

## (D1: The Heart)

### **D1: God's Transformation of Man - From Unregenerate to Heavenly: The States and Events in a Believer's Life (Part 2)**

A short review. . . . **Romans 8:5ff**

- I. "Without Christ" = THE UNREGENERATE MAN (Unmixed, sinful condition): "Unrighteous"*
- II. THE REGENERATION EVENT: "Declared Righteous"*
- III. "In Christ" - THE REGENERATE MAN (Mixed condition): "Being made righteous"*

- “The mixed condition of the regenerate man is characterized by:”

**The unchanging realities accomplished at regeneration (see to the bottom left on chart)**

**The pervading benefits of regeneration (see to the bottom left on the chart)**

**The new identity in Christ: 1 Cor 1:30**

**Freedom from slavery to sin: Rom 6:6-7, 14-18**

**The fruit of the Holy Spirit: Gal 5:22-23; Jn 14:17**

**Good works: Eph 2:10; Ti 2:14**

**An ability to obey God: Phi 2:13; Rm 5:21; 6:4; Gal 5:16**

**Proneness to sin: Gal 5:17; Hb 12:1-2; Rev 2:4; Eph 4:30; Col 2:20; 2 Cor 12:20-21**

**Ongoing repentance 1 Jn 1:8-9**

**Ongoing faith: Gal 2:20**

**Progress in Christ-likeness: 2 Cor 3:18; 4:16**

- “The mixed condition of the regenerate man requires:”

**God’s relentless transformation of the believer: 2 Cor 4:16; Ph 2:12-13**

**The believer’s diligent pursuit of holiness: 2 Pt 1:3-8**

**The believer’s weariness about indwelling sin: Jr 17:9; Mk 7:14-23; Js 4:1-4; Pr 28:26**

**The believer’s serious perseverance: 2 Pt 1:10; Hb 3:12-14; 10:23-27**

- **Summary:**

**IV. "With Christ" - THE HEAVENLY MAN (Unmixed, sinless condition): "Made righteous"**

**V. The Death, Resurrection/Rapture Event**

**OBSERVATIONS (between the 3 conditions and the regeneration event):**

**VI. Conclusion: The discipline of shepherding your heart to God in His Word!**