



You can walk without fear of death because when a Christian dies they have only fallen asleep,

Romans 8:15 says:

“For ye have not received the spirit of bondage again to fear; but ye have received the Spirit of adoption, whereby we cry, Abba, Father”.

Being born again means you trust in Jesus and believe in God. The very minute you believe that Jesus died for your sins, was buried and rose again, you are born again. Consequently, you can pray in other tongues, walk in miracles, heal the sick and much more because you have all of the gifts of the spirit within you,

Mark 16: 17-18 says:


“And these signs shall follow them that believe; In my name shall they cast out devils; they shall speak with new tongues;

18 They shall take up serpents; and if they drink any deadly thing, it shall not hurt them; they shall lay hands on the sick, and they shall recover”.

You just have to lay hold of all these truths and I trust that you will begin to do so from today!

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**BORN
AGAIN**



The phrase “**Born again**” is derived from **John 3:1-7**. It is a phrase that many have not truly come to understand.

It says:

“There was a man of the Pharisees, named Nicodemus, a ruler of the Jews:

2 The same came to Jesus by night, and said unto him, Rabbi, we know that thou art a teacher come from God: for no man can do these miracles that thou doest, except God be with him.

3 Jesus answered and said unto him, Verily, verily, I say unto thee, Except a man be **born again**, he cannot see the kingdom of God.

4 Nicodemus saith unto him, How can a man be born when he is old? can he enter the second time into his mother’s womb, and being born?

5 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.

6 That which is born of the flesh is flesh; and that which is **born of the Spirit is spirit**.

7 Marvel not that I said unto thee, Ye must be **born again**.”

Jesus used the phrase “born again” in this conversation with Nicodemus who was one of the Pharisees. In the fifth verse, Jesus reiterated “born again” to mean to be “born of water and the Spirit to aid Nicodemus’ understanding. For example, when you bathe in water you have a freshness on your body.

So also, when you are born again you are born afresh.

You are born of water which represents the Spirit. It also means to be born anew; to be born of God. The use of water in the above texts was explanatory and figuratively used to typify the birth which is by the spirit.

Jesus therefore explained to Nicodemus that being born again (the new birth) is by the regeneration of the spirit. It is to be born of the spirit.

HOW DO YOU RECEIVE THE SPIRIT?

When a man believes the gospel, he has believed in the resurrection of Jesus and he immediately receives the Spirit of God within him.

John 3:14 -15 says:

“And as Moses lifted up the serpent in the wilderness, even so must the Son of man be **lifted up**:

15 That whosoever believeth in him should not perish, but have eternal life”.

This was an event that happened in the Bible that Jesus was referring to, Moses figuratively lifted up the serpent in the wilderness and those who looked up to it, lived.

So, also when we believe the resurrection of Jesus, we have believed the gospel, we are born again and we will live, which is an eternal life. The day you got saved by believing the gospel, you got born again. This is the new birth, it is when life started counting for you. We have an eternal (everlasting) life now!

John 3:16 says:

“For God so loved the world, that he gave his only begotten Son, that whosoever believeth in him should not perish, but have everlasting life”.

You are born again only once and that salvation is eternal.

You have been bought at a price, purchased with the blood of Jesus as seen in **1 Corinthians 6:19-20** which says:

“What? know ye not that your body is the temple of the Holy Ghost which is in you, which ye have of God, and ye are not your own?

20 For ye are bought with a price: therefore glorify God in your body, and in your spirit, which are God’s”.

Ephesians 2: 5-6 says:

“Even when we were dead in sins, hath quickened us together with Christ, (by grace ye are saved;)

6 And hath raised us up together, and made us sit together in heavenly places in Christ Jesus”.

When you are born again, you are raised up with him and now made to be seated with him in heavenly places,

As a result, you have authority and dominion,

Luke 10:19 says:

“Behold, I give unto you power to tread on serpents and scorpions, and over all the power of the enemy: and nothing shall by any means hurt you”.

You are also born by his spirit, his spirit now dwells in you forever.

Ephesians 1:13 says:

“In whom ye also trusted, after that ye heard the word of truth, the gospel of your salvation: in whom also after that ye believed, ye were sealed with that holy Spirit of promise”.

Romans 8:9 says:

“But ye are not in the flesh, but in the Spirit, if so be that the Spirit of God dwell in you”.

Your sins are eternally forgiven; you have been eternally saved, justified and redeemed so that even when you sin, you can be confident of these truths.

Hebrew 10:12,14 & 17 says:

“But this man, after he had offered one sacrifice for sins for ever, sat down on the righthand of God;

14 For by one offering he hath perfected for ever them that are sanctified

17 And their sins and iniquities will I remember no more”.