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CLASS 2:

“The Work of the Spirit in You”

A. John 3:3

“Jesus answered and said to him, “Most assuredly, I say to you, unless one is born again, he cannot see the kingdom of God.” NKJV

- You must be “Born Again”
- This is where God, the Holy Spirit “comes” to abide in our human spirits
- **Ezekiel 36:25-27**

“Then I will sprinkle clean water on you, and you shall be clean; I will cleanse you from all your filthiness and from all your idols. I will give you a new heart and put a new spirit within you; I will take the heart of stone out of your flesh and give you a heart of flesh. I will put My Spirit within you and cause you to walk in My statutes, and you will keep My judgments and do them.” NKJV

- This is the essence of the New Birth, your human spirit dead (separated from God), is made alive by your personal faith in what God the Father has accomplished through the Living Word Jesus.
- Although the Holy Spirit comes to abide, he carries the essence and reality of the Father and The Word.

John 14:23

“Jesus answered and said to him, “If anyone loves Me, he will keep My word; and My Father will love him, and We will come to him and make Our home with him.” NKJV

B. The New Birth, Born Again, Saved, Salvation

- The scripture reveals that when one accepts Jesus as Lord and Saviour one receives a new “Identity.” You are now viewed as a New Creature **2 Corinthians 5:17**

“Therefore, if anyone is in Christ, he is a new creation; old things have passed away; behold, all things have become new.” NKJV

- Also when a person is not “born again” it is revealed by scripture as unrighteousness! “Not in right standing with God.” People who are “Born again” are declared “righteous.” They have access and right standing with God. **2 Corinthians 5:21**

“For He made Him who knew no sin to be sin for us, that we might become the righteousness of God in Him.” NKJV

C. More than just an experience at an altar, the “New Birth” is your personal entrance into a righteous lifestyle. A life “In the Spirit” is the will of God for you.

Acts 2:40

“And with many other words he testified and exhorted them, saying, “Be saved from this perverse generation.” NKJV