



*Welcome to
Rehoboth New
Life Center*

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In his Image & Likeness

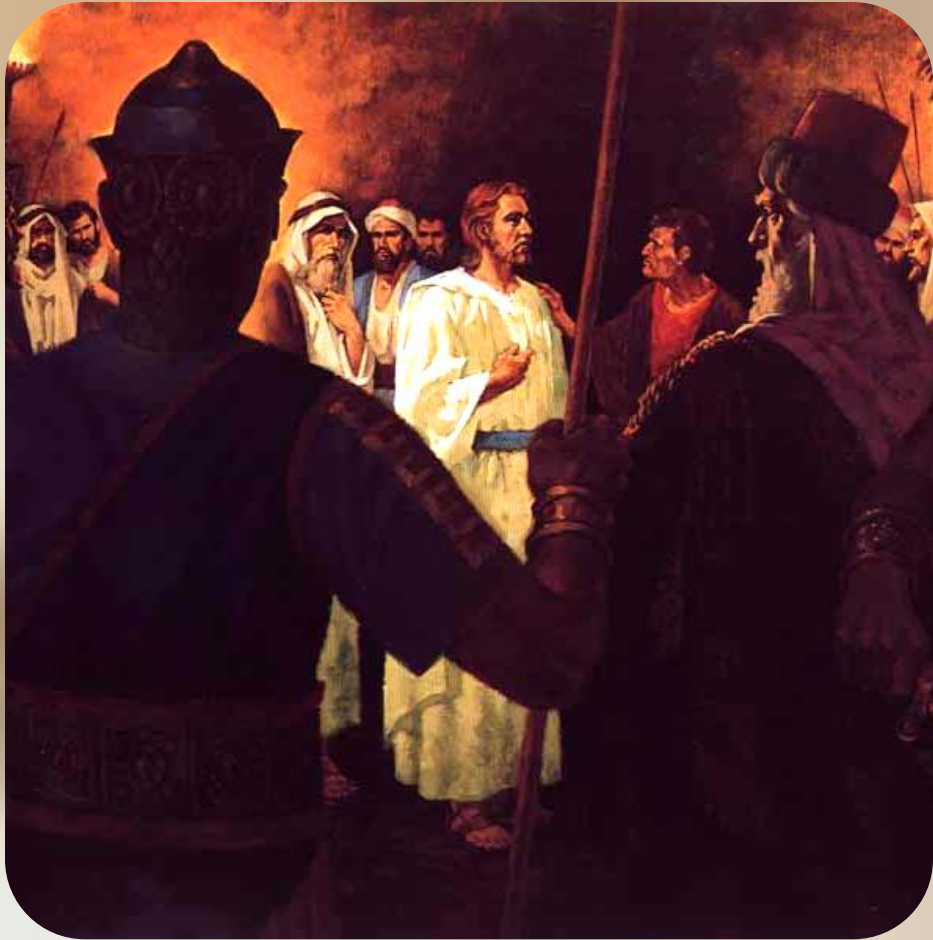
Part 2

Transformed not Conformed



Romans 8:29 ¶ For whom he did foreknow, he also did predestinate to be **conformed to the image of his Son**, that he might be the firstborn among many brethren.

Before Transformation



- Matthew 26:55 In that same hour said Jesus to the multitudes, Are ye come out as against a thief with swords and staves for to take me? I sat daily with you teaching in the temple, and ye laid no hold on me.
- 56 But all this was done, that the scriptures of the prophets might be fulfilled. **Then all the disciples forsook him, and fled.**

After Transformation

Acts 4:31 And when they had prayed, the place was shaken where they were assembled together; and they were all filled with the Holy Ghost, and they spake the word of God with boldness.

Acts 4:13 Now when they saw the boldness of Peter and John, and perceived that they were unlearned and ignorant men, they marvelled; and they took knowledge of them, that they had been with Jesus.



The Transformation: Pentecost!



Acts 2:1 ¶ And when the day of Pentecost was fully come, they were all with one accord in one place.

2 And suddenly there came a sound from heaven as of a rushing mighty wind, and it filled all the house where they were sitting.

3 And there appeared unto them cloven tongues like as of fire, and it sat upon each of them.

4 And they were all filled with the Holy Ghost, and began to speak with other tongues, as the Spirit gave them utterance.

