

## 6/9/19 | Living Hope: Made New

*"For you have been born again, not of perishable seed, but of imperishable, through the living and enduring word of God."*



—1 Peter 1:23 | NIV

1. What is something you did 10 years ago that you would never do today?

What about 20 years ago?

Do you sometimes feel like a completely different person from who you were then? What changed?

2. Read 1 Peter 1:23 (above). What does the phrase "born again" mean to you?
3. What stuck out to you from the sermon this week? Explain.

### Changed

4. Read 2 Corinthians 5:17 and Romans 6:4. What is the "new creation" and the "new life" these verses mention?
5. What was the "old creation" and the "old life" then?
6. Are you new or old? How do you know?
7. Read Ephesians 4:17-19. What were Gentiles (nonbelievers) living like?
8. Read Ephesians 4:20-24. What were we taught? How were we changed? Why?

9. Read Mark 14:66-72. How would you describe Peter from this account?
  
10. Read Acts 2:14-15, 32-41. How would you describe Peter from this account?
  
11. What is the biggest difference between the Peter from Mark 14 and the Peter from Acts 2? (Remember: they are the same disciple, only a few weeks apart!).
  
12. What events happened between the first Peter and the second? Which event seemed to be the most significant?  
  
Does that event apply to us today? Can we be as changed as Peter? If so, how?
  
13. How can you live like a new person in Jesus this week?

**TAKEAWAY:** Be different. Live set apart.