



# Let God Fix Me

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Series: A New You

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What is \_\_\_\_\_

**Definition:** The initial change of attitude and will that brings a person into a right relationship with God.

## Biblical Description

*"to open their eyes, so that they may turn from darkness to light and from the power of Satan to God, that they may receive forgiveness of sins and a place among those who are sanctified by faith in me."* Acts 26:18 ESV

## Two Primary Components

1. F \_\_\_\_\_

2. R \_\_\_\_\_

*"What shall we say then? Are we to continue in sin that grace may abound? By no means! How can we who died to sin still live in it? Do you not know that all of us who have been baptized into Christ Jesus were baptized into his death?"* Romans 6:1–3 ESV

**Being a Follower Of Jesus is not an addition to my existing life, it is a change to my whole life!**

*"And he said to all, "If anyone would come after me, let him deny himself and take up his cross daily and follow me." Luke 9:23 ESV*

*“Enter by the narrow gate. For the gate is wide and the way is easy that leads to destruction, and those who enter by it are many. For the gate is narrow and the way is hard that leads to life, and those who find it are few.”*  
Matthew 7:13–14 ESV

**The Bible Calls this Life Change a \_\_\_\_\_**

*“Jesus answered him, “Truly, truly, I say to you, unless one is born again he cannot see the kingdom of God.””*  
John 3:3 ESV

### **What Does Conversion Look Like?**

#### **1. \_\_\_\_\_ Change (Paul)**

*“And falling to the ground, he heard a voice saying to him, “Saul, Saul, why are you persecuting me?” And he said, “Who are you, Lord?” And he said, “I am Jesus, whom you are persecuting.”*  
Acts 9:4–5 ESV

#### **2. \_\_\_\_\_ & \_\_\_\_\_ Change (Lydia)**

*“One who heard us was a woman named Lydia, from the city of Thyatira, a seller of purple goods, who was a worshiper of God. The Lord opened her heart to pay attention to what was said by Paul. And after she was baptized, and her household as well, she urged us, saying, “If you have judged me to be faithful to the Lord, come to my house and stay.” And she prevailed upon us.”*  
Acts 16:14–15 ESV

*“The Spirit himself bears witness with our spirit that we are children of God,”*  
Romans 8:16 ESV

### **What Really Matters is that You Know Jesus!**

#### **When Was Peter Saved?**

#### **When he was called by Jesus?**

*“He brought him to Jesus. Jesus looked at him and said, “You are Simon the son of John. You shall be called Cephas” (which means Peter).”*  
John 1:42 ESV

#### **When he left being a fisherman?**

*““But when Simon Peter saw it, he fell down at Jesus’ knees, saying, “Depart from me, for I am a sinful man, O Lord. And when they had brought their boats to land, they left everything and followed him.”*  
Luke 5:8, 11 ESV

#### **When he was confronted by Jesus?**

*“And he began to teach them that the Son of Man must suffer many things and be rejected by the elders and the chief priests and the scribes and be killed, and after three days rise again. And he said this plainly. And Peter took him aside and began to rebuke him. But turning and seeing his disciples, he rebuked Peter and said, “Get behind me, Satan! For you are not setting your mind on the things of God, but on the things of man.””*  
Mark 8:31–33 ESV

#### **When he was restored after the resurrection?**

*“When they had finished breakfast, Jesus said to Simon Peter, “Simon, son of John, do you love me more than these?” He said to him, “Yes, Lord; you know that I love you.” He said to him, “Feed my lambs.” He said to him a second time, “Simon, son of John, do you love me?” He said to him, “Yes, Lord; you know that I love you.” He said to him, “Tend my sheep.” He said to him the third time, “Simon, son of John, do you love me?” Peter was grieved because he said to him the third time, “Do you love me?” and he said to him, “Lord, you know everything; you know that I love you.” Jesus said to him, “Feed my sheep.”*  
John 21:15–17 ESV

### **What Matters Most Is That We Let Jesus Fix Us!**

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