

Transformation = Being Like Jesus

2 Corinthians 3:17-18 – “Now the Lord is the Spirit and where the Spirit of the Lord is, there is freedom. And we, who with unveiled faces all reflect the Lord’s glory, are being transformed into His likeness, with ever-increasing glory, which comes from the Lord who is the Spirit.”

Romans 8:28-29 – “And we know that in all things God works for the good of those who love Him, who have been called according to His purpose. For those God foreknew He also predestined to be conformed to the likeness of His Son, that He might be the firstborn among many brothers.”

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- In Attitude – Philippians 2:5-11 – Vs. 5 – “Your attitude should be the same as that of Christ Jesus.”
- In Mind – 1 Corinthians 2:16 – “We have the mind of Christ.” (cf. Phil. 4:8)
- In Suffering – 1 Peter 2:21,23 – 21. “To this you were called, because Christ suffered for you, leaving you an example, that you should follow in His steps. 23. When they hurled their insults at Him, He did not retaliate; when He suffered He made no threats. Instead, He entrusted Himself to Him who judges justly.”
- In Serving – John 13:14-15 – “Now that I, your Lord and Teacher, have washed your feet, you also should wash one another’s feet. I have set you an example that you should do as I have done for you.”
- In the very DNA of God – Jonah 4:2 – “...You are a gracious and compassionate God, slow to anger and abounding in love, a God who relents from sending calamity.”
 - Gracious – 1 Peter 5:12 – “This is the true grace of God. Stand fast in it.”
 - Compassionate – Colossians 3:12 – “Clothe yourselves with compassion, kindness, humility, gentleness and patience.”
 - Slow To Anger – James 1:19-20 – “Everyone should be quick to listen, slow to speak and slow to become angry, for man’s anger does not bring about the righteous life that God desires.”
 - Abounding in Love – John 15:12-13 – “Love each other as I have loved you. Greater love has no one than this, that he lay down his life for his friends.”