

HOW TO MAKE IT AS A CHRISTIAN

Romans 6

1. Being in Christ means _____ to an old life and _____ a new life (vv. 3-5)
Baptized (baptizo) to immerse, submerge; to make overwhelmed (i.e., fully wet)

2. "Old self" doesn't mean "lower nature" but _____ (vv. 6-7)
...*this knowing, that our old man was crucified with [him]*
Romans 6:6 (YLT)

old-palaios-antique, man-anthropos-man

3. In Christ I'm _____ of the _____ of the former life (v.7)
...*for he who has died is freed from sin. Romans 6:7*

4. Being in Christ means doing this life _____ (vv. 8-10)

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1. _____ this life is a _____ (v.11)
reckon (av), "consider" (RSV); look upon (TLB); count (NIV)

2. _____ to go back to the _____ (vv.12-14)
...*do not let sin reign in your mortal body so that you obey its lusts, Romans 6:12*

3. Decide to _____ (v.16)

"Present yourself" implies _____
Slave or Servant: doulos - a slave (literal or figurative, involuntary or voluntary)

...*have ye not known that to whom ye present yourselves servants for obedience, servants ye are to him to whom ye obey, whether of sin to death, or of obedience to righteousness? Romans 6:16 (YLT)*

Conversion involves an _____

My _____ reveals my true _____ (v.17)

The Picture of Conversion: (v.17)

But thanks be to God that though you were slaves of sin, you became obedient from the heart to that form of teaching to which you were committed,

(w. 22-23)

Notice: The "Free Gift" is attached to our becoming God's _____

But now having been freed from sin and enslaved to God, you derive your benefit, resulting in sanctification, and the outcome, eternal life. 23 For the wages of sin is death, but the free gift of God is eternal life in Christ Jesus our Lord. Romans 6:22-23