The Dimensions of the Image



“The Breadth” Knowledge

“The Length” Patience

“The Depth” Love

“The Height” Faith

Ephesians 3:17 That Christ may dwell in your hearts by faith; that ye, being rooted and grounded in love,

18 May be able to comprehend with all saints **what is the breadth, and length, and depth, and height;**

Ephesians 4:13 Till we all come in the unity of the faith, and of the knowledge of the Son of God, unto a perfect man, unto the measure of the stature of the fulness of Christ:

Dimensions of the Image: Knowledge

Pentecost was not the end, It was the beginning. The transformation was the beginning of the race!



Philippians 3:10 That I may know him, and the power of his resurrection, and the fellowship of his sufferings, **being made conformable unto his death;**

*Proverbs 3:6 In all thy ways **acknowledge him,** and he shall direct thy paths.*

The Dimensions of the Image: Patience

pa·tience
noun: **patience**

The capacity to accept or tolerate delay, trouble, or suffering without getting angry or upset.

Patience with others is LOVE

Patience with self is HOPE

Patience with God is FAITH

Romans 8:24 For we are saved by hope: but hope that is seen is not hope: for what a man seeth, why doth he yet hope for?

25 But if we hope for that we see not, **then do we with patience wait for it.**



Isaiah 40:31 But they that wait upon the LORD shall renew their strength; they shall mount up with wings as eagles; they shall run, and not be weary; and they shall walk, and not faint.

The Dimensions of the Image: Love

Love is not necessarily money!

1 Thessalonians 5:11 Therefore encourage one another and build each other up, just as in fact you are doing.



Acts 3:6 Then Peter said, Silver and gold have I none; but such as I have give I thee: In the name of Jesus Christ of Nazareth rise up and walk.

- John 13:35 By this shall all men know that ye are my disciples, **if ye have love one to another.**
- 1 Corinthians 13:13 And now these three remain: faith, hope and love. **But the greatest of these is love.**

The Dimensions of the Image: Faith

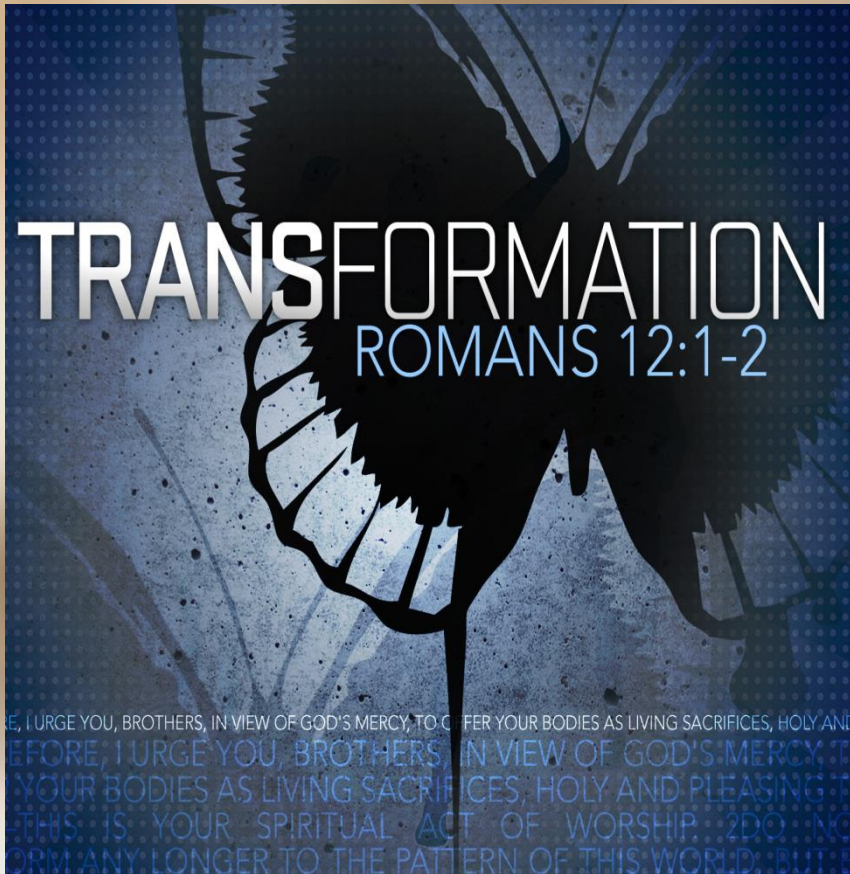
Hebrews 11:1
(NKJV)

Now faith is the substance of things hoped for,
the evidence of things not seen.

