



God's Spirit of Adoption and Us

Sunday 22 June 2025

Metamorphosis

Therefore, if anyone is in Christ,
they are a *new creation*;
the old is gone,
the new has come!

2 Corinthians 5:17

Metamorphosis

Sin is doing what God asked us not to
(Genesis 3)

Romans 6:23 – For the wages of sin is death,
but the gift of God is eternal life through Jesus
Christ our Lord.

Metamorphosis

**When the people heard this,
they were cut to the heart
and said to Peter and the other apostles,
“Brothers, what shall we do?”**

Acts 2:37

Metamorphosis

Repent and be baptized, every one of you,
in the Name of Jesus Christ for the
forgiveness of your sins.

And you will receive
the gift of the Holy Spirit.

Acts 2:38

God has poured out His love into our hearts by the Holy Spirit, whom He has given us.

Romans 5:5

The Holy Spirit

Advocate, Helper & Counselor

John 14:26; Isaiah 30:21

Spirit of Truth

John 14:17; 1 John 1:5 AMP

Spirit of Holiness

Romans 1:4; 1 Peter 1:14-15

The Holy Spirit

Spirit of Grace

Hebrews 10:29

Spirit of Jesus Christ, Spirit of the Living God

Acts 16:7; Romans 8:9; 2 Corinthians 3:3

Hebrews 13:5; Philippians 4:4-5

The Holy Spirit of Adoption reminds us:

We are chosen

We are Children of God

Romans 8:15-16

**You are no longer strangers and foreigners,
but you are fellow citizens with the saints and
members of the household of God.**

Ephesians 2:19 (NKJV)

Transformed & Changed

**You were washed
You were sanctified
You were justified
in the Name of the LORD Jesus Christ
And by the Spirit of God.**

1 Corinthians 6:11

**By God's Spirit of Adoption,
the love of God
transforms
the child of God**

Ephesians 3:14-19

How Wide?

Ephesians 2:12; Ephesians 4:3-6; Revelation 7:9-10

How Long?

Ephesians 1:4-5; Isaiah 46:4

How High? How Deep?

Psalms 139:1-18

**O LORD, you have searched me
and you know me.**

**You know when I sit and when I rise;
You perceive my thoughts from afar.**

You discern my going out and my lying down; you are familiar with all my ways.

Before a word is on my tongue you know it completely, O LORD.

**You hem me in – behind and before;
you have laid your hand upon me.**

**Such knowledge is too wonderful for me,
too lofty for me to attain.**

**Where can I go from your Spirit?
Where can I flee from your presence?**

**If I go up to the heavens, you are there;
If I make my bed in the depths,
you are there.**

**If I rise on the wings of the dawn,
if I settle on the far side of the sea,
even there your hand will guide me,
Your right hand will hold me fast.**

**If I say, “Surely the darkness will hide me
and the light become night around me,”**

**even the darkness will not be dark to you;
the night will shine like the day,
for darkness is as light to you.**

**For you created my inmost being;
you knit me together
in my mother's womb.**

**I praise you because I am fearfully and
wonderfully made; your works are
wonderful, I know that full well.**

**My frame was not hidden from you
when I was made in the secret place.**

**When I was woven together
in the depths of the earth,
your eyes saw my unformed body.**

**All the days ordained for me
were written in your book
before one of them came to be.**

**How precious to me
are your thoughts, O God!
How vast is the sum of them!**

**Were I to count them,
they would outnumber
the grains of sand.**

**When I awake,
I am still with you.**

Psalms 139:1-18