



Shofar Christian Church

# GOD'S NEW I PART TWO

# GOD'S KNOW FOR GOD'S NEW

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End of last year “It’s a New Day”

**Isaiah 43:19 (ESV)**

Behold, I am doing a new thing;  
now it springs forth, do you not perceive it?  
I will make a way in the wilderness  
and rivers in the desert.

**NEW YEARS RESOLUTIONS**

or a

**NEW YEARS REVELATION**



**RECAP :**

## **1. God's Heart | GOD OF THE NEW**

### **Ezekiel 36:26-27 (NKJV)**

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. 27 I will put My Spirit within you and cause you to walk in My statutes, and you will keep My judgments and do them.

## 2. Shift the Focus:

### **Galatians 2:20 AMP**

I have been crucified with Christ [that is, in Him I have shared His crucifixion]; it is no longer I who live, but Christ lives in me. The life I now live in the body I live by faith [by adhering to, relying on, and completely trusting] in the Son of God, who loved me and gave Himself up for me.

### **2 Corinthians 5:17**

**Therefore, if anyone is in Christ, he is a new creation. The old has passed away; behold, the new has come.**

**“that those who live might no longer live for themselves but for Him”**

### 3. The Helper is WITH YOU:

THE FIGHT | THE FEED

Flesh-fix by resolutions

Revelation, faith, empowerment and  
obedience [action] by the Spirit of Life

Sow into the spirit

## **Galatians 5:16-18;22-26** *Keep in Step with the Spirit*

16 But I say, walk by the Spirit, and you will not gratify the desires of the flesh. 17 For the desires of the flesh are against the Spirit, and the desires of the Spirit are against the flesh, for these are opposed to each other, to keep you from doing the things you want to do. 18 But if you are led by the Spirit, you are not under the law... 22 But the fruit of the Spirit is love, joy, peace, patience, kindness, goodness, faithfulness, 23 gentleness, self-control; against such things there is no law. 24 And those who belong to Christ Jesus have crucified the flesh with its passions and desires. 25 If we live by the Spirit, let us also keep in step with the Spirit. 26 Let us not become conceited, provoking one another, envying one another.

**...A FRUIT OF THE SPIRIT?**



#2 HAVE COURAGE

#3 God's PERSPECTIVE

The God fearing and courageous will  
inherit God's NEW SEASONS



## 2. NEW Courage:

Character of God  
Goodness of God  
Father Heart...

## Numbers 13 (HCSB)

## Scouting Out Canaan

The LORD spoke to Moses: 2 “Send men to scout out the land of Canaan I am giving to the Israelites. Send one man who is a leader among them from each of their ancestral tribes.” 17 When Moses sent them to scout out the land of Canaan, he told them, “Go up this way to the Negev, then go up into the hill country. 18 See what the land is like, and whether the people who live there are strong or weak, few or many. 19 Is the land they live in good or bad? Are the cities they live in encampments or fortifications? 20 Is the land fertile or unproductive? Are there trees in it or not? Be courageous. Bring back some fruit from the land.” It was the season for the first ripe grapes.

## Numbers 13 (HCSB)

27 They reported to Moses: “We went into the land where you sent us. Indeed it is flowing with milk and honey, and here is some of its fruit. 28 However, the people living in the land are strong, and the cities are large and fortified. We also saw the descendants of Anak there.

**Numbers 13 (HCSB)** 30 Then Caleb quieted the people in the presence of Moses and said, “We must go up and take possession of the land because we can certainly conquer it!” 31 But the men who had gone up with him responded, “We can’t go up against the people because they are stronger than we are!” 32 So they gave a negative report to the Israelites about the land they had scouted: “The land we passed through to explore is one that devours its inhabitants, and all the people we saw in it are men of great size. 33 We even saw the Nephilim there—the descendants of Anak come from the Nephilim! To ourselves we seemed like grasshoppers, and we must have seemed the same to them.”

## Numbers 14 (HCSB) Israel's Refusal to Enter Canaan

Then the whole community broke into loud cries, and the people wept that night. 2 All the Israelites complained about Moses and Aaron, and the whole community told them, "If only we had died in the land of Egypt, or if only we had died in this wilderness! 3 Why is the LORD bringing us into this land to die by the sword? Our wives and little children will become plunder. Wouldn't it be better for us to go back to Egypt?" 4 So they said to one another, "Let's appoint a leader and go back to Egypt."

REMEMBER GOD SAID:

**'I am giving to Israel'  
'which I give unto the children of Israel' (KJV)**

MOSES SAID:

**'Be Courageous'**

**Numbers 14 (HCSB)** 5 Then Moses and Aaron fell down with their faces to the ground in front of the whole assembly of the Israelite community. 6 Joshua son of Nun and Caleb son of Jephunneh, who were among those who scouted out the land, tore their clothes 7 and said to the entire Israelite community: “The land we passed through and explored is an extremely good land. 8 If the Lord is pleased with us, He will bring us into this land, a land flowing with milk and honey, and give it to us. 9 Only don’t rebel against the Lord, and don’t be afraid of the people of the land, for we will devour them. Their protection has been removed from them, and the Lord is with us. Don’t be afraid of them!”

### 3. God's NEW calls for God's WAY:

#### Matthew 16

15 “But you,” He asked them, “who do you say that I am?” 16 Simon Peter answered, “You are the Messiah, the Son of the living God!” 17 And Jesus responded, “Simon son of Jonah, you are blessed because flesh and blood did not reveal this to you, but My Father in heaven. 18 And I also say to you that you are Peter, and on this rock I will build My church, and the forces of Hades will not overpower it.



# Matthew 16

## His Death and Resurrection Predicted

21 From then on Jesus began to point out to His disciples that He must go to Jerusalem and suffer many things from the elders, chief priests, and scribes, be killed, and be raised the third day. 22 Then Peter took Him aside and began to rebuke Him, “Oh no, Lord! This will never happen to You!” 23 But He turned and told Peter, “Get behind Me, Satan! You are an offense to Me because you’re not thinking about God’s concerns, but man’s.”

## [ESV] Matthew 16:23

But he turned and said to Peter,  
"Get behind me, Satan! You are a  
hindrance to me. For you are not  
setting your mind on the things of God,  
but on the things of man."



# Like JESUS, Joshua and Caleb





# PRAYER TIME

new season courage