Faith SMALL AS A
MUSTARD SEED

- Mark 11:22 And Jesus answering saith unto them, **Have faith in God.**
- Romans 4:17 ¶(As it is written, I have made thee a father of many nations,) before him whom he believed, even God, who quickeneth the dead, **and calleth those things which be not as though they were.**

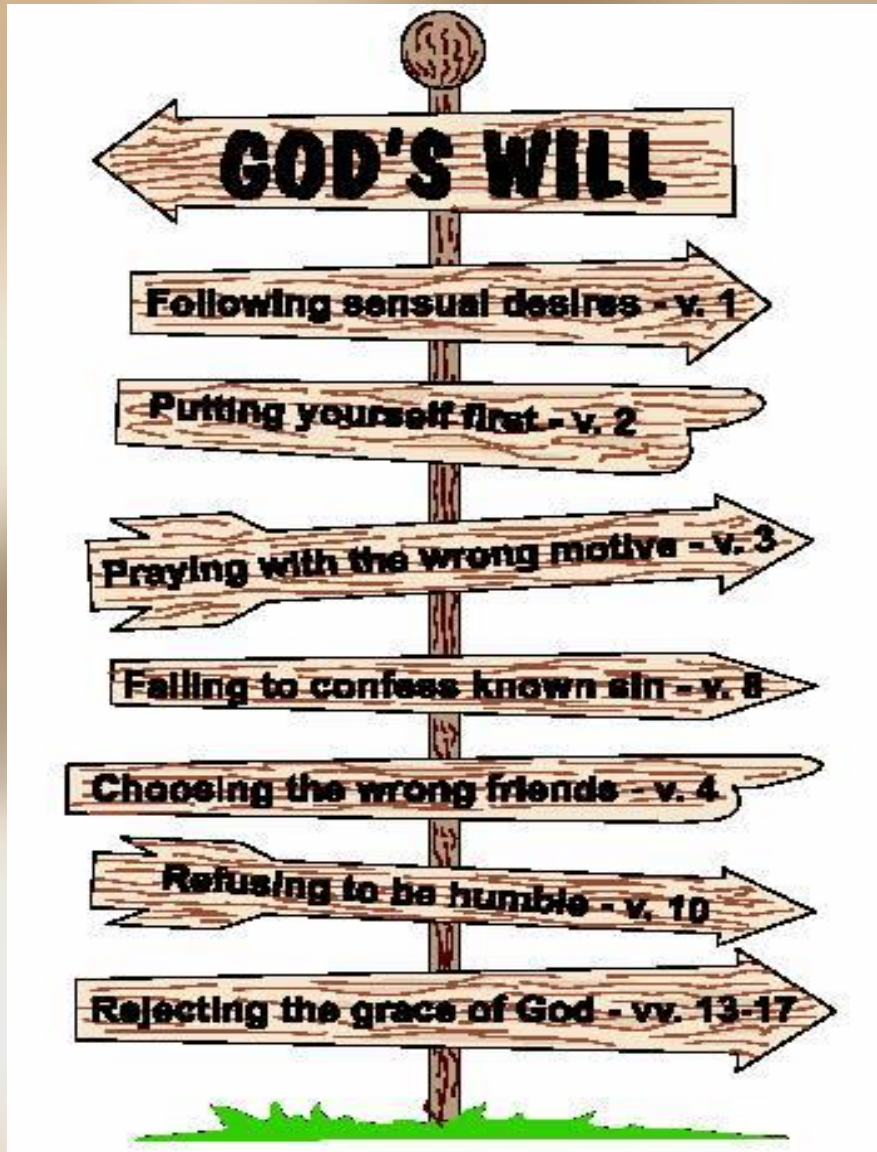
Transformed....



- Ephesians 4:22 That ye put off concerning the former conversation the old man, which is corrupt according to the deceitful lusts;
- 23 **And be renewed in the spirit of your mind;**

Romans 12:1 ¶I beseech you therefore, brethren, by the mercies of God, that ye present your bodies a living sacrifice, holy, acceptable unto God, which is your reasonable service.

...To be not conformed !



