

MAKING TWENTY, ONE, EIGHT ... Great!

"IN" with the New OUT with the Old" – Lamentations 3:22-23 (NLT)

I. The Joy of Getting Something New

For I'm going to do a brand-new thing. See, I have already begun! Don't you see it? I will make a road through the wilderness of the world for my people to go home, and create rivers for them in the desert! Isaiah 43:19 (TLB)

Grace Anew Each Day

The faithful love of the LORD never ends! His mercies never cease. Great is his faithfulness; his mercies begin afresh each morning. Lamentations 3:22-23 (NLT)

- New Love
- New Mercy
- New Faithfulness

Making Everything New – Revelation 21:5 (NLT/ISV) ; Mark 2:21-22 (NLT)

II. It's Time to Throw Out Those Old Jeans

Put off your old self, which belongs to your former manner of life and is corrupt through deceitful desires, and to be renewed in the spirit of your minds, and to put on the **new self**, created after the likeness of God in true righteousness and holiness. Ephesians 4:22-24 (ESV)

- **Getting Real** – Ephesians 5:16 (NLT)
- **Getting Ready** – Hebrews 12:1 (ESV)
- **Getting Revved** – Ezekiel 37:26-27 (NLT)

III. Looking at the World with New Eyes

God is Always Making Us New – Luke 5:27-28 (TLB)

God is Always Doing a New Thing – Isaiah 43:19a

God will Give us New People to Testify to – 1 Peter 3:15 *se/* (EHV)

He is the one who has helped us tell others about his new agreement to save them. We do not tell them that they must obey every law of God or die; but we tell them there is life for them from the Holy Spirit. The old way, trying to be saved by keeping the Ten Commandments, ends in death; **in the new way**, the Holy Spirit gives them life. 2 Corinthians 3:6 (TLB)