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What Happens When We Are Born Again?

- God reveals our **need**.
 - ▶ The new birth is **necessary** to know God.
 - ▶ The new birth is **impossible** without God.
 - We are morally **evil**.
 - We are spiritually sick.
 - We are **slaves** to sin.
 - We are blinded to truth.
 - We are lovers of **darkness**.
 - We are children of wrath.
 - We are spiritually **dead**.
 - ▶ The new birth is **dependent** on God.

- God changes our **heart**.
 - ▶ He **cleanses** us.
 - ▶ He **indwells** us.

- God enables our **belief**.
 - ▶ By His grace, we **turn** from sin.
 - ▶ By His grace, we **trust** in Christ.

- God transforms our **lives**.
 - ▶ He transforms us for our eternal **good**.
 - ▶ He transforms us for His eternal **glory**.

The Ultimate Question...
Am I born again?



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