Romans 12:2 And **be not conformed to this world:** but be ye transformed by the renewing of your mind, that ye may prove what is that good, and acceptable, and perfect, will of God.

...But Conformed to HIS Image...



Romans 8:29 ¶For whom he did foreknow, he also did predestinate **to be conformed to the image of his Son**, that he might be the firstborn among many brethren.

“Nothing in all creation is hidden from God’s sight. Everything is uncovered and laid bare before the eyes of him to whom we must give account” (Hebrews 4:13).

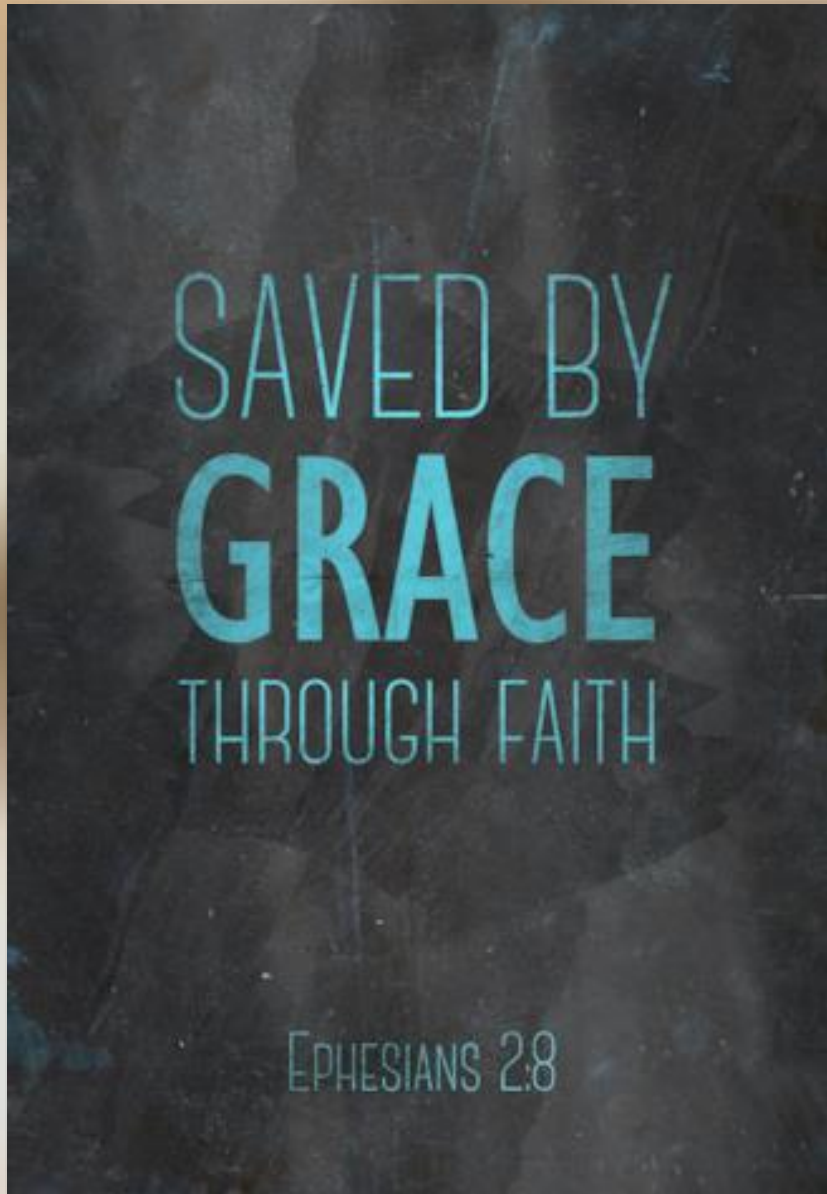
All “Have the Choice” to made in His Image



2 Peter 3:9 ¶The Lord is not slack concerning his promise, as some men count slackness; but **is longsuffering to us-ward, not willing that ANY should perish**, but that all should come to repentance.

Romans 8:17 ¶And if children, then heirs; heirs of God, and joint-heirs with Christ; if so be that we suffer with him, that we may be also glorified together.

Conformed by Obedience to the Grace!



- Romans 8:30 Moreover whom he did predestinate, them he also called: and whom he called, them he also justified: and whom he justified, them he also glorified.
- 31 ¶What shall we then say to these things? If God be for us, who can be against us?