

“New Life in Christ”

Colossians 3:1-4

I. Introduction – Titus 1:16; Romans 12:2

II. New Life in Christ

Rom. 6:3-4; 2 Cor. 5:17; Gal. 5:22-23; John 14:13-14; 2 Cor. 1:20;
Phil. 4:8; Gal. 6:14; 1 Cor. 6:17; 2:14; Rom. 8:31-39; 1 Thess. 4:13-18;
Rom. 8:30; John 17:22; 1 John 3:2; Gal. 2:20; 2 Cor. 4:10; Phil. 1:21

A. The Cause: *Since you have been raised with* _____

*Every Christian _____ a new life in Christ.

B. The Responsibility: *Keep seeking things* _____

1. This is a _____ action.

2. “Things above” are the _____ values of Christ

3. Christians must _____ to seek heavenly values

C. The Reason: *You died to* _____

1. Since the penalty is paid, sin cannot _____ us

2. Being “hidden with Christ in God” means:

a. Sharing a common life with the _____ & _____

b. The world doesn’t understand _____

c. Christians are safe & secure in _____

D. The Revealing

1. Christians have already been _____

2. This new life will be seen when Jesus Christ _____

III. Conclusion – Phil. 3:12-14; Heb 2:2; Phil. 4:13; Isa. 40:30-31

The key to living the new life in Christ is to have a life centered on