

Silver Creek Fellowship Notes

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Why Is It So Hard to Change Myself?

Ecc. 7:20 "There's not a single person in all the earth who is always good and never sins."

James 3:2 "None of us is perfectly qualified. We get it wrong nearly every time we open our mouths. If you could find someone whose speech was perfectly true you'd have a perfect person in perfect control of life." (The Message)

Rom. 3:23 "For everyone has sinned; we all fall short of God's glorious standard."

1 Jn. 1:8 "If we claim to be sinless we deceive ourselves and the truth is not in us."

Your life doesn't get better by _____ it get's better by _____

Eph. 4:21-27 "Since you have heard all about Jesus and you have learned the truth that is in him, throw off your old evil nature and your former way of life, which is rotten through and through, full of lust and deception. Instead, there must be a spiritual renewal of your thoughts and your attitudes. You must put on the new nature because you are a new person, created in God's likeness — righteous and holy and true. So put away all falsehood and tell your neighbor the truth because we belong to each other. Don't let the sun go down while you are still angry, for anger gives a mighty foothold to the Devil."

Requirements for Personal Change

1. Change requires _____

Eph. 4:21 "Since you have heard all about Jesus and have learned the truth that is in him..."

Behind every _____ in my life is a _____

2. Change requires _____

Eph. 4:22 "Throw off your old evil nature and your former way of life, which is rotten through and through, full of lust and deception."

Php. 2:12-13 "Continue to work out your salvation with fear and trembling, for it is God who works in you to will and to act according to his good purpose."

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3. Change requires _____

Eph. 4:23 *“There must be a spiritual renewal of your thoughts and attitudes.”*

Metanoia (Greek) - _____

Every _____ is determined by _____

2 Cor. 10:5 “We capture every thought and make it give up and obey Christ.”

4. Change requires _____

Eph.4:24 *“You must put on your new nature because you are a new person created in God’s likeness – righteous, holy, and true.”*

2 Cor. 3:18 “As the Spirit of the Lord works within us, we become more and more like him.”

5. Change requires _____

Eph. 4:25 *“Put away all falsehood and tell your neighbor the truth because we belong to each other.”*

Gal. 6:2 *“By helping each other with your troubles, you truly obey the law of Christ.”*

6. Change requires _____

Eph. 4:26-27 *“Don’t let the sun go down while you’re still angry, for anger gives a mighty foothold to the devil.”*

If you are new/visiting and would like to meet a leader or have questions please stop by The Hub in our lobby. We would love to meet you!