

A New Lord A New Role Countryside Bible Church

As Believers We Have:

A New Mind

A New Love

A New Role

2 Corinthians 5:17

¹⁷ Therefore if anyone is in Christ, he is a new creature; the old things passed away; behold, new things have come.

Ephesians 2:8–10

⁸ For by grace you have been saved through faith; and that not of yourselves, it is the gift of God;

⁹ not as a result of works, so that no one may boast.

¹⁰ For we are His workmanship, created in Christ Jesus for good works, which God prepared beforehand so that we would walk in them.

Philippians 1:6

⁶ For I am confident of this very thing, that He who began a good work in you will perfect it until the day of Christ Jesus.

Philippians 2:12–13

¹² So then, my beloved, just as you have always obeyed, not as in my presence only, but now much more in my absence, work out your salvation with fear and trembling;
¹³ for it is God who is at work in you, both to will and to work for His good pleasure.

Romans 12:1

¹ Therefore I urge you, brethren, by the mercies of God, to present your bodies a living and holy sacrifice, acceptable to God, which is your spiritual service of worship.

Luke 9:23

²³ And He was saying to them all, "If anyone wishes to come after Me, he must deny himself, and take up his cross daily and follow Me.

Galatians 2:20

²⁰ "I have been crucified with Christ; and it is no longer I who live, but Christ lives in me; and the life which I now live in the flesh I live by faith in the Son of God, who loved me and gave Himself up for me.

Galatians 5:24

²⁴ Now those who belong to Christ Jesus have crucified the flesh with its passions and desires.

Galatians 6:14 ¹⁴ But may it never

¹⁴ But may it never be that I would boast, except in the cross of our Lord Jesus Christ, through which the world has been crucified to me, and I to the world.

Romans 6:4–6

⁴ Therefore we have been buried with Him through baptism into death, so that as Christ was raised from the dead through the glory of the Father, so we too might walk in newness of life.
⁵ For if we have become united with Him in the likeness of His death, certainly we shall also be in the likeness of His resurrection,
⁶ knowing this, that our old self was crucified with Him, in order that our body of sin might be done away with, so that we would no longer be slaves to sin;

Colossians 2:11–14

¹¹ and in Him you were also circumcised with a circumcision made without hands, in the removal of the body of the flesh by the circumcision of Christ;

¹² having been buried with Him in baptism, in which you were also raised up with Him through faith in the working of God, who raised Him from the dead.

¹³ When you were dead in your transgressions and the uncircumcision of your flesh, He made you alive together with Him, having forgiven us all our transgressions,

¹⁴ having canceled out the certificate of debt consisting of decrees against us, which was hostile to us; and He has taken it out of the way, having nailed it to the cross.

Slave

Romans 6:16–18

¹⁶ Do you not know that when you present yourselves to someone as slaves for obedience, you are slaves of the one whom you obey, either of sin resulting in death, or of obedience resulting in righteousness?

¹⁷ But thanks be to God that though you were slaves of sin, you became obedient from the heart to that form of teaching to which you were committed,

¹⁸ and having been freed from sin, you became slaves of righteousness.

Slave

1 Corinthians 6:19–20

¹⁹ Or do you not know that your body is a temple of the Holy Spirit who is in you, whom you have from God, and that you are not your own?

²⁰ For you have **been bought with a price**: therefore glorify God in your body.

Slave

Acts 20:28

²⁸ "Be on guard for yourselves and for all the flock, among which the Holy Spirit has made you overseers, to shepherd the church of God which **He purchased** with His own blood.

Slave

Titus 2:14

¹⁴ who gave Himself for us **to redeem us** from every lawless deed, and to purify for Himself a people **for His own possession**, zealous for good deeds.

The Example of our Lord

Mark 10:45 ⁴⁵ "For even the Son of Man did not come to be served, but to serve, and to give His life a ransom for many."

The Example of our Lord

Philippians 2:5–8

⁵ Have this attitude in yourselves which was also in Christ Jesus,
 ⁶ who, although He existed in the form of God, did not regard equality with God a thing to be grasped,

⁷ but emptied Himself, taking the form of a bond-servant, and being made in the likeness of men.

⁸ Being found in appearance as a man, He humbled Himself by becoming obedient to the point of death, even death on a cross.

The Instruction of our Lord

Matthew 20:25–27

²⁵ But Jesus called them to Himself and said, "You know that the rulers of the Gentiles lord it over them, and their great men exercise authority over them.

²⁶ "It is not this way among you, but whoever wishes to become great among you shall be your servant,

²⁷ and whoever wishes to be first among you shall be your slave;

The Instruction of our Lord

Matthew 23:11 ¹¹ "But the greatest among you shall be your servant.

Mark 10:43–44 ⁴³ "But it is not this way among you, but whoever wishes to become great among you shall be your servant; ⁴⁴ and whoever wishes to be first among you shall be slave of all.

The Instruction of our Lord

Mark 9:35 ³⁵ Sitting down, He called the twelve and said to them, "If anyone wants to be first, he shall be last of all and servant of all."

Luke 22:26–27

²⁶ "But it is not this way with you, but the one who is the greatest among you must become like the youngest, and the leader like the servant.

²⁷ "For who is greater, the one who reclines at the table or the one who serves? Is it not the one who reclines at the table? But I am among you as the one who serves.

The Instruction of our Lord

John 12:26 ²⁶ "If anyone serves Me, he must follow Me; and where I am, there My servant will be also; if anyone serves Me, the Father will honor him.

John 13:14 ¹⁴ "If I then, the Lord and the Teacher, washed your feet, you also ought to wash one another's feet.

The Believers Self-Identification

Romans 1:1 ¹ Paul, a bond-servant of Christ Jesus, called as an apostle, set apart for the gospel of God,

Galatians 1:10 ¹⁰ For am I now seeking the favor of men, or of God? Or am I striving to please men? If I were still trying to please men, I would not be a bond-servant of Christ.

The Believers Self-Identification

Colossians 1:7 ⁷ just as you learned it from Epaphras, our beloved fellow bondservant, who is a faithful servant of Christ on our behalf,

Colossians 4:7 ⁷ As to all my affairs, Tychicus, our beloved brother and faithful servant and fellow bond-servant in the Lord, will bring you information.

The Believers Self-Identification

Titus 1:1

¹ Paul, a bond-servant of God and an apostle of Jesus Christ, for the faith of those chosen of God and the knowledge of the truth which is according to godliness,

James 1:1

¹ James, a bond-servant of God and of the Lord Jesus Christ, To the twelve tribes who are dispersed abroad: Greetings.

The Believers Self-Identification

2 Peter 1:1

¹ Simon Peter, a bond-servant and apostle of Jesus Christ, To those who have received a faith of the same kind as ours, by the righteousness of our God and Savior, Jesus Christ:

Jude 1

¹ Jude, a bond-servant of Jesus Christ, and brother of James, To those who are the called, beloved in God the Father, and kept for Jesus Christ:

Application

Keep in mind that slavery is full time.

Slavery has everything to do with yielding all of our rights to the will of the Father

A slave recognizes that the script they would write for their life and the script of the Master will likely be very different.

A biblical slave is both joyful and sacrificial.

1 Peter 1:17–19

¹⁷ If you address as Father the One who impartially judges according to each one's work, conduct yourselves in fear during the time of your stay on earth;

¹⁸ knowing that you were not redeemed with perishable things like silver or gold from your futile way of life inherited from your forefathers,

¹⁹ but with precious blood, as of a lamb unblemished and spotless, the blood of Christ.