



*John 3:1-10* Our most worthwhile endeavor:  
R Our R with God.

**I. NICODEMUS ASKED:**

“HOW IS AN ENTIRELY F S POSSIBLE?”

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**II. ONLY JESUS PROVIDES THIS NEW BEGINNING BY THE**  
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**III. ACTS 2:38** #1 In J name.  
 #2 For F.  
 #3 The S 's Gift.

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**IV. IMPLICATIONS OF THE NEW-BIRTH:**

#1 A N M. (Col.3:5, Rom.6:1,8:12)  
 #2 A N E. (Col .3:11, Gal.3:26-27)  
 #3 A N F. (Col.3:12-16, Acts 2:41-46)

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→ Baptism Is A O - T R  
 ...Leading To A L - T Of R !

## ***John 3: 1-10. NKJV***

There was a man of the Pharisees named Nicodemus, a ruler of the Jews. 2 This man came to Jesus by night and said to Him, "Rabbi, we know that You are a teacher come from God; for no one can do these signs that You do unless God is with him."

3 Jesus answered and said to him, "Most assuredly, I say to you, unless one is born again, he cannot see the kingdom of God." 4 Nicodemus said to Him, "How can a man be born when he is old? Can he enter a second time into his mother's womb and be born?" 5 Jesus answered, "Most assuredly, I say to you, unless one is born of water and the Spirit, he cannot enter the kingdom of God. 6 That which is born of the flesh is flesh, and that which is born of the Spirit is spirit.

7 Do not marvel that I said to you, 'You must be born again.' 8 "The wind blows where it wishes, and you hear the sound of it, but cannot tell where it comes from and where it goes. So is everyone who is born of the Spirit." 9 Nicodemus answered and said to Him, "How can these things be?" 10 Jesus answered and said to him, "Are you the teacher of Israel, and do not know these things?"

## ***Acts 2:37-39 NKJV***

Now when they heard this, they were cut to the heart, and said to Peter and the rest of the apostles, "Men and brethren, what shall we do?" 38 Then Peter said to them, "Repent, and let every one of you be baptized in the name of Jesus Christ for the remission of sins; and you shall receive the gift of the Holy Spirit. 39 For the promise is to you and to your children, and to all who are afar off, as many as the Lord our God will call."

Col 3:5 Therefore put to death your members which are on the earth: fornication, uncleanness, passion, evil desire, and covetousness, which is idolatry.

Rom 6:1 What shall we say then? Shall we continue in sin that grace may abound?

Rom 8:12 Therefore, [...] we are debtors - not to the flesh, to live according to the flesh.

Col 3:11 Where there is neither Greek nor Jew, circumcised nor uncircumcised, barbarian, Scythian, slave nor free, but Christ is all and in all.

Gal 3:26-27 For you are all sons of God through faith in Christ Jesus. 27 For as many of you as were baptized into Christ have put on Christ.

Col 3:12-13 Wherefore, as the elect of God, holy and beloved, put on tender mercies, kindness, humility, meekness, longsuffering; 13 bearing with one another, and forgiving one another, if anyone has a complaint against another; even as Christ forgave you, so you also must do.

Acts 2:41-46 Then those who gladly received his word were baptized; and that day about three thousand souls were added to them. 42 And they continued steadfastly in the apostles' doctrine and fellowship, in the breaking of bread, and in prayers. 43 Then fear came upon every soul, and many wonders and signs were done through the apostles. 44 Now all who believed were together, and had all things in common, 45 and sold their possessions and goods, and divided them among all, as anyone had need. 46 So continuing daily with one accord in the temple, and breaking bread from house to house, they ate their food with gladness and simplicity of heart.