

The Change
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Group Discussion Guide

We all wish for a better version of ourselves - better as a spouse, better at our professions, better as a parent. We may have tried over and over again with self-help books, councilors, seminars and yet we still find that we still unsatisfied.

When a man dies, will he live again? All the days of my hard service I will wait, until my renewal comes. Job 14:14 (NIV)

It you notice that the beginning of chapter 14 is titled *Job Laments the Finality of Death*. While this passage may be talking about a physical death, we can draw from verse 14 to speak of our spiritual death to our old selves and our new birth.

Key points:

1. It is one thing to want something, it is another to do something about it
2. Change of a person's nature and characteristics CAN BE CHANGED
3. There are 4 areas that change in a person when they accept redemption

Discussion points:

1. What is the one thing you most wanted changed in your life?
2. What is the most dramatic change God made in your life that turned from old to new?
3. Talk about each of the 4 changes that take place in a redeemed soul:
 - a. Dynamic Change
 - b. Unconscious Change
 - c. Metamorphic Change
 - d. Conscious Change
4. Not all changes happen the same time for everybody. Your steps are ordered of God and your path is unique. Trust God and the Holy Spirit as they point you to heaven and eternity.