

D1: God's Transformation of Man: *The States and Events in a Believer's Life - Part 2*

I. Review from Part 1

- The UNREGENERATE man - unmixed, sinful condition from birth, apart from Christ
- The REGENERATION event - one-time events accomplished by God in the gospel
- The REGENERATE man - mixed condition, residual sin coexists with regeneration

II. THE HEAVENLY MAN

With Christ; Unmixed, sinless condition; made righteous

1 Cor 15:50-57

- an imperishable body

- an immortal body

The chart . . .

Key descriptions

III. The Death, Resurrection/Rapture Event

Death - departing from the land of the dying and going home

Resurrection - integration of perfect inner man and glorified body

Rapture - transformation of the living into the resurrected body

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Key descriptions

IV. Observations

The Christian is no longer in the unmixed sinful condition of the old man

The Christian is not yet in an unmixed sinless condition with Christ

The Christian's POSITION before God is PERFECT, but his PRACTICE is PROGRESSING

V. CONCLUSION

The Christian's mixed condition demands he shepherds his heart to God in His word