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MESSAGE: "NEWNESS"

NEWNESS!!! Newness in Christ...

God/Jesus will...

1. **N** - **Nullify** our past (Cast it away from us with the guilt...)
2. **E** - **Endow** us with the Holy Ghost (Power to overcome)
3. **W** - **Wash** us and make us brand new...
4. **N** - **Neutralize** and eliminate our sins...
5. **E** - **Enlighten** our minds/hearts
6. **S** - **Set** us apart
7. **S** - **Save** us.

TO THE UTMOST, JESUS SAVES, TO THE UTMOST,
JESUS SAVES; HE WILL PICK US UP AND TURN US
ALL AROUND, YES! YES! YES! [Hal le lu jah!]
JESUS SAVES.



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*If any man be in Christ, he is a new creature.
II Corinthians 5:17*

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Song: Satan We Are Gonna Tear Your Kingdom Down

Satan we're gonna tear your kingdom down
Satan we're gonna tear your kingdom down
You been building your kingdom
All over God's land
Satan we're going to tear your kingdom down

Scripture(s): Acts 3:1-26 --**Note:** Our text should be looked at BI-TRANSLATIONALLY - (The **King James** and The **Good News Translation**)

Text: Acts 3: 19- 20 - REPENT YE THEREFORE, AND BE CONVERTED, THAT YOUR SINS MAY BE BLOTTED OUT, WHEN THE TIMES OF REFRESHING SHALL COME FROM THE PRESENCE OF THE LORD; AND HE SHALL SEND JESUS CHRIST, WHICH BEFORE WAS PREACHED UNTO YOU.

REPENT, THEN, AND TURN TO GOD, SO THAT HE WILL FORGIVE YOUR SINS. IF YOU DO, TIMES OF SPIRITUAL STRENGTH WILL COME FROM THE LORD, AND HE WILL SEND JESUS, WHO IS THE MESSIAH HE HAS ALREADY CHOSEN FOR YOU.

Reference: II Corinthians 5:17 - "THEREFORE IF ANY MAN BE IN CHRIST, HE IS A NEW CREATURE: OLD THINGS ARE PASSED AWAY; BEHOLD, ALL THINGS ARE BECOME NEW."

"ANYONE WHO IS JOINED TO CHRIST IS A NEW BEING; THE OLD IS GONE, THE NEW HAS COME.

SUBJECT/TOPIC: "NEWNESS!"

Subtopic: "A BRAND NEW ME!"

Introduction: So many of us suffer dis-functionality. We are unable to function constructively and productively in society and thus we are miserable and we cause all of those around us to be troubled and inconvenienced. Sickness, Sinfulness, Envy, Hatred, and/or all the various dis-functionalities and dis-functional traits and/or practices brings suffering, embarrassment, discomfort, conflicts and the like, therefore, knowing how and choosing to correct the wrong/problem brings joy to the entire setting and/or situation. Beggars, solicitors, sinners and the like create problems—thus, need to be fixed. We must examine ourselves frequently (I Cor. 11) and be knowledgeable and apt to fix whatever is wrong in order to move to and/or back to a state of rightness, WHOLENESS, holiness, completeness and/or stable and stead-fastness, which is required of God (I Corinthians 5:58 [STEDFASTNESS]).

Discussion: The Text (Reread/Discuss as the Spirit directs...

Closure: The only way to derive, to obtain, to achieve Pureness of heart, True Christianity, and to become fully functional and as impactful as you are appointed and anointed to be, one must REPENT! Repentance is to be truly, Godly sorrowful and to turn away from your sinful ways, to turn right and press on straight ahead. It is not always easy but it is so beneficial. Let us look at the Lame man at the gate called BEAUTIFUL. HIS SETTING WASN'T SO BEAUTIFUL, but thanks be to God, we do not have to remain dysfunctional. We can obtain Newness in Christ.