

All Things New

2Corinthians 5:16-21

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- I. A New Perspective (v. 16)
 - A. Illustration (The blind man and the elephant)
 - B. Everything is spiritual-you use your vision to see others as God sees them

- II. A New Person (v. 17)
 - A. A new creature- like a snake becoming an eagle
 - B. In Christ- nothing remains the same

- III. A New Purpose (v. 18)
 - A. All things are of God- no longer living for self
 - B. A heavenly calling

- IV. A New Power (v. 19)
 - A. The word of reconciliation (Jeremiah 23:29; Romans 1:16; Hebrews 4:12)

- V. A New Position (v. 20-21)
 - A. As Christ died on the cross in our stead So we take the gospel to others in His stead
 - B. An ambassador

CONCLUSION- Are you walking in newness of life? How do you see others? Are you a new creature in Christ? Do you trust God to strengthen you? Are you walking worthy of your vocation? "Even so we should walk in newness of life."