

1 Peter 1:20-25: Old You, New You: Different Response Scripture Reading: Luke 5:36-39

1. A sinner acts like a sinner. Our new nature (righteous saint) always acts like Christ.
2. The soul is the real you. It is either defiled in spirit (sinful nature) with the devil as its father or it is purified by the blood of Christ with God as its Father.
3. Born again is the new birth that transforms us from a child of the devil to a child of God.
(with a clean soul)
4. Our soul can never be defiled again.
5. Our body can be defiled by the old nature that is controlled by its Father the devil.
6. The new nature never sins. It is impossible for it to do so. 1 John 3:8,9,10
7. Our new nature has the responsibility to love. 1 Peter 1:22
8. The old nature is called the flesh. It has no ability to handle the flames of trouble. (the trial of our faith.)
9. The new nature endures forever even in the trial of our faith. 1 Peter 1:25 with 1:7
10. The flames of trials reveal Jesus Christ all the more clearly when we are trusting him. Daniel 2:14