by being Born Again is to have the Experience of holiness and sinfreeness.
- "And be renewed in the spirit of your mind" Ephesians 4:23.
- "And that ye put on the new man, which after God is created in righteousness and true holiness" Ephesians 4:24

The reality is that God in Christ does make sinners sinfree through the Born Again Experience.

"And ye shall know the truth, and the truth shall make you free.; If the Son therefore shall make you free, ye shall be free indeed" John 8:32,36.

"Being then made free from sin, ye became the servants of righteousness" Romans 6:18.

The born again experience is not excitement or feelings in spirit. It is really sinfreeness by the work of Christ in the sinner.

May you be sincere and honest to be Truly Born Again by the grace of God Amen!

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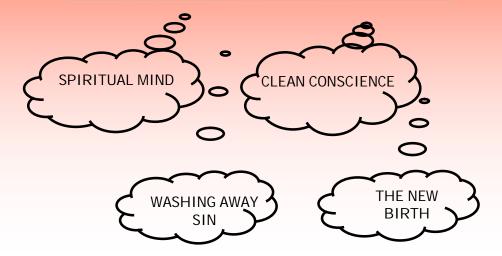
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## THE TRUE BORN AGAIN EXPERIENCE



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N THESE LAST DAYS, we are seeing great apostasy in the Christian religions. "And he cried mightily with a strong voice, saying, Babylon the great is fallen, is fallen, and is become the habitation of devils, and the hold of every foul spirit, and a cage of every unclean and hateful bird." Revelation18:2. "Now the Spirit speaketh expressly, that in the latter times some shall depart from the faith, giving heed to seducing spirits, and doctrines of devils; Speaking lies in hypocrisy; having their conscience seared with a hot iron" 1 Timothy 4:1,2. Many preach that Jesus is the savior but deny the power of the gospel to make sinners sinfree. "Having a form of godliness, but denying the power thereof: from such turn away." 11Timothy 3:5.

The question is: are you having THE TRUE BORN AGAIN EXPERIENCE ?

Being born again is not by baptism of water. The born again experience is not just saying 'I believe in Jesus Christ.' Neither is the born again experience speaking in tongues. All of these are doctrines of devils to destroy your conscience.

- ${f 1}$ . The true Born again experience is a divine heavenly Spiritual change from sinfulness into sinfreeness. Let's explain this according to the Bible.
  - A. All sinners are born sinful. Job.15:14; Psalm 51:5.
  - B. All sinful human beings have the carnal mind (thoughts of the flesh) Romans 8:5,6.
- 2. The True Born Again Experience is a change from the fleshly carnal mind of sin into the new birth of the Spiritual Mind of Sinfreeness.

"That which is born of the flesh is flesh; and that which is born of the Spirit is spirit" John 3:6. "For to be carnally minded [is] death; but to be spiritually minded [is] life and peace." Romans 8:6

3. The Born Again Experience is of water and Spirit.

"Jesus answered, Verily, verily, I say unto thee, Except a man be born of water and [of] the Spirit, he cannot enter into the kingdom of God" John 3:5.

<u>A.</u> Being born again of water is to have the washing away of sin values of the carnal mind. "

Wash you, make you clean; put away the evil of your doings from before mine eyes; cease to do evil" Isaiah 1:16

**<u>B.</u>** We are washed and cleansed by the Word of Truth.

"That he might sanctify and cleanse it with the washing of water by the word" (not the washing of the body of flesh) Ephesians 5:6.

"Purge me with hyssop, and I shall be clean: wash me, and I shall be whiter than snow." Psalm 51:7.

<u>C.</u> The Born Again Experience is really the washing away of the conscience of the experience of evil.

"Let us draw near with a true heart in full assurance of faith, having our hearts sprinkled from an evil conscience..." Hebrews 10:22.

 $\underline{\mathbf{D}}$ . It is the same as God washing us, justifying and sanctifying us as to separate us from the sins of the carnal mind.

"And such were some of you: but ye are washed, but ye are sanctified, but ye are justified in the name of the Lord Jesus, and by the Spirit of our God " 1 Corinthians 6:11

- 4. The emphasis is that to be truly Born Again is to get the spiritual new birth; "that which is born of the Spirit is spirit."
- A. Being born of the Spirit is to have the Spiritual mind of life and peace. "...but to be spiritually minded [is] life and peace." Romans 8:6
- **B**. This is through the very words of life and peace in Jesus Christ. "It is the spirit that quickeneth; the flesh profiteth nothing: the words that I speak unto you, [they] are spirit, and [they] are life" John 6:63.
- <u>C</u>. Thus, by the word of truth we are born of the Spirit of truth. "...And it is the Spirit that beareth witness, because the Spirit is truth" 1 John 5:6.
- <u>D.</u> The very word of God by the sanctifying truth in Christ makes us truly Born Again.

"Being born again, not of corruptible seed, but of incorruptible, by the word of God, which liveth and abideth for ever" 1Peter 1:23. "Sanctify them through thy truth: thy word is truth" John 17:17.

5. Therefore the Born Again Experience is the new birth of being a new man in Christ Jesus;

"Therefore if any man [be] in Christ, [he is] a new creature: old things are passed away; behold, all things are become new" 2 Corinthians 5